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Guides



**Gwynns Falls/
Leakin Park**
Maryland



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center (1901 Ridgetop Rd), an Outward Bound Center, a recreation center (4001 Clifton Ave), hiking trails, and a miniature train.

The playgrounds include Leakin Park Playground (1901-1999 Eagle Dr, Baltimore) and Leon Day Playground (1232 N Franklinton Rd, Baltimore). Connected parks include Lyndhurst Park (835 Allendale St, Baltimore), Winans Meadow (4500 N Franklinton Rd, Baltimore), Leon Day Park (1198 N Franklinton Rd, Baltimore), and Gwynn Oak Park (6010 Gwynn Oak Ave, Gwynn Oak). Restrooms are available at Winans Meadow, Leon Day Park, and Carroll Park Golf Course (2100 Washington Blvd, Baltimore).

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The [Gwynns Falls Trail](#) winds through Gwynns Falls/Leakin Park to the Middle Branch Patapsco River and the Inner Harbor. It takes a circuitous route through the park southeast to downtown and includes side spurs into adjacent parks and a connection to the [Jones Falls Trail](#) at Baltimore's famed Inner Harbor. At the northern end of the park, the [Windsor Hills Conservation Trail](#) is a dirt trail partially built along on a former streetcar line.

The park offers scenic views, birdwatching, playgrounds, sports fields and courts, community gardens, a nature



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States: Maryland

Counties: Baltimore City

Length: 27miles

Trail end points: 4921 Windsor Mill Rd to 1200
N Franklinton Rd

Trail surfaces: Asphalt, Crushed Stone

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Bike, Inline

Skating, Fishing, Wheelchair

Accessible, Walking

Parking & Trail Access

Access the park at a number of points along the streets that border the park.

Maryland's public transit system (MTA) provides easy access to the park. Check out the [MTA website](#) for more information.

Parking is available by Winans Meadow (4500 Franklinton Rd), at 4300 Windsor Mill Rd, at Leon Day Park (1200 block of N. Franklinton Rd), and at 2700 Frederick Ave. There is at least one accessible parking place at 4300 Windsor Mill Rd, at Leon Day Park, and at 2700 Frederick Ave. View the TrailLink map for all options and detailed directions.