



 Sarasota County



## WELCOME

Hours: 6 a.m. to Sunset

The Legacy Trail is a non-motorized multi-use trail, just under 20 miles in length, and extends from Venice to downtown Sarasota. Formerly a railroad corridor, the trail passes through a variety of unique habitats and includes a series of interpretive signs and stop stations. Multiple trailheads provide access and other amenities.

The Legacy Trail has several connecting trails including the Venetian Waterway Park, and the North Port Connector via surface road pedestrian facilities such as bikes lanes.

## GET INVOLVED – VOLUNTEER!

There are a variety of volunteer opportunities available with Sarasota County Parks, Recreation and Natural Resources. For more information, visit [scgov.net/volunteer](http://scgov.net/volunteer) or call 311.

## LEAVE NO TRACE

We all have a responsibility to be good stewards. If you pack it in, remember to pack it out.

## TRAIL ETIQUETTE AND RULES

To ensure everyone's safety and enjoyment, remember the three "Cs" of trail use: courtesy, consideration and control.

- Speed limit 15 mph.
- Warn before passing.
- Pass left – single file.
- 3-foot clearance when passing.
- Bicycles yield to all others.
- Do not block the trail.
- Always stop and use crossing signals at road intersections.
- Motorized vehicles are prohibited (*e-bikes allowed*).

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## THE LEGACY TRAIL TRAILHEADS

### Venice Train Depot

303 E. Venice Ave., Venice

Open 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.



### Patriots Park

800 Venetia Bay Blvd., Venice

Open 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.



### Nokomis Riverview Park

251 Riverview Drive S., Nokomis

Open 6 a.m. to Sunset



### Nokomis Community Park

234 Nippino Trail E., Nokomis

Open 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.



### Laurel Park and Sandra Sims Terry Community Center

509 Collins Road, Laurel

Open 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.



### Oscar Scherer State Park

1843 S. Tamiami Trail, Osprey

Open 8 a.m. to Sunset (*Entrance fee required*)



### Osprey Junction Trailhead

939 E. Bay St., Osprey

Open 6 a.m. to Sunset



### Legacy Trail Access-McIntosh Road

7905 McIntosh Road, Sarasota

Open 6 a.m. to Sunset



### Culverhouse Nature Park

7301 McIntosh Road, Sarasota

Open 6 a.m. to Sunset



### Ashton Trailhead

4301 Ashton Road, Sarasota

Open 6 a.m. to Sunset



### Sarasota Springs Trailhead

4012 Webber St., Sarasota

Open 6 a.m. to Sunset



### Pompano Trailhead

601 S. Pompano Ave., Sarasota

Open 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.



### Payne Park

2010 Adams Lane, Sarasota

Open 7 a.m. to 10 p.m.



## VENETIAN WATERWAY PARK TRAILHEADS

### VABI (Venice Area Beautification, Inc.) Office

257 N. Tamiami Trail, Venice

Open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.



### Caspersen Beach Park (Closed temporarily)

4100 Harbor Drive, Venice

Open 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.



### Shamrock Park and Nature Center

3900 Shamrock Drive, Venice

Open 6 a.m. to Sunset



### Skip Stasko Park

2101 Scenic Drive, Venice

Open 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.



Parking is available at trailheads.



Basketball



Bike repair station



Birding/Wildlife viewing



Canoe/Kayak launch



Community garden



Disc golf



Dog-friendly (dogs must be leashed)



Drinking water



Fishing pier



Fitness equipment (outdoor)



Indoor rental



Nature center



Pickleball



Picnicking



Playground



Restroom



Tennis



Trail - paved



Trail - unpaved



Volleyball



# the LEGACY trail



## PUBLIC TRANSIT

Learn more about the public transit routes and schedule by scanning the **QR code** or by visiting [scgov.net](http://scgov.net).



The Legacy Trail and Venetian Waterway Park feature 911 Emergency Location Markers, located on the center of the trail every 0.10 miles. In an emergency, call 911 and provide them with the location number (e.g., LT 0.00).



## NORTH PORT CONNECTOR

Learn more about The Legacy Trail's connection to North Port by scanning the **QR code** or by visiting [SarasotaCountyParks.com](http://SarasotaCountyParks.com).

**THE LEGACY TRAIL**

**VENETIAN WATERWAY PARK**

**SURFACE ROAD**  
**ROUTE TO NORTH PORT CONNECTIONS**

**STOP STATIONS**

**TRAILHEADS**  
(Restrooms available)

**PARKS**

**STATE LANDS**

**SARASOTA COUNTY**

**MUNICIPALITIES**



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