

## **Tuckahoe State Park Trail Descriptions**

Tuckahoe Fitness Trail - 1.72 miles - Easy

Explore a 30-year-old Loblolly Pine plantation on this natural surface trail. There are 28 animal-related physical fitness stations along the trail.

Lake Trail - 0.67 miles - Easy

This trail has a variety of terrain for the hiker or biker (no equestrians permitted). As you pass a flooded woodland, expect to see wood ducks and mallards, as well as many song birds. The natural surface trail is not suitable for strollers.

Lore of the Land Trail: Sensory Trail - 0.47 miles - Easy

This sensory trail was designed for those who are differently-abled to explore safely but still have a challenge (length). Stations along the way encourage people to explore nature with various senses. The entire trail is wide enough for someone to walk with an aide and there is a guide rope to make navigation clear. No bicycles.

Tuckahoe Valley Trail - 3.54 miles - Easy

Enjoy easy walking amidst mature forests of beech and poplar. Several stream crossings are required. The section of the trail within the boundaries of the Adkins Arboretum is lightly marked. Wet sections of this trail are marked accessible to hikers and bikers only.

Tuckahoe Office Spur Trail (White blaze with blue dot) - 0.50 miles - Easy

From the park office/visitor center, walk through history as you view barns, the original millstone, and the park office is an old homestead. A small pond along the trail is home to spring peepers, toads, and herons.

Arboretum Spur Trail (White blaze with red dot) - .2 miles - Easy

This trail travels through a thinned pine plantation. As sunlight reaches the understory, observe wildflowers, young trees and shrubs growing in the clearings. A small stream passes along the edge of the trail in a mature thicket of briars, vines and trees, providing excellent cover and food for wildlife.

Creek-Side Clift Trail - 1.28 miles - Easy

Meandering along Tuckahoe Creek's high banks, this more remote trail offers a variety of challenging terrain. Observe old foundations and fencerows of a settlement abandoned long ago. Reaching the high banks of the river, enjoy a nice view of the flooded woodland below.

Piney Branch Loop Trail - 0.3 miles - Easy

This trail meanders along Piney Branch with occasional views of a flooded woodland where beaver, wood ducks and song birds are often spotted.

Equestrian Cutoff Trail - 0.92 miles - Easy

This trail is suitable for all trail users. Pass a shelter built for campers on the American Discovery Trail.

Greiner's Fishing Trail - 0.37 miles - Easy

As you head into the woods, take care to remain on the old roadbed, as the nearby field is private property. This trail reaches a grassy area along the river, providing excellent fishing access. A bridge over the creek provides access to the Tuckahoe Valley Trail.

Pee Wee's Trail - 1.9 miles - Easy

This single-track trail begins by following an old field that is returning to forest. Connect this trail to Greiner's Fishing Trail and the Tuckahoe Valley Trail for an adventure-some loop.

Wilbur's Cutoff Trail - 0.21 miles - Easy

A shortcut when conditions are muddy closer to the creek.

Anna's Trail - 3.07 miles - Easy

This wide gravel trail is very level and suitable for strollers and wheelchairs with large wheels. Start at the Arboretum parking lot or the Park Office lot and travel past open meadows, new freshwater wetlands, and a pine forest. Benches along the way provide rest stops.

Huckleberry Trail - 0.82 miles - Easy

This trail winds through the quiet stream valley behind the campground and eventually intersects with the sensory trail.

Equestrian Loop Trail - 0.77 miles - Easy

Next to an agricultural field you may spy a hunting red tailed hawk or perhaps some deer grazing.

Sandtown Trail - 2.82 miles - Easy

This forested scenic trail offers sweeping views of the creek down below. It eventually crosses the former railroad trestle bridge.

Fishing path. - 0.1 miles - Easy

Park at the lake's boat ramp and enjoy a short paved ADA path to an ADA fishing platform that extends out over beautiful Tuckahoe Lake.