

SOUTH CAROLINA'S HUNTING ISLAND STATE PARK

Hunting Island is South Carolina's single most popular state park, attracting more than a million human visitors a year.

Also attracted to the semi-tropical barrier island is an array of wildlife, ranging from loggerhead sea turtles to painted buntings, barracudas to sea horses, alligators, pelicans, dolphins and deer, raccoons, Eastern diamondback rattlesnakes and even the rare coral snake.

What they all enjoy is five miles of beach, thousands of acres of marsh, tidal creeks and maritime forest, a saltwater lagoon and ocean inlet.

Amenities include a fishing pier and some of the state's most desirable campsites and cabins.

Adding to the natural history of the big park is a piece of man-made history: South Carolina's only publicly accessible historic lighthouse. Dating from the 1870s, the Hunting Island Lighthouse shoots 170 feet into the air, giving those who scale its heights a breathtaking view of the sweeping Lowcountry marshland and the Atlantic Ocean.



Counties: Beaufort

Acreage: 5000

Pets: Pets are not allowed in the cabins or the cabin areas. Pets are allowed in most other outdoor areas provided they are kept under physical restraint or on a leash not longer than six feet.

Admissions: \$5/adult; \$3.25/SC seniors; \$3/child age 6-15; Free for children 5 and younger.

Driving Directions:

From I-95: Take Hwy 21 E. toward Beaufort. Drive 42 mi. Hwy 21 ends at the park.

Lodging: 1 Cabin fully furnished.

GPS Coordinates: Long: 80° 26' 18.88"W , Lat: 32° 23' 26.15"N

Park Facilities and Activities:

- Bike Trail
- Birding
- Boating
- Camping: Tent Sites (10), Standard Sites (178), ADA sites (2), Primitive Group sites (3)
- Education Center
- (Seasonal) Equestrian Beach Access
- Fishing
- Hiking
- Nature Trails
- Paddling



- Park Store (Campground)
- Lighthouse Gift Shop
- Picnic Area/Picnic Shelter
- Playground (Campground)



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Office Hours: M-Fri 9am-5pm, Sat & Sun 11am-5pm

Park Hours: M-Sun 6am-6pm (extended to 9pm during Daylight Savings Time)