

Whale Watching

Beverly Beach is within just a few miles of six excellent year-round whale watching viewpoints:

- Cape Foulweather
- Devil's Punch Bowl State Natural Area
- Rocky Creek State Scenic Viewpoint
- Depoe Bay Seawall
- Boiler Bay State Scenic Viewpoint
- Yaquina Head

Stop by those sites during late December and mid-March for the annual Whale Watch Weeks. Trained volunteers will be there to help you spot Gray whales as they migrate in the thousands past Oregon's coast.

The Whale Watching Center, located just north of the U.S. Highway 101 bridge in Depoe Bay, is the hub for all things whales on the coast.

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.

More to See

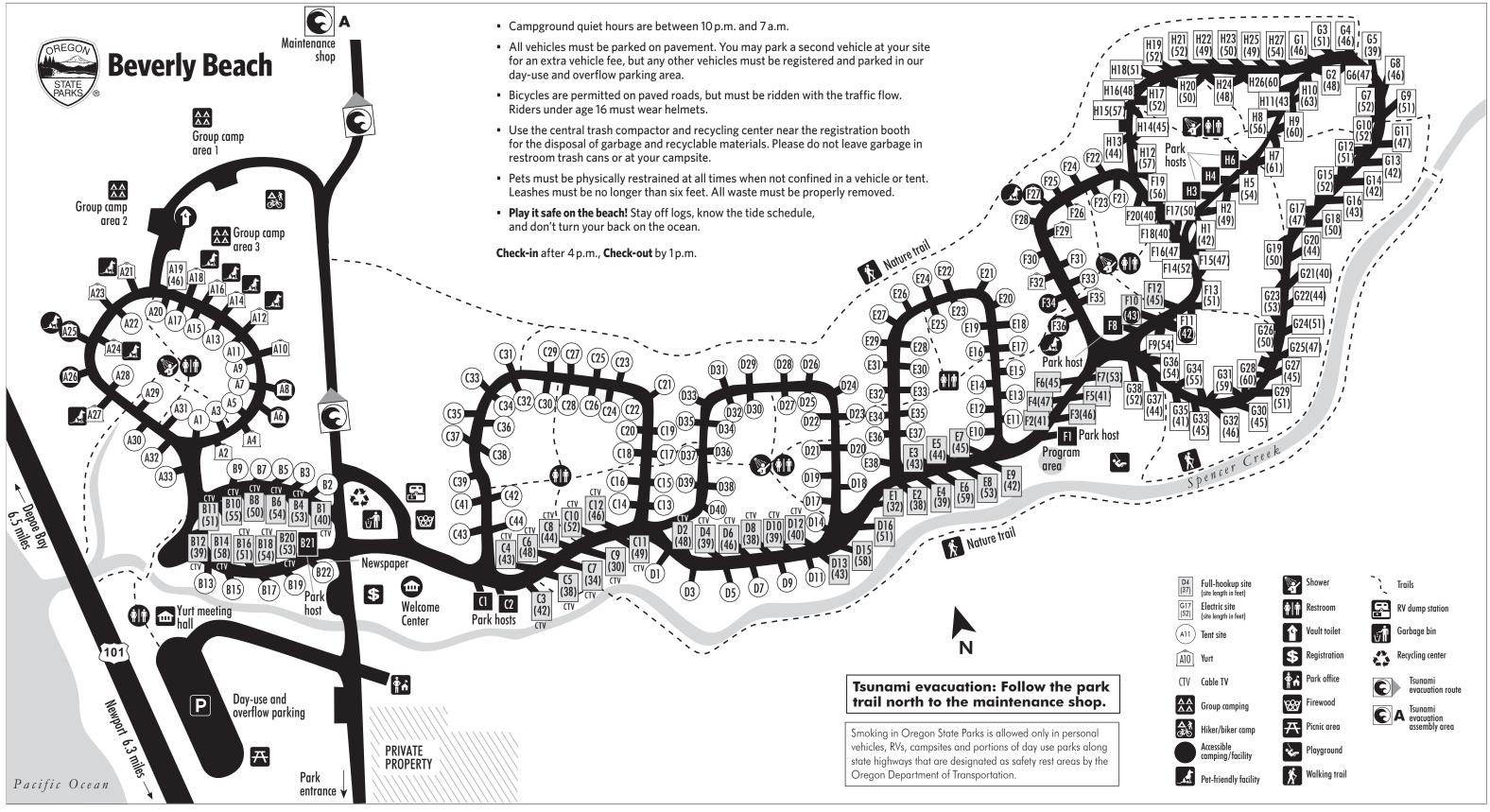
Yaquina Head Outstanding Natural

Area features trails, tidepools, a visitor center and close-up views of seabird nesting sites. Tours of the Yaquina Head lighthouse are offered during July and August only. Reserve your spot ahead of time via recreation.gov.

Newport offers charter boats, launching and moorage facilities, and boat and equipment rentals. Crabbing and clamming are popular activities. The historic bayfront has restaurants, shopping, art galleries, a maritime museum, and a waxworks.

On the south side of the bay, the Oregon Coast Aquarium showcases the beauty and diversity of sea life along the Oregon coast. Nearby, the Mark O. Hatfield Marine Science Center has marine displays created by Oregon State University scientists. Newport's Seafood and Wine Festival is a popular event in late February. The city also stages a Fourth of July fireworks show.

Depoe Bay, north of Cape Foulweather, has boating facilities, a charter boat fleet, and a spouting horn, which emits a geyser-like spray when ocean waves surge into the tunneled rock formations.



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