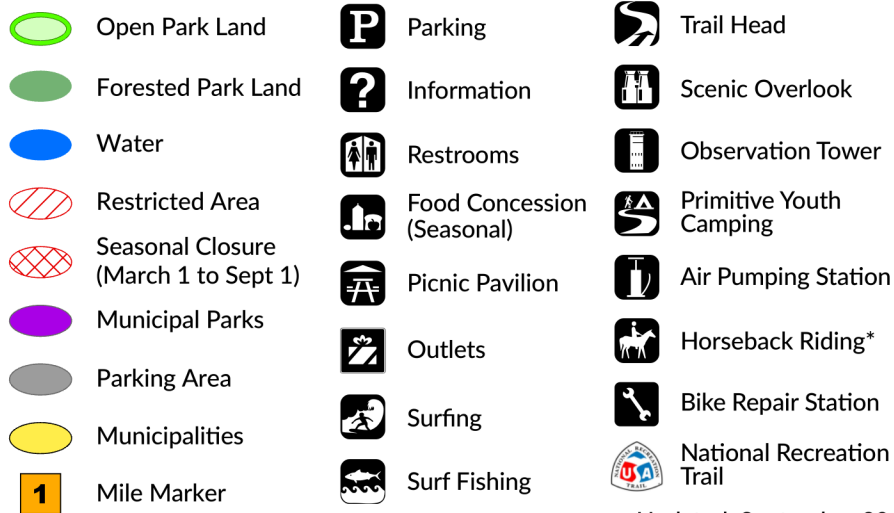




# Cape Henlopen State Park

## Legend



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## Contact Information

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## Trails and Permitted Uses

Junction & Breakwater Trail (5.8 miles)		Walking Dunes Trail (2.6 mi.)	
Gordons Pond Trail (3.2 miles)		Connector Trail	
Multi-Use Trail		Pedestrian Beach Crossing	
Bike Lane/Share the Road		Beach Vehicle Crossing*	
Salt Marsh Spur (1.2 mi.)			
Lewes-Georgetown-Cape Henlopen Rail Trail			

\*The Gordons Pond Beach Vehicle crossing is also designated for equestrian beach access. Select beaches are open for horseback riding from November 1st to April 30th. Please contact the park office for the latest regulations.

## Trail Descriptions

### Junction & Breakwater Trail

Trail Width	Surface Type	Trail Grade	Accessible
Avg 9 Feet Min 6 Feet	Paved Crushed Stone	Avg 1% Max 11%	- Yes

This popular trail follows a section of the former Penn Central railroad connecting Lewes and Rehoboth Beach. The easy contour and crushed stone and paved surfaces are suitable for hikers, bikers, and strollers. The trail is accessible from the designated trailheads at the Wolfe Neck Parking Area and behind the Outlets. Trail users will pass through mature hardwood and conifer forests, marshes and open fields. Scenic vistas at the Wolfe Glade and Holland Glade crossings provide spectacular views of the coastal marshes, and interpretive signs provide visitors with information about plant and animal life along the trail.

Please Note: Trail access in Lewes is from Kings Highway opposite the Cape Henlopen High School or from Gills Neck Road west of the entrance to the Hawks Eye community. Rehoboth Beach access is from Hebron Road just off Route 1. No parking is available at these access points.

### Gordons Pond Trail

Trail Width	Surface Type	Trail Grade	Accessible
Avg 9 Feet Min 8 Feet	Crushed Stone Elevated Bridge	Avg 1% Max 11%	- Yes

Beginning at the Gordons Pond parking area, visitors will follow a crushed stone trail suitable for hiking and biking along the water's edge for 0.75 miles before arriving at the Gordons Pond Scenic overlook. The overlook, popular among bird watchers, provides a great view of Gordons Pond. From the overlook, the trail continues north to the Herring Point Parking Area. Visitors will traverse an elevated bridge where they will experience an upland pine forest and stunning scenic views of the marsh and Atlantic Ocean.