

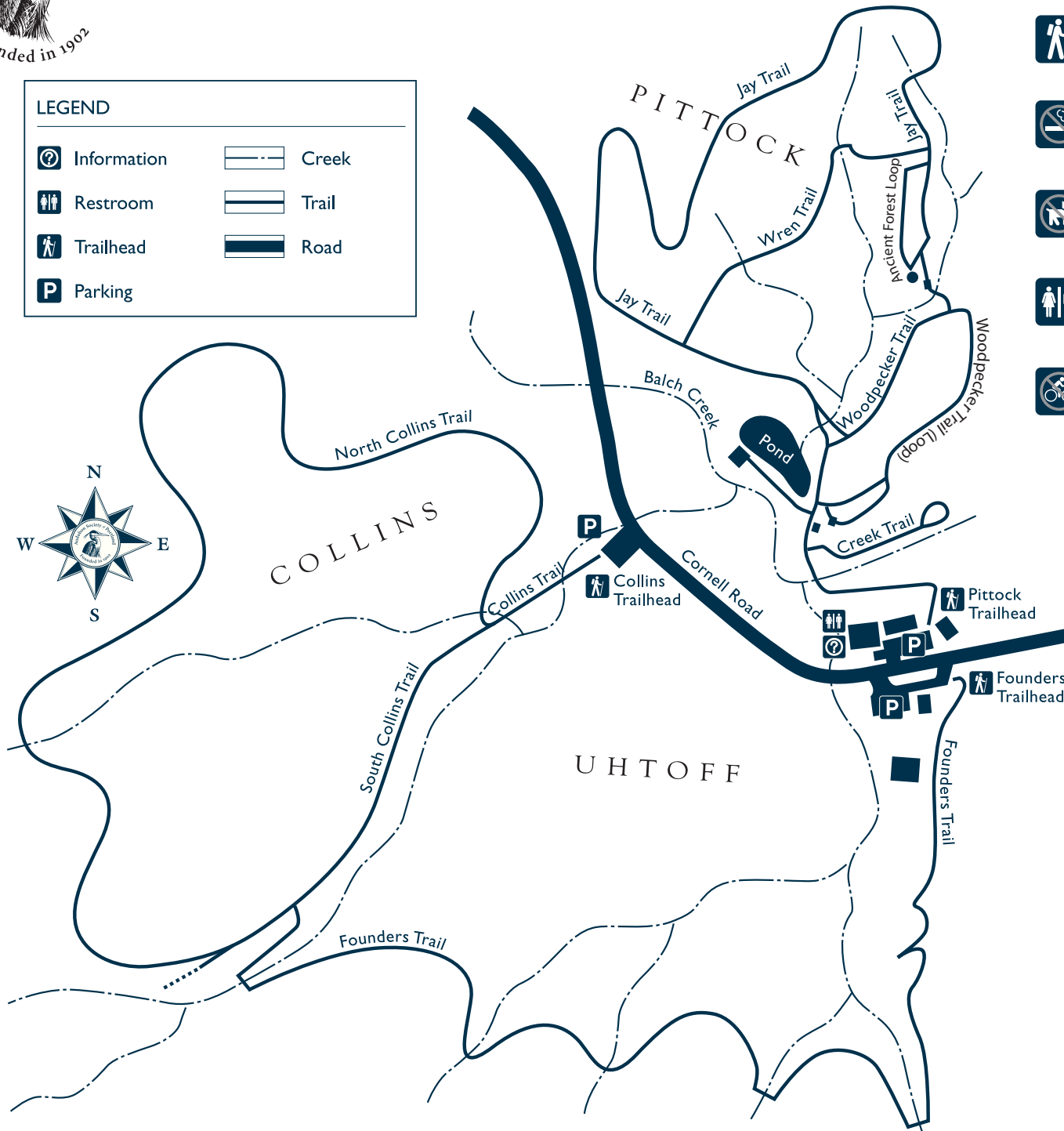


Audubon Society of Portland Wildlife Sanctuaries

Nature Trails – Open Daily Dawn to Dusk

LEGEND

	Information		Creek
	Restroom		Trail
	Trailhead		Road
	Parking		



A REFUGE CLOSE TO THE CITY

Just minutes from Downtown Portland is one of the city's gems, The Audubon Society of Portland Wildlife Sanctuaries, 150 acres nestled in Portland's NW hills. At various times during the year, the Sanctuaries are home to over 40 species of birds and 60 species of mammals. There are 4 miles of interpreted trails that connect to over 70 miles of trails in Portland's Forest Park.

The Audubon Society of Portland Wildlife Sanctuaries are home base to Portland Audubon's Education and Conservation programs, Wildlife Care Center and Nature Store. On campus also are Audubon Society of Portland's Interpretive Center and Heron Hall, which is available for rental.

THE PITTOCK BIRD SANCTUARY

The Pittock Bird Sanctuary was once part of a dairy farm. In 1929, 12 acres of the farm were purchased by the Audubon Society of Portland; just a year later, an additional 18 acres were donated by the Pittock Family. Balch Creek flows through the Sanctuary for more than a mile and is populated by native cutthroat trout. The only still-water habitat in the Balch Creek Watershed is a small pond on the Sanctuary, home to Rough-skinned newts.

UHTOFF SANCTUARY

Uhtoff Sanctuary is on a 34 acre parcel purchased in 1982 through various fund-raising activities. A narrow trail on steep hillsides traverses five small ravines. Founders Trail is often regarded as Pileated Woodpecker Alley. Many large dead trees (snags) afford the woodpeckers ample food.

THE COLLINS SANCTUARY

The Collins Sanctuary (86 acres) is owned by Metro and maintained for public use by the Audubon Society of Portland. Of the three Audubon Sanctuaries, it has less mature Douglas Fir, Hemlock and Western Red Cedar and is dominated by an Alder forest.

TRAIL DISTANCES

Jay Trail Loop	0.9 mi
Founders Trail Loop	0.8 mi
Collins Trail Loop	0.6 mi
Collins/Founders Trail Loop	1.3 mi

SANCTUARIES ETIQUETTE

Please stay on trails and respect wildlife
 No smoking, no pets
 Bicycles and horses are not permitted
 Public restrooms are available at the Interpretive Center