Carl G. Washburne

Carl G. Washburne Memorial State Park
On US 101 (mile post 176), 14 miles N of Florence, OR 97439
541-547-3416

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)
- 40 full-hookup sites (sewer, electricity, water)
- 14 electrical sites (with water)
- 7 walk-in tent sites (closed seasonally)
- 2 reservable yurts (1 pet friendly)
- 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)
- Campfires permitted
- Firewood for sale

Universal Access
Site #30 is accessible according to the Americans with Disabilities Act.

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.

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. Yurt D2 is pet friendly.

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

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 State Scenic Viewpoint, a day-use area with picnic sites and access to an inviting beach and tidepools.

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 just north of the Lane County line to a point south of Heceta Head.

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. Annual and 24-month permits are sold online at store.oregonstateparks.org and at most major state park offices.

Support your parks by becoming a member of the Oregon State Parks Foundation. Free 12-month day-use parking permit with your membership. oregonstateparksfoundation.org.
- Campground quiet hours are between 10 p.m. and 7 a.m.
- Self register within 30 minutes of selecting your site. Do not leave site unmarked during or after registration.
- 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.)
- Dump station: Use the RV dump station in the day-use area to dump full holding tanks to avoid overflow at campsite.
- Play it safe on the beach! Stay off logs, know the tide schedule, and don’t turn your back on the ocean.
- Check-in for yurts after 4 p.m., Check-out for all sites by 1 p.m.