News Release



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Spring Break Up Necessitates Temporary Closing of Gates on Hyalite, Olson, and Skunk Creek Roads

The Forest Service will be closing gates on the main Hyalite road (FS Rd #62), south of Bozeman, and the Olson Creek (FS Rd #6944) and Skunk Creek (FS Rd #974) roads, in the Bangtail mountains north of Bozeman. The roads will be closed to passenger vehicles as of Monday morning, April 3, 2006. They are expected to remain closed until June 1, 2006 or until the roads are clear of snow and have dried out enough to allow passenger vehicles to use. As snow permits, snowmobiles are still allowed on both roads.

For more forest road and gate information call the Bozeman Ranger District at 522-2520 Monday through Friday 8:00 A.M. until 4:30 P.M.

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