



# Fort Stevens

**Reserve early!** Reserve campsites, yurts and group areas one day to nine months in advance by calling 1-800-452-5687. Campsites and yurts are also reservable through [www.oregonstateparks.org](http://www.oregonstateparks.org).

**Need to cancel** your reservation? Follow these guidelines: If your reservation is for today, call 503-861-1671. Otherwise, call 1-800-452-5687.

**Park Information:**  
1-800-551-6949  
[www.oregonstateparks.org](http://www.oregonstateparks.org)



## CAMPGROUND

One of the nation's largest public campgrounds, Fort Stevens lies next to the site of a military installation once used to guard the mouth of the Columbia River.

### Year-round Camping

- 150 full-hookup sites with sewer, electricity, and water (36 pull-through)
- 302 electrical sites with water (11 pull-through)
- 6 tent sites with water nearby
- 15 yurts (7 pet-friendly)
- 11 deluxe cabins (5 pet-friendly)
- Paved parking, picnic table, and fire ring at all sites
- Hiker/biker sites
- Flush toilets and hot showers
- RV dump station (300 feet east of ranger station)

**Note:** Up to two pets (cats and/or dogs only) are allowed in the pet-friendly facilities for an additional fee per night.

### Universal Access

Four campsites (#77, 78, 89 and 90 in the North loop), eight of the 11 cabins, and all but five yurts are accessible according to the Americans with Disabilities Act.

### Other Park Features

- Day-use area with access to miles of broad, sandy beach
- Two covered, reservable picnic shelters
- Freshwater lakes
- Nine miles of bike paths
- Ten miles of hiking trails
- Northern trailhead for the Oregon Coast Trail
- Wildlife viewing platforms

### 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).

### Driving on the Beach

Motor vehicles are prohibited on the beach from the Peter Iredale access point to the South Jetty from noon to midnight, May 1–Sept. 15. Motor vehicles are allowed year-round between the Peter Iredale access point and the Gearhart beach ramp. Maximum speed is 25 mph.

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.

### Ships, Waves, and Wildlife

Watch waves breaking and big ships crossing the famous Columbia River bar from the observation platform near the South Jetty on Clatsop Spit. Wildlife viewing platforms on Clatsop Spit, overlooking Trestle Bay, and near Swash Lake are excellent places for birdwatching. **Please note:** All dogs must be on a leash March 15–July 15 (or longer) on a short stretch of Clatsop Spit. Driving and vehicles are also prohibited. Look for signs.

Summertime programs include Junior Ranger activities, evening campfire presentations, and guided kayak tours.

### Explore the Historic Military Site

The Fort Stevens Military Reservation guarded the mouth of the Columbia River from the Civil War through World War II. Explore the gun batteries and climb to the commander's station for a view of the Columbia River and South Jetty.

**Military museum:** The Military Museum contains artifacts depicting the history of the fort. 503-861-2000.

**Guided tours:** Enjoy tours of the underground Battery Mishler and the back of a restored 1954 "deuce-and-a-half" army truck. Tours, special events, and museum services are courtesy of the nonprofit Friends of Old Fort Stevens.

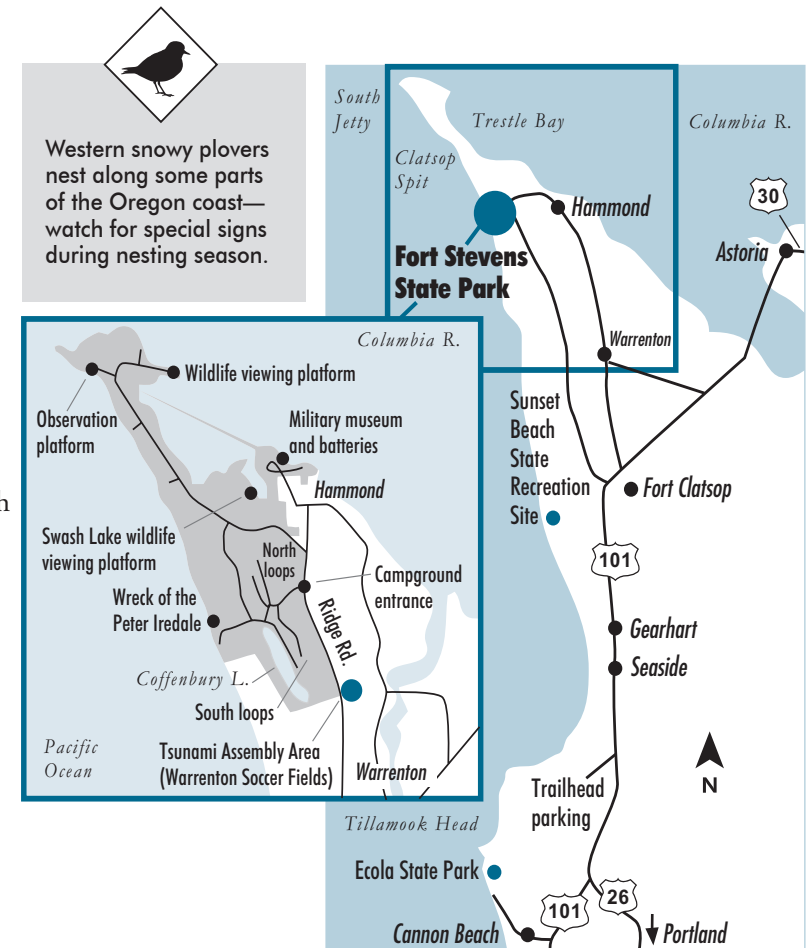
**Shipwreck remains:** The wreck of the Peter Iredale lies near the southern beach access parking area. The English sailing ship ran aground during a storm in 1906.

### More History Survives Nearby

Visit the Fort Clatsop unit of Lewis and Clark National Historical Park, where the Corps of Discovery spent the winter of 1805-06.

Astoria, the first permanent European-American settlement on the west coast, features Fort Astoria, a reconstructed fur-trading outpost; several museums, including the Columbia River Maritime Museum; and historic homes.

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](http://oregonstateparksfoundation.org).



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

### Visiting for the Day?

Fort Stevens State Park requires a day-use parking permit year-round to park in the Coffenbury Lake Day-use Area and at the Historic Military Site. You'll need to display a daily permit, a 12- or 24-month permit, an Oregon Pacific Coast Passport, or your camping receipt, which is valid for the days you are registered. Purchase a daily permit from vending machines in the park. The 12- and 24-month permits are sold online at [store.oregonstateparks.org](http://store.oregonstateparks.org) and at major state park offices.

Coffenbury Lake has two swimming areas, a picnic area, restrooms, and a boat ramp (please respect the 10 mph boating speed limit).

## Fort Stevens State Park

Off US 101, 10 miles W of Astoria  
100 Peter Iredale Road, Hammond, OR 97121  
503-861-1671

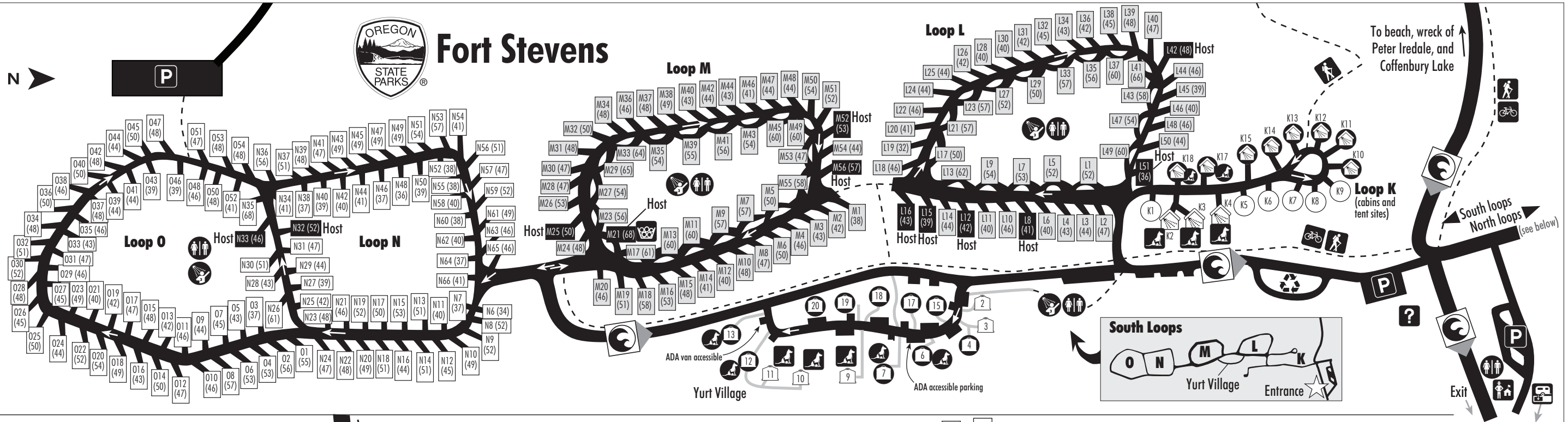


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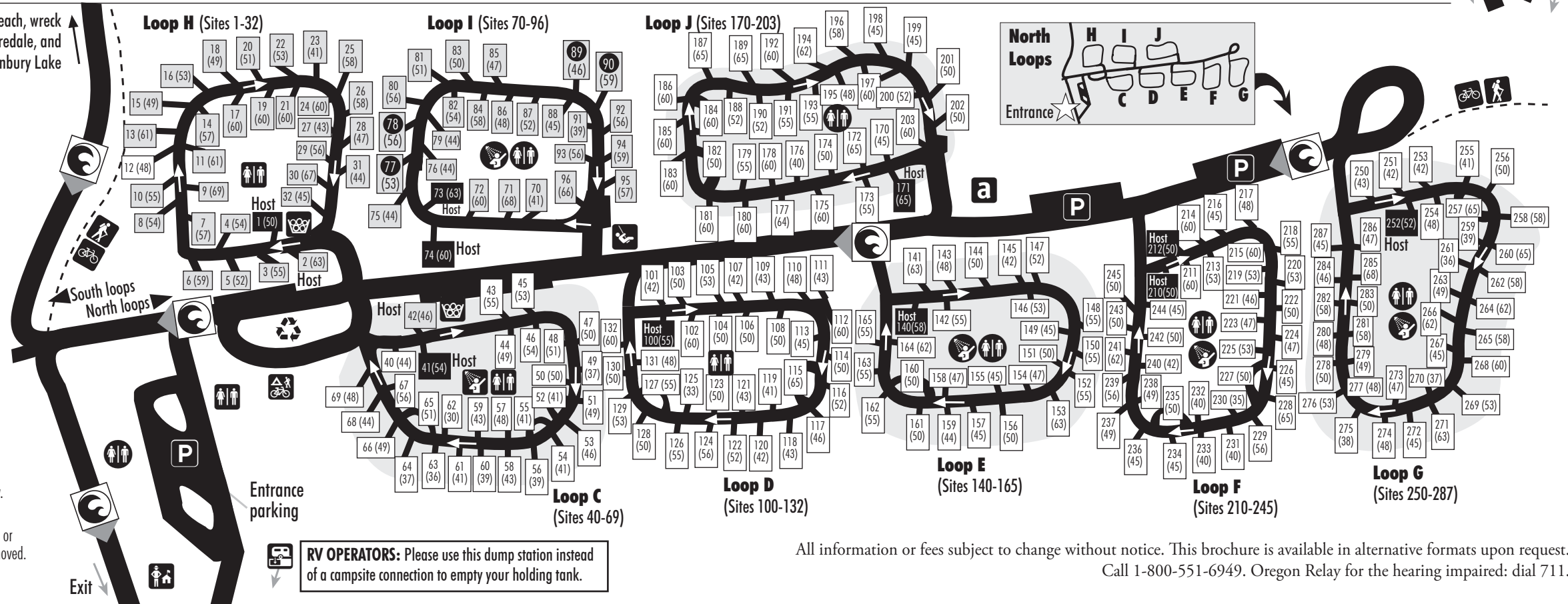
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- Full-hookup site (Max. site length in feet)
- Electric site (Max. site length in feet)
- Tent site
- Deluxe cabin
- Yurt
- Hiker/biker camp
- Accessible camping
- Pet-friendly facility
- Shower
- Restroom
- Ranger station
- Parking

- Information
- Firewood
- Amphitheater
- Playground
- RV dump station
- Recycling center
- Bike trail
- Walking trail
- Trails
- Yurt village footpath
- Tsunami evacuation route

- Campground quiet hours are between 10 p.m. and 7 a.m. A curfew for visitors under age 18 is in effect 12–5 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.
- Check-in** after 4 p.m., **Check-out** by 1 p.m.



**RV OPERATORS:** Please use this dump station instead of a campsite connection to empty your holding tank.

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.