

While visiting the preserve please do not forget to visit the lodge, artisian swimming pool, livery stable and other cultural features located throughout the property.



HOURS

The preserve is open year round every day from 7am to 6pm except Thanksgiving and Christmas days.

Tours of the lodge are offered every Friday, Saturday and Sunday at 2pm weather permitting.

CAMPING

Primitive campsites are available for equestrian, private and group camping. For more information or to reserve a site please call (386) 313-4020.

DIRECTIONS

From I-95 take exit 298 US1 south. From US1 take 1st left onto Old Kings Rd. and turn left at park sign onto Princess Place Rd.

PRINCESS PLACE PRESERVE 2500 PRINCESS PLACE RD. PALM COAST, FL 32137





Equestrian Trails: 6.2 combined miles of beautiful natural wooded paradise starting at the Equine camping area. Smaller loop trail off main trail offers an additional .6 mi.

Hominy Branch: 2.5 mi. The trail takes you through a lush canopy of live oaks with an abundance of indigenous plants and animals. Trailhead: N 29°38'53.85 W 81°15'05.68"

Orange Trail and Loop: 1.5 mi. The Orange Trail begins at the "Hill" group camping area and proceeds through a stand of long leaf pines. There are two observation decks overlooking Pellicier Creek and a freshwater marsh. To enhance the distance of this particular trail, you can travel 1/2 mile on the Orange Loop.

Trailhead: N 29°29'13.11" W 081°14'58.61"

Yellow Trail: .9 mi. This trail winds through a saltwater marsh and briefly skirts a hardwood swamp.

Trail Head: N 29°39'24.58" W 81°14'44.07"

Purple Trail: 1.2 mi. Located northwest of the Lodge, this trail runs along the banks of the Pellicier Creek and merges with the Blue Trail before it brings you back to the main parking area.

Trailhead: N 29°39'32.85" W 81°14'20.44"

Blue Trail: .7 mi. An ADA accessible trail, the blue trail begins and ends in a mature oak forest and takes you to a saltwater marsh at the banks of Styles and Pellicer Creeks.

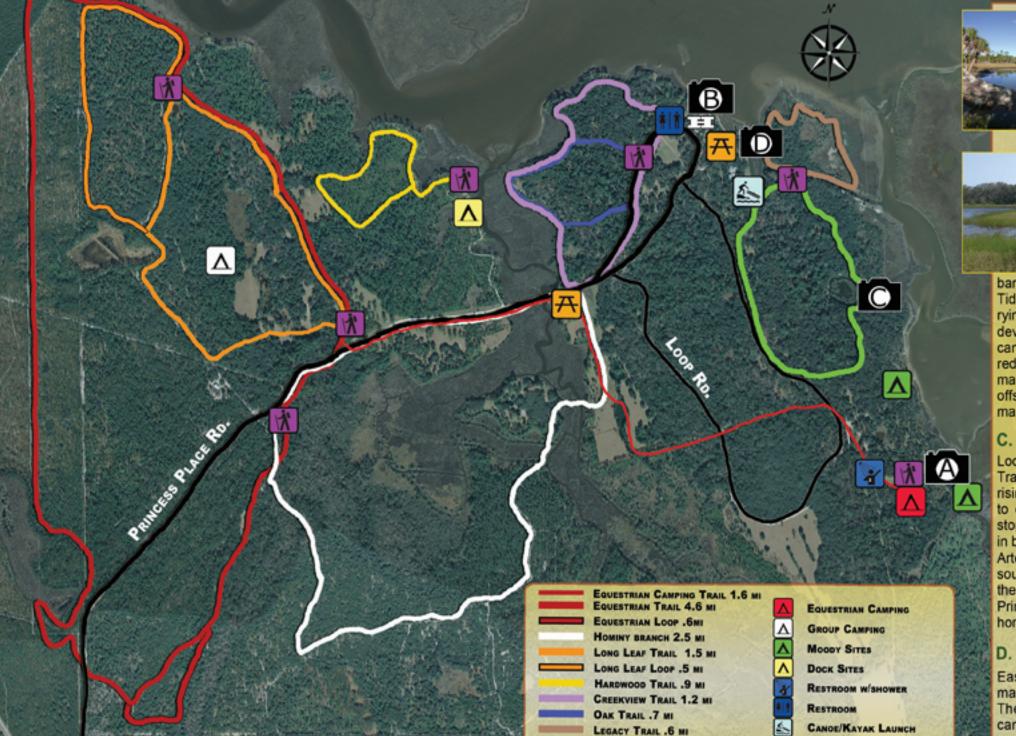
Trailhead: N 29°39'28.47"W 81°14' 21.84"

Legacy Trail: .6 mi. From the mainland, across a bridge and around the perimeter of Legacy Island where you will see amazing views of the bay and surrounding estuaries.

Trailhead: N 29°39'26.25"W 081°14'03.59"

Green Trail: 1.1 mi. This walk takes you through a pristine hardwood swamp past an artesian spring fed pond, home to a bird rookery. Trailhead: N 29°39'25.47" W 081°14'03.75"





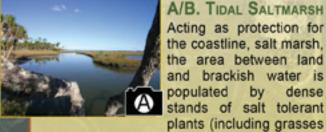
ARTESIAN TRAIL 1.1 MI

HISTORIC BUILDINGS

ROADS

PICNIC AREA

TRAILHEAD



the coastline, salt marsh, the area between land and brackish water is populated by dense stands of salt tolerant plants (including grasses and shrubs) providing a perfect nursery for fish and shellfish. The plants that inhabit the salt marsh have extensive root systems which enable them to withstand brief storms creating a

barrier buffering the impact on upland areas. Tidal creeks meander through the marshes carrying nutrients as well as pollutants from upland development. Salt marshes act as filters and can absorb, or trap, some of these pollutants, reducing the load entering estuaries. Salt marshes also prevent sediments from washing offshore, creating more land on which salt marshes can grow.

C. ARTESIAN SPRING

Located along the Green
Trail is an arttesian spring
rising through the aquifer
to create a peaceful rest
stop perfect for reflection
in beautiful surroundings.
Artesian water provides a
source of fresh water for
the many animals making
Princess Place their
home.

D. LIVE OAK STAND

East of Pellicer Creek many live oaks grow. These oaks create a canopy for local birds and squirrels and can reach 80' in height.



