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# Carl G. Washburne



## Carl G. Washburne Memorial State Park

On US 101 (mile post 176), 14 miles N of Florence  
93111 Highway 101 N, Florence, OR 97439  
541-547-3416



Latitude: 44.160252 N  
Longitude: -124.115074 W

**Reserve early!** Reserve yurts one day to nine months in advance by calling 1-800-452-5687 or visiting [www.oregonstateparks.org](http://www.oregonstateparks.org).

Nestled in the forest east of U.S. 101, Carl G. Washburne Memorial State Park's creekside campground is just north of scenic Heceta Head and about 10 miles south of Cape Perpetua.

### Year-Round Camping

(First-come, first-served)

- 51 full-hookup sites (sewer, electricity, water)
- Seven electrical sites (with water)
- Seven walk-in tent sites
- Two reservable yurts
- Picnic tables and fireplaces
- Flush toilets and hot showers
- RV dump station in day-use area (please use the station to dump full holding tanks rather than a campsite connection, which can overflow)
- Hiker/biker camp
- Firewood for sale

**NOTE:** All full-hookup and tent campsites are available on a first-come, first-served basis. All RV sites have 20, 30, and 50 amp electrical service.

### Universal Access

Site #30 is accessible to campers with disabilities.

### Camping Rates

Rates are subject to change. You can get up-to-date information by calling 1-800-551-6949 or visiting [www.oregonstateparks.org](http://www.oregonstateparks.org).

### Yurts!

Enjoy the year-round comforts of a domed tent with structural support, a hardwood floor, lockable wooden door, lights, heating, and beds with vinyl-covered mattresses. A bunk bed sleeps three, and a futon couch sleeps two. A fire ring and a picnic table are right outside. Pets are not permitted in the yurts at Carl Washburne.

Smoking in Oregon State Parks is allowed only in personal vehicles, RVs, campsites and portions of day use parks along state highways that are designated as safety rest areas by the Oregon Department of Transportation.

**Need to cancel** your reservation? Follow these guidelines:  
If your reservation is for today, call 541-547-5429.  
Otherwise, call 1-800-452-5687.

### On the Beach

Park visitors have easy access to three miles of sandy ocean beach. There is a beachside day-use area with picnic facilities west of the highway, and trails lead to the beach both north and south of the campground. Vehicles are prohibited on the beach from the north Lane County line to a point south of Heceta Head.

### Hike the Wild Side

A six-mile round-trip hike to Heceta Head Lighthouse begins near the campground on the Valley Trail segment and follows China Creek to a meadow. Keep an eye open for Roosevelt elk and other wildlife. After crossing the highway, you meet up with the Hobbit Trail, which leads to the beach. Watch for the junction with the Heceta Head Trail, a two-mile segment of the Oregon Coast Trail. Hike this steep, winding path to the lighthouse to enjoy outstanding views.

### Heceta Head Lighthouse

Perhaps the most photographed lighthouse on the Oregon coast, Heceta Head Lighthouse sits 205 feet above the Pacific. Its dramatic cliffside setting is the focal point of Heceta Head Lighthouse State Scenic Viewpoint, a day-use area with picnic sites and access to an inviting beach and tidepools.

The lighthouse was built in the early 1890s, and its light began shining March 30, 1894. The beacon was automated in 1963, eliminating the need for an on-site keeper. Its first-order English-made Fresnel lens produces the strongest-rated light on the Oregon coast—a light seen from more than 20 miles out to sea.

For information on interpretive program schedules, or to arrange special group programs, call 541-547-3416.

### Park Information:

1-800-551-6949

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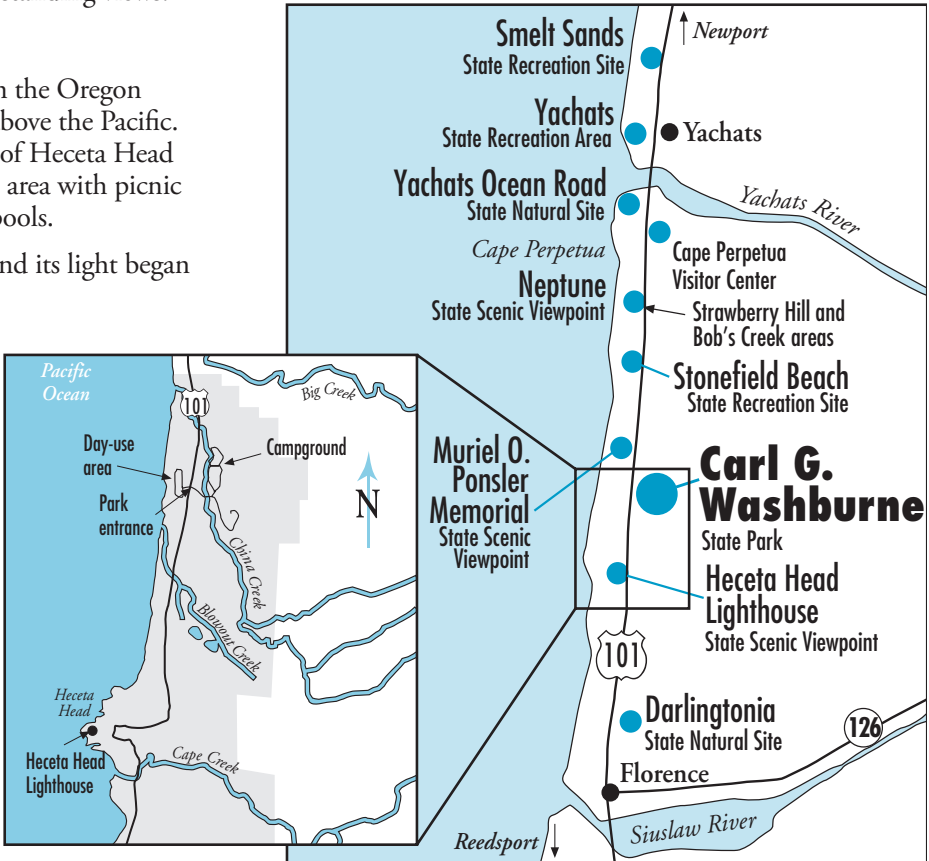
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### Day-Use Parking Fees

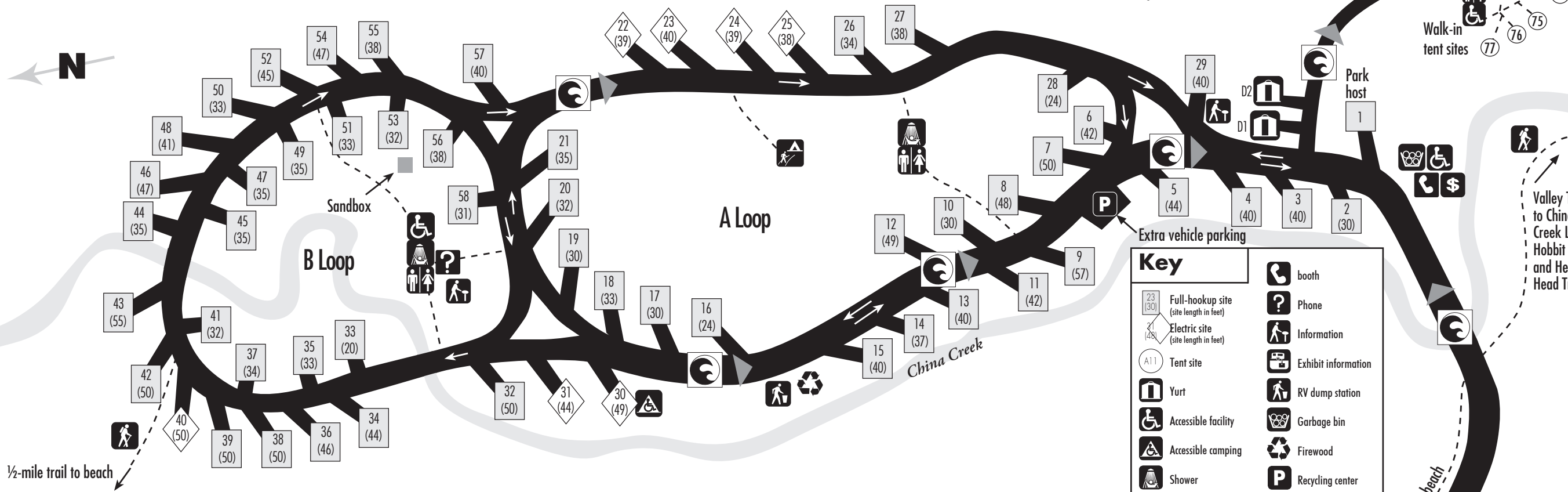
Day-use parking permits are required year-round at Heceta Head Lighthouse State Scenic Viewpoint. A daily or annual permit, an Oregon Coast Passport, or a valid state park camping receipt is required. You can purchase daily permits from the self pay station. 12-month and 24-month permits are sold at most major state park offices.



Western snowy plovers nest along some parts of the Oregon coast. Watch for special signs during nesting season.



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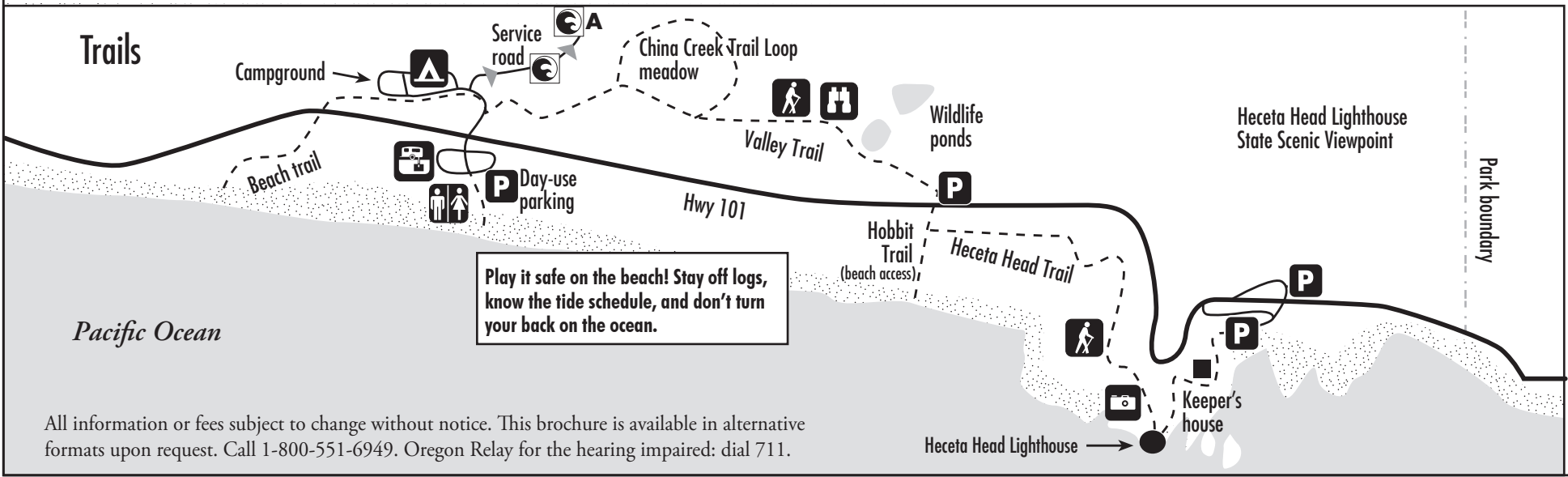


Key	
	Full-hookup site (site length in feet)
	Electric site (site length in feet)
	Tent site
	Yurt
	Accessible facility
	Accessible camping
	Shower
	Restroom
	Viewpoint
	Walking trail
	Hiker/biker camp
	Self-registration
	booth
	Phone
	Information
	Exhibit information
	RV dump station
	Garbage bin
	Firewood
	Recycling center
	Parking
	Wildlife viewing
	Trails
	Tsunami evacuation assembly area

Please help make camping at Carl Washburne a safe and enjoyable experience by following these and other park rules:

- Campground quiet hours are between 10 p.m. and 7 a.m.
- All vehicles must be parked on pavement.
- Bicycles are permitted on park roads, but must be ridden with the traffic flow. Riders under age 16 must wear helmets.
- Pets must be physically restrained at all times when not confined in a vehicle or tent. Leashes must be no longer than six feet. All waste must be properly removed. (See our "Pets in Parks" brochure for details.)

Check-in after 4 p.m., Check-out by 1 p.m.



All information or fees subject to change without notice. This brochure is available in alternative formats upon request. Call 1-800-551-6949. Oregon Relay for the hearing impaired: dial 711.