

# Gorge-Extras!

## Unique Adirondack Merchandise HIGH FALLS GORGE GIFT SHOP

Browse intriguing books, home décor and gift items that reflect the natural beauty and art of The Adirondacks.



## Outdoor Equipment RENTAL & PURCHASE

### Skis & Snowboards

Rent shaped and high performance skis, snowblades, snowboards, boots, poles, helmets & ski pants. Our certified technicians will fit you for a day on the slopes.



### Snowshoes

Rent Mountain Safety Research (MSR) snowshoes to use offsite or on our snowshoe trail.

### Outdoor Gear

Hiking maps, compasses, backpacks and more.

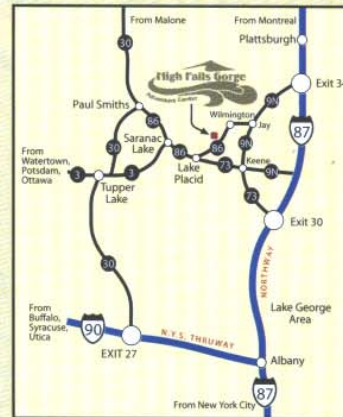


Ramps and selected trails allow everyone to experience the beauty of the Gorge.

## Right in the Middle of your Adirondack Adventure

Only 8-miles East of  
Lake Placid and  
1-mile West of  
Whiteface Mountain  
Ski Center on Route 86.

**Distances • Drive Times**  
Plattsburgh, NY: 40-miles • 1-hour  
Lake George, NY: 78-miles • 1.5-hours  
Albany, NY: 140-miles • 2.5-hours  
Montreal, Canada: 150-miles • 2.5-hours  
New York City: 286-miles • 5-hours



### DIRECTIONS

#### From I-87 (The Northway) Going South

Take Exit 34 (Ausable Forks). Turn left onto Route 9N heading southbound. In the town of Jay turn right onto Route 86 West. High Falls Gorge is just 1-mile past Whiteface Mountain Ski Center on the right side of the road.

#### From I-87 (The Northway) Going North

Take Exit 30 (Keene/Keene Valley). Turn left following Route 73 West toward Lake Placid. Turn right onto Riverside Drive just before the ski jumps entrance. Turn right onto Route 86 East. High Falls Gorge is 5-miles ahead on the left side of the road.

### SCHOOL & MOTORCOACH TOURS WELCOME!!

Lots of FREE parking available!

### HOURS

#### Summer Season (First Saturday in May through Last Sunday in October)

May & June: 9:00AM-5:00PM (Last paid admission at 4:30PM)  
July & August: 9:00AM-5:30PM (Last paid admission at 5:00PM)  
September & October: 9:00AM-5:00PM (Last paid admission at 4:30PM)

#### Winter Season (Friday after Thanksgiving through Last Sunday in March)

8:30AM-4:30PM  
Christmas Week & President's Week: 8:00AM-5:00PM

Operating hours are subject to change without notice. All outdoor activities are weather permitting. Admission fee is charged.

For everyone's comfort, pets are not allowed on the High Falls Gorge property. There are no facilities available for boarding pets.

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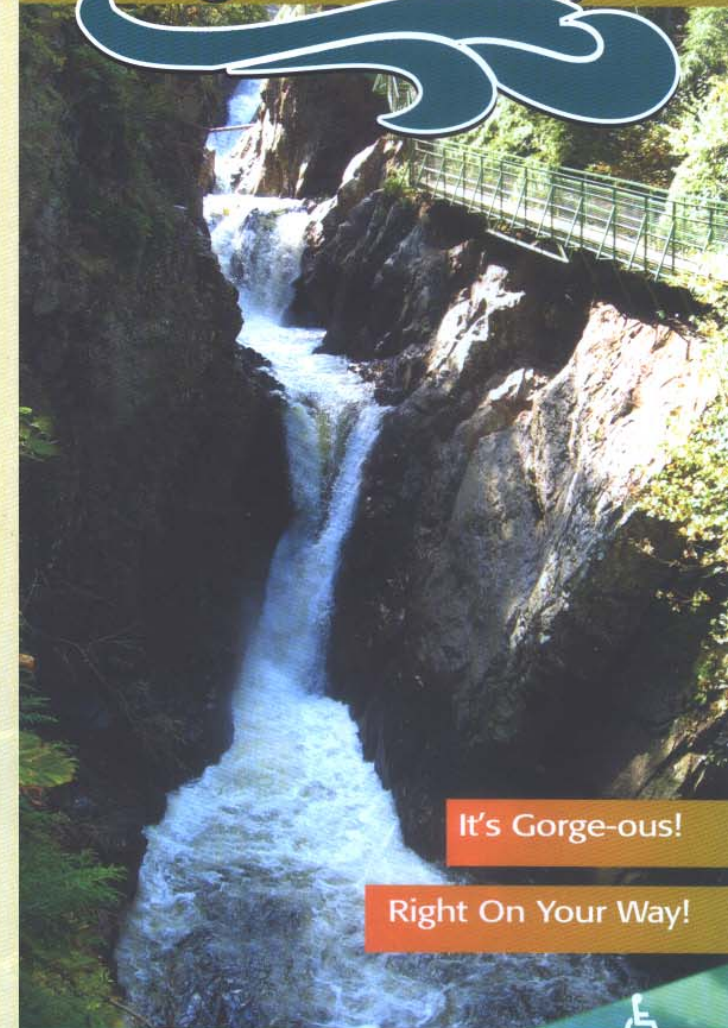
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## The Adirondacks' Most Breathtaking 30-Minute Walk

# High Falls Gorge



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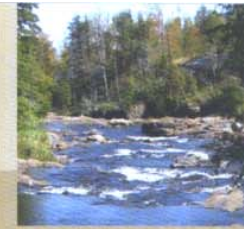
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## It's Gorge-ous!

Just minutes from the Whiteface Mountain Ski Center, watch the majestic AuSable River rush 300-feet down ancient granite cliffs formed billions of years ago by the combined natural forces of ice, water and wind to create the spectacular High Falls Gorge.

## Explore And Learn

A living lesson in natural history, travel through time as you easily walk our 1/2 mile trail and enter one of the last remaining Climax Forests in the United States. Experience the pristine Adirondacks just as the original settlers did. Learn about the native flowers, trees, ancient rocks and birds that populate this remote natural region. Then look down into the spectacular High Falls Gorge.



## Summer Gorge

Enjoy a relaxed stroll along age-old rock formations and cascading waters framed by the delicate wildflowers and lush green vegetation that thrive during the unique, moist summer climate.

For the outdoor enthusiast, commune with nature on our separate, peaceful wooded trails that take you beneath the majestic ledges of Whiteface Mountain.

## Winter Gorge

See the awesome wintry beauty of the Gorge's many waterfalls sculpted by nature's frozen artist. On weekends and holidays share your adventures with fellow hikers as you roast marshmallows around our crackling campfire. Don't forget to experience our snowshoe center for an added winter adventure.

**River View Café** Enjoy a snack or casual meal inside, outside, or on-the-go.

## Safe & Easy Access For Everyone – In All Kinds of Weather

Modern steel bridges, walkways and groomed paths provide safe access through the Gorge for all ages and abilities. Most weather conditions are of little concern. Rain ponchos and YakTrax®, easy-to-use, lightweight traction devices for your shoes, are always available.



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