

# State Parks & Hikes



## Best Time of Year:

Year-round

## Hours Open:

Best during daylight hours

**Cost:** Free

## Bring:

walking shoes, layered clothing, rain jacket and/or umbrella. You may want mosquito-repellent on some trails.

## Directions:

Please ask for our Peninsula Map with directions to each Park and Trailhead.

## For More Information:

Long Beach Peninsula Visitors Bureau  
1-800-451-2542 or funbeach.com

## State Parks of the Long Beach Peninsula

Fort Canby State Park - Day use, picnicking, beach access, camping, hiking trails, interpretive programs and facilities.

Fort Columbia State Park - Day use, picnicking, beach access, hiking trails, interpretive facility

Loomis Lake State Park - Day use, picnicking, beach access, fishing

Pacific Pines State Park - Day use, picnicking, beach access

Leadbetter Point State Park - Day use, beach access, bay access, hiking trails

## Hikes of the Long Beach Peninsula

**28-miles of sandy beach** and the extensive system of paths through the sensitive dune system offer an unending array of unique walking and hiking experiences.

**Long Beach Boardwalk and Discovery Trail through the Dunes** are easily accessible on the beach from either stoplight in Long Beach. See our info sheet for more information.

**The Trails at Fort Canby that make up the WA Coast Trail** (see our info sheet on Fort Canby Hiking):

Westwind Trail (1.0 mile) from Beards Hollow Parking Lot to North Head Lighthouse

North Head Lighthouse Trail (0.3 mile) from parking area, past lightkeepers residence to lighthouse

North Head Trail (1.4 mile) from parking area to paved road

McKenzie Head Trail (0.3 mile) continues from North Head trail to freshwater lagoon

Road Link Trail (0.4 mile) continues through the park and allows access to Waikiki Beach

Coastal Forest Trail (1.4 mile) loops through the park toward the Cape D. lighthouse

Discovery Trail (0.6 mile) to Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center

Cape Disappointment Lighthouse Trail (.7 mile) to the Cape D. Lighthouse.

**Benson Beach Trail** (.25 mile) at the end of the North Jetty Road at Fort Canby that ends at a viewing platform overlooking the Columbia River and Pacific Ocean.

**Battery 247 Trail** (0.2 mile) ascent from Fort Canby campsites road to a gun emplacement in the park.

**The Trails of Loomis Lake State Park** offer short and easy access to the beach.

**The Trails of Pacific Pines State Park** offer short and easy access to the beach.

**Leadbetter State Park Trails**, a series of relatively flat trails throughout the wildlife refuge of the State Park. See our info sheet on Leadbetter Point for details.

**The Trails of Fort Columbia State Park** offer some of the most breathtaking views and challenging hikes available locally. See our info sheet on Fort Columbia for details.

**Long Island Trails** are accessible only by canoe or kayak and offer old growth forests and a variety of wildlife.

## Walks of the Long Beach Peninsula

**Seaview Strollers Tour**, a 2-mile loop through the Victorian village of Seaview (Ask for our info sheet with a map and notes on each home of the tour.)

**Oysterville Walking Tour**, where the entire town is on the National Historic Register. (Ask for our info sheet with a map and notes on each home of the tour.)

