

Difficulty: Moderate to challenging, some steep in-

The PF2BAY Trail connects the Prince Frederick Town Center to the Chesapeake Bay Overlook, crossing a variety of terrain from ridge tops to stream valleys. The overlook view is best in fall and winter.

3 One-Way Hike Options on PF2BAY

(Leave a 2nd car at the North Side Trailhead)

1. Markers: P1 > P20 > PC1; Distance: 7.7 miles

2. Markers: P1 > P14 > PC5 > PC2 > PC1; Distance: 6.6

3. Markers: P1 > P14 > PC7 > PC1; Distance: 4.5 miles

Horse Swamp to Bay Overlook

Markers: PC1 > P20

Distance (each way): 1.63 miles Difficulty: Moderate to challenging

Offers a shorter hike to see the beautiful Chesa-

peake Bay and Parkers Creek.

Markers: PC1 > PC2

Distance (each way): 0.63 miles Difficulty: Easy, gentle incline

Turkey Spur:

Markers: PC2 > PC3

Distance (each way): 0.31 miles Difficulty: Moderate, 1 steep hill

Beautiful views of Parkers Creek all the way

to the Bay.

Parkers Creek Trail:

Markers: PC2 > PC5

Distance (each way): 1.39 miles

Difficulty: Easy

Wanders in and out of the wood line with

stunning views of Parkers Creek.

Parkers Creek Road Trail:

Markers: PC5 > PC7

Distance (each way): 1.15 miles

Difficulty: Moderate

Griffin Meadow Trail

Markers: PC1 > H3 > PC1 Distance (full loop): 0.95 miles

Difficulty: Easy

The trail traverses the border between the forest and the North Side meadows with views of Double Oak Farm, bluebird boxes, and the Food Forest.

North—South Trail

Markers: PC6 > 5

Distance (each way): 2.4 miles

Difficulty: Challenging

Enjoy the challenge of steep hills, a raft across Parkers Creek, and 6 stream crossings.

Holly Hill Trail

Markers: H1 > H3

North - South

Distance (each way): 1.96 miles Difficulty: Moderate, some inclines From the west, the trail connects to the PF2Bay Trail and crosses Double Oak Road, leading along and through farm fields. The recently-stabilized, historic Holly Hill Barn is open to the public and contains interpretive signs describing its history and construction. The trail continues through the woods and ends at the Griffin Meadow Trail.

Double Oak Road Trail

Life Center)

Markers: PC7 > PC4

Distance (each way): 1.0 mile Difficulty: Easy with 1 steep incline

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ACLT is a member-supported nonprofit nature conservancy working to protect the natural lands, waterways, cultural landmarks, & wildlife habitats of the Parkers Creek & Governors Run watersheds & to encourage conservation & preservation throughout Southern Maryland.

Frog Pond Trail Markers: 1 > 14 > 3

Distance (each way): 0.52 miles

Difficulty: Easy

Winds past the frog pond through hardwood forest.

Ridge Loop Markers: 1 through 13 > 1

Distance (full loop): 1.41 miles

Difficulty: Moderate with one steep hill

Known for its native spring wildflowers, including blood-

root and spring beauty.

Flint Trail Markers: 11 > 22 > 7

Distance (each way): 0.87 miles Difficulty: Easy to moderate

Follows a small stream to a beaver pond. Named for Dr. Oliver Flint, a founding member of ACLT's Board of Directors, who also built this trail.

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Laurel Loop Markers: L1 through L6 > L1

Distance (full loop): 1.07 miles Difficulty: Moderate, some hills

Traverses woods rich in mountain laurel, which blooms in

early summer.

Karen's Trail Markers: L2 > E9

Distance (each way): 0.6 miles

Difficulty: Moderate, some steep hills

Named for long-time ACLT Executive Director Karen

Edgecombe.

East Loop Markers: E1 through E10 > E1

Distance (full loop): 2.01 miles Difficulty: Easy to moderate

The trail is located on the opposite side of Scientists Cliffs Road. Some parking available by marker L5. **Off-road bi-**

cycling permitted on this trail.

Secondary Trails A—Wallace Lane

Markers: 2 > 10 Easy, 0.13 miles

The site of an African American-owned farm active from 1909 to the 1930s. The trail passes the Lemuel Wallace farmhouse and a corn crib.

B—Chestnut Trail

Marker: 4 Easy, 0.1 miles

The location of ACLT's namesake
American chestnut tree, whose
main stem blew down in 2006.
When ACLT was founded in 1986,
this tree was the largest surviving
American chestnut in Maryland.
The Hance-Chesley
was restored by the
Garden Club and A
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ting back to 1812.

C—Cemetery Lane

Marker: 19
Easy, 0.16 miles
The Hance-Chesley Cemetery
was restored by the Calvert
Garden Club and ACLT volunteers. It has headstones da-

D—Hughes Trail

Marker: 8
Easy, 0.12 miles
This ridge-top trail
is named in
memory of past
ACLT President
Aileen Hughes and
ends at a bench.

Trave

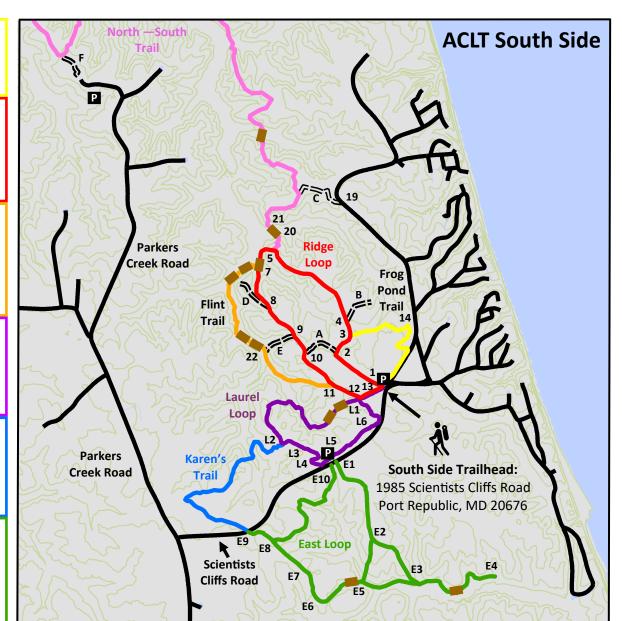
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E—Less Traveled Path

Markers: 9 > 22 Moderate incline, 0.2 miles Connects Ridge Loop and Flint Trail.

F—Spur to North—South Trail Easy, 0.1 miles

A shortcut to the raft with fewer hills. Park in the Wildlife Management Area lot near the end of Parkers Creek Rd. The trail starts beyond the gate at the end of the road. To reach the raft, turn left where the spur meets the North-South Trail and continue for 0.5 miles.





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ACLT TRAIL RULES

- All visitors are requested to use the QR Codes at the kiosks located at every trailhead.
- Per Calvert County law, <u>DOGS MUST BE</u>
 <u>LEASHED AT ALL TIMES</u>. Citations may be issued. Please be considerate of other trail users by cleaning up after your pet.
- 3. Trails are open from dawn to dusk. No overnight parking without prior approval.
- Bicycling is allowed on the East Loop Trail only. Motorized vehicles and horses are prohibited.
- Stay on the trail at all times. The trails have been designed to minimize erosion and avoid damage to sensitive areas.