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Guides



**Red Clay  
Creek Trail**  
*Pennsylvania*



## Red Clay Creek Trail

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Kennett Township and to the Delaware border. From there, users will have the option of either continuing farther south toward Wilmington and the East Coast Greenway, or turning back north along the [Parrish Trail](#), which will loop back to the borough along the West Branch of Red Clay Creek. Long-range plans call for this loop to be connected to other trails in the Philadelphia metro area, forming part of The Circuit.

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The trail will eventually be extended farther south into



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**States:** Pennsylvania

**Counties:** Chester

Length: 1miles

**Trail end points:** Anson B. Nixon Park to  
Kennett Community Park

**Trail surfaces:** Crushed Stone,Gravel

**Trail category:** Greenway/Non-RT

**Trail activities:** Mountain Biking,Walking

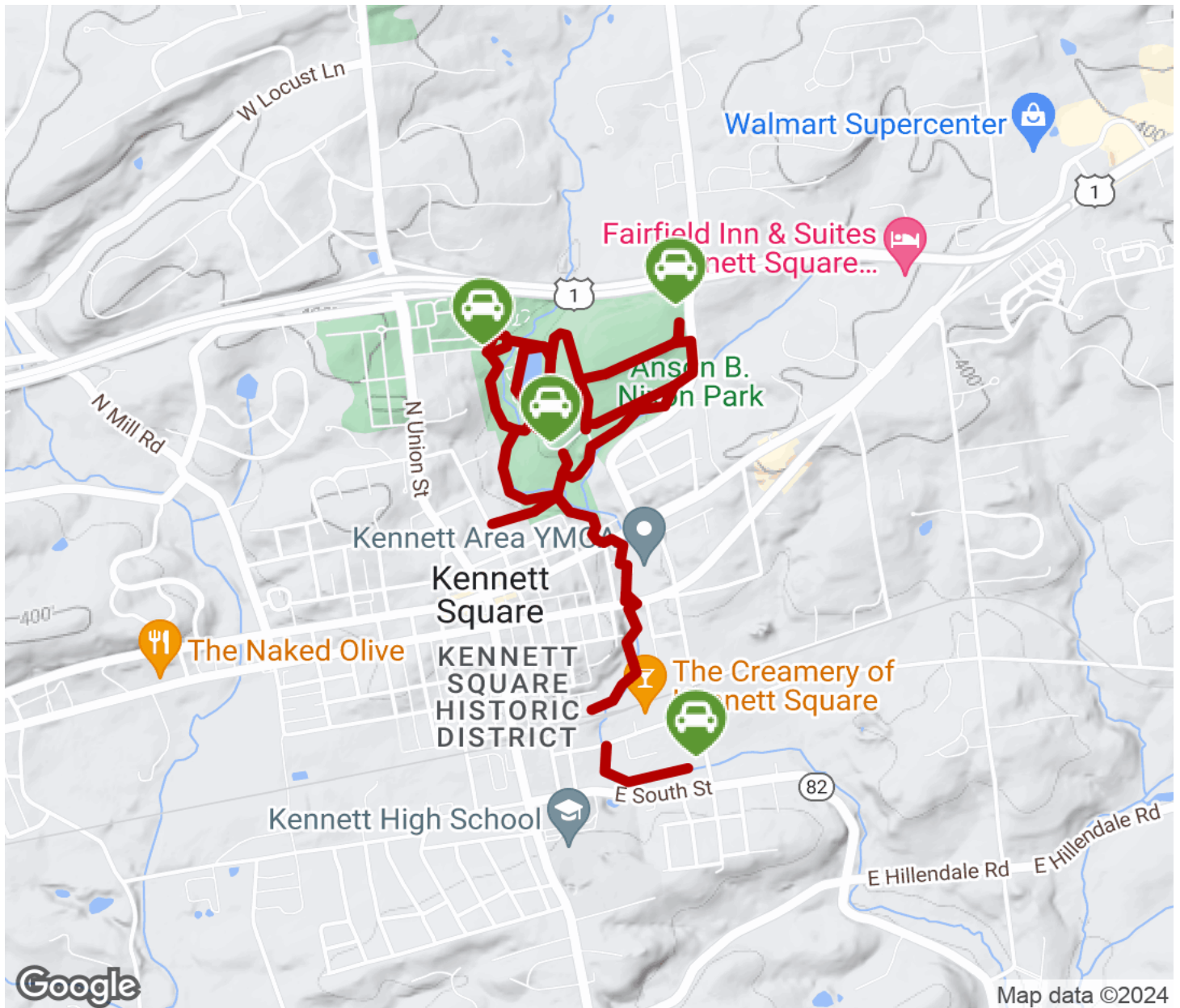
## Parking & Trail Access

Parking is available at Anson B. Nixon park (100 Waterworks Dr.,Kennett Square)



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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