

Closed Caves

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Aeolus Bat Cave is currently closed until a proper management plan can be implemented. The VCA is doing its best to ensure that the cave will be reopened to cavers. The VCA is asking cavers to be responsible and abide by the closure. As with any negotiation process, irresponsible acts can seriously jeopardize the situation and make it more difficult to regain access.

Nickwackett & Chaffee Mountain Caves, Chittenden. These caves are now closed for five years to study the bat population. A summer management plan is being developed to ensure future caving at these excellent caves. Nickwackett cave was gated in the summer of 2004.

Purgatory Karst-- including Purgatory, Brian's, Boulder, Falls Cliff, Tallow, Quarry, Chimney, and Webster's Bonus Caves
Horse Farm Road Cave, Middlebury
Maidstone Caves, Maidstone

Plymouth Caves, Plymouth. NOW CLOSED due to White Nose Syndrome.

Brandon Silver Mines, NOW CLOSED due to White Nose Syndrome