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Walkable Destinations: From the convention you should be able to walk here.

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Drive-To Destinations: You'll need access to a car to get to these awesome locations.







Time to Walk

To: 23 Minutes

Website

Clark's Pond and Red Brook

Trails: The Clark's Pond and Red Brook Trail combine to offer a beautiful woodland escape with scenic overlooks literally moments away from suburban shopping centers of the Maine Mall area. A paved path means this can be enjoyed by all abilities.

Entrance: Southern end of Home Depot parking lot. See signs.

Address: Home Depot: 300 Clarks Pond Pkwy, South Portland, ME 04106



Oceanfront Park

Driving Distance: 16
Minutes

Website

Bug Light Park: Bug Light Park, the eastern terminus of the Greenbelt Walkway, offers expansive views of Portland Harbor and the skyline of Maine's largest city. The 8.78 acre park was the site of major shipbuilding activity during WWII.

Hours: 6AM-9PM

Address: 40 Madison Street, South Portland, ME 04106





0.5 Miles Woodland

Time to Walk To: 10 Minutes

Website

South Branch Trails: This wooded trail network is at the heart of the South Portland mall and shopping district and connects, via wooded trails along a brook, the Maine Mall area with Clark's Pond Plaza.

Entrance: Start at the pocket park on the east side of Philbrook Avenue/Maine Mall Parking lot where the trail leaves from a gate a little further south.

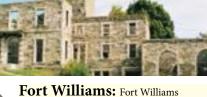
Address: JC Penney Parking lot between mall and TJ Maxx stores, along curved roadway.



Ocean & Stone Buildings

Driving
Distance: 19
Minutes

Website



Fort Williams: Fort Williams
Park—90 acres of rugged beauty on Casco
Bay—is owned and operated by the Town of
Cape Elizabeth. Here you can visit the iconic
Portland Head Light and Museum, relish
awe-inspiring ocean views, wander diverse
natural environments, play on recreational
sites, and discover ruins from a long maritime and military history.

Hours: 8AM-6PM

Address: 1000 Shore Rd, Cape Elizabeth, ME 04107

Other Highlights:

Beaches: Old Orchard Beach, Scarborough Beach State Park, Willard Beach, Crescent Beach, Two Lights, Kettle Cove

Hiking Trails: Back Cove Trails, Macworth Island, Jewell Falls, Fore River Sanctuary, Cascade Falls Park, Hinkley Park

Summer Photo Spots: Portland Head Light, Longfellow Gardens, Lobsterman Park, Custom House Wharf

Two Hours away but EPIC: Giant Troll Exhibit! At the Coastal Botanical Gardens in Maine!





Forest & Stone Buildings

Driving Distance: 15
Minutes

Website

Riverton Trolley Park: This lovely riverfront trail sits on fascinating and historic ruins. In the late nineteenth century, Riverton Trolley Park welcomed throngs of people from the city who paid five cents to take the trolley from Portland. The park featured an outdoor amphitheater, croquet court, boat rides, a trout pond, a "casino" building by John Calvin Stevens, and scenic pathways.

Hours: Open 24 Hours

Address: 822 Riverside St, Portland, ME 04103

Things to Remember

Make sure to check for ticks after outside outing.

Stay hydrated of water.

Bring a friend, or make sure someone knows where you are!

Stay hydrated and drink lots of water.



Even if it's cloudy: make sure to apply sunscreen.