

Coastal Access Guide for the Town of Orleans, Massachusetts

Welcome to the town of Orleans! In an effort to provide information to the general public regarding our town and its coastal resources and facilities, the following guide has been developed. The map on the left indicates Orleans' town landings and other shoreline access points, and below is a description of each landing and access point. We hope that you will enjoy all that Orleans has to offer and that you will help us in our efforts to keep the shoreline and waters safe and clean for all to enjoy!

COASTAL ACCESS GUIDE MAP KEY				
Number	Landing Name	# Parking Spaces	Launch Ramp (Y/N)	Additional Notes
1	Snow Shore/Seal Lane	12	N	Access to Nauset Harbor Estuary. No trailer parking.
2	Mill Pond	4-5	Y	Access to Nauset Harbor Estuary.
3	Robert's Cove	4-5	N	Access to Nauset Harbor Estuary.
4	Doane Road	6	N	Access to Nauset Harbor Estuary.
5	Priscilla Beach	8	N	Access to Nauset Harbor Estuary. Scenic views of Tern Island and Nauset Beach.
6	Harvey's Lane	1-2	N	Footpath access to fresh water pond.
7	Sparrowhawk Road	3-5	N	Access to Pleasant Bay Estuary and Pochet Bay. Scenic views of salt marshes and Nauset Beach.
8	Briar Springs Road	1-2	N	Footpath access to Pleasant Bay Estuary and Pochet Bay.
9	Gilman Lane	1-2	N	Footpath access to Pleasant Bay Estuary and Pochet Bay.
10	Barley Neck Road	8-10	N	Footpath access to Pleasant Bay Estuary and Pochet Bay.
11	Namequoit Road/ Pah Wah Pond	3-4	N	Footpath access to Pah Wah Pond, Pleasant Bay Estuary, and adjacent Pah Wah Recreation Area. Additional parking available at the Recreation Area.
12	Portanimitcut Road/ Pah Wah Pond	8-10	Y	Access to Pleasant Bay Estuary. Public dockage facility.
13	Quanset Pond	8	Y	Access to Pleasant Bay Estuary.
14	Route 28	8	N	Access to Pleasant Bay Estuary. Scenic views of Big Bay and Nauset Beach.
15	Arey's Pond	2	N	Footpath access to Pleasant Bay Estuary.
16	Pilgrim Lake/Herring Brook Road	20	N	Access to freshwater lake. Public swimming area.
17	Kescayogansett Pond	2	N	Footpath access to Lonnie's Pond and Pleasant Bay Estuary. Also the location of local herring run.
18	Kescayogansett Pond	3-5	Y	Access to Lonnie's Pond and Pleasant Bay Estuary.
19	Crystal Lake/Monument Rd.	12	N	Access to freshwater lake. Public swimming area.
20	Crystal Lake/Route 28	6	Y	Access to freshwater lake.
21	River Road	12-15	Y	Access to Meetinghouse River and Pond and Pleasant Bay Estuary. Public dockage facility.
22	Meetinghouse Pond/ Barley Neck Road	20	Y	Access to Meetinghouse River and Pond and Pleasant Bay Estuary. Public swimming area. Public dockage facility.
23	Cove Road	15-18	Y	Access to Town Cove and Nauset Harbor Estuary. Public dockage facility.
24	Goose Hummock	15-20	Y	Access to Town Cove and Nauset Harbor Estuary. Public dockage facility.
25	Rock Harbor	75	Y	Access to Cape Cod Bay. Home to the Rock Harbor Charter Fishing Fleet. Scenic views of Cape Cod Bay and salt marshes.
26	Gibson Road (a)	1	N	Footpath access to Town Cove and Nauset Harbor Estuary.
27	Asa's Landing	6	N	Access to Town Cove and Nauset Harbor Estuary.
28	Gibson Road (b)	1	N	No access at present.
29	Tonset Road	6-8	N	Footpath access to Town Cove and Nauset Harbor Estuary.