Pocahontas State Park is located in Chesterfield, VA about 20 miles south of the city of Richmond. The address is 10301 State Park Road and can be found at the intersection of Beach Road and State Park Road. There are seven separate trails here that cover a range of rider skills from beginner to very advanced. These trails are split up into two sections: the color coded trails and the Lakeview Trails. In addition to these single track trails there is also a network of dirt roads which is not covered in this pamphlet. The park has a Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) museum, swimming pool, hiking trails, picnic shelters, and a variety of camping sites.

Admission Fees As this is a state park, there is an admittance fee. This is per vehicle parking and is \$2 on weekdays and \$3 on weekends and is payable at the main gate. A season pass to all Virginia State Parks is also available.

Parking There are several parking areas to access the park, however, the best option for mountain bike trail access is to enter through the main entrance off of Beach Road, head a mile and a half north on State Park Road, cross over a bridge, then park in the CCC museum parking lot on the left hand side of the road. This places you roughly in the middle between the color coded trails and the Lakeview Trails.

Color Coded Trails These 4 trails are the older trails in the park and are all rode counter clockwise. The Box Turtle Trail is blazed green and circles the other color coded trails. This is the easiest single track trail in the park. The Tall Oaks Trail is blazed blue and weaves back and forth through the western side of the color coded trails. This trail is rated as intermediate and features some steep sections, log crossings, and tight turns. The green and blue trails merge for the last mile and are blazed as both blue and green. There are two trails blazed as red. The Morel Ravine Trail is on the eastern side of the color coded trails and has one red diamond as its blaze. This is an advanced trail and has many rock gardens, uphill log crossings, and other technical features. The Lil' West VA trail is accessed off of the blue trail and is blazed as a double red diamond. This trail is the hardest in the park. There are advanced man made features like teeter-totters, log skinnies, narrow wooden bridges, and extensive rock gardens. This is only for the very advanced rider.

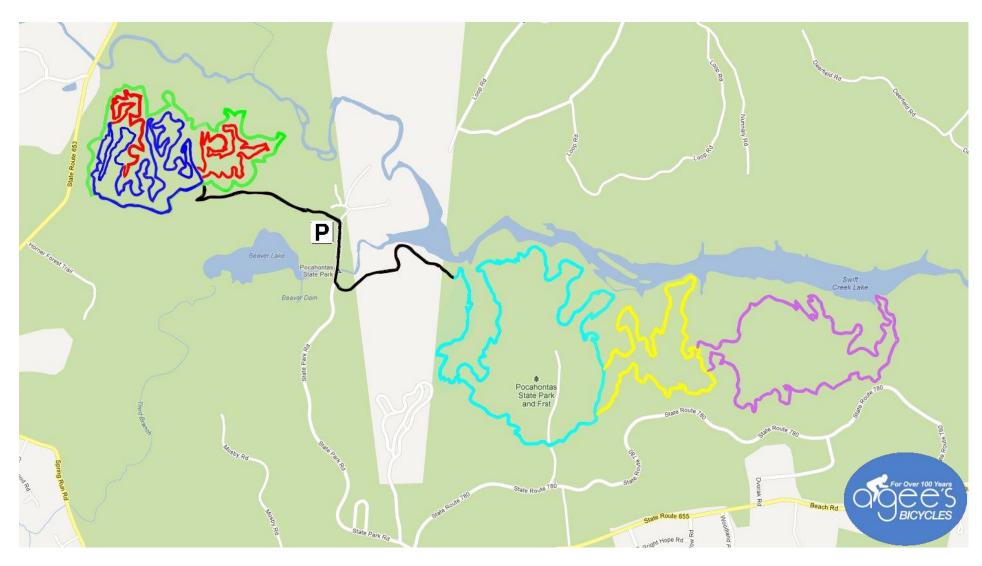
Lakeview Trails The Lakeview Trails are a newer addition to the park. They run along the length of Swift Creek Lake and are all rated as intermediate trails. There are three loops here that can be combined to form one large loop. All of these trails are ridden clockwise. There are occasionally forks in the trail with a blue blazed side and red blazed side. These generally feature optional rock gardens on the red side and will soon merge back together.



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Mountain Bike Trails

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Legend:

- -- Morel Ravine (east) (1.8 miles)
- -- Lil' West VA (west) (1.1 miles)
- -- Box Turtle (2.7 miles)
- -- Tall Oaks (4.3 miles)

- -- Lakeview I (5 miles)
- -- Lakeview II (3.4 miles)
- -- Lakeview III (3.2 miles)
- P CCC Museum and parking