

Where & What to Find

Pond	Acreage	Walk-in access	Fishing Pier	Handicap access	Largemouth bass	Bluegill	Black Crappie	Chain Pickerel	Channel Catfish	Trout (seasonally)
Blackbird - Fishing	0.50				✓	✓	✓			
Berman	0.58	✓			✓	✓				
AREC seining	0.50			✓	✓	✓				
AREC fishing	0.75		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	
Edna	0.47	✓			✓	✓		✓		
Betty Gleason	0.44	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓		
Redden	0.68				✓	✓	✓			
Memorial	0.83				✓	✓	✓		✓	
Newton	8.22		✓	✓	✓	✓				✓

How to get there

Blackbird State Forest Headquarters: From Smyrna take Route 13 N toward Blackbird, turn left onto Blackbird Forest Rd, follow signs to Headquarters entrance, turn left into entrance.

Berman Pond-Woodland Beach Wildlife Area: From Smyrna take Rt 6 East, turn left onto Lighthouse road, stay to the left on Shorts road, turn left into the parking area for Woodland beach Wildlife Area, walk around gate and follow road to power line.

Aquatic Resource Education Center (AREC): From Smyrna take Rt 6 East, at the intersection of Rt 6 & Rt. 9 turn left (North) and drive 1.5-miles to the Aquatic Resource Education Center (AREC), turn left into the large gravel parking area

Edna Pond-Woodland Beach Wildlife Area: From Smyrna take Rt 6 East, at the intersection of Rt 6 & Rt. 9 turn left (North) and drive 1.9-miles to Lighthouse road, turn right onto Lighthouse road and drive 0.2-mile to the parking area on the left, walk around the gate and follow path back to the pond.

Betty Gleason Pond-Blackiston Wildlife Area: From Smyrna take Rt 6 West toward Blackiston, follow Rt. 6 to the MD state line, before going into MD turn right into gravel parking area, walk around gate and follow access road to the pond

Redden State Forest Headquarters: From Georgetown travel North on Rt 113, turn right onto East Redden road, turn right at the Headquarter entrance and follow this road to pond area. From Ellendale travel south and turn left onto East Redden road

Memorial Pond-Assawoman Wildlife Area: South on Rt 113 from Millsboro. Turn left onto Rt. 20. Go through Dagsboro on Rt. 20/26. Follow signs for Rt. 20 through Dagsboro onto Armory Road. This becomes Pyle Center Road at flashing light, continue straight. Go 1.4 miles and turn left on Daisy Road. Follow Daisy Road 2.9 miles to a T intersection at Bayard Rd. Turn left, then take the 1st right on to Double Bridges Road. Go 100 yards and turn right on Camp Barnes Road. At the fork, bear left to stay on Camp Barnes Road. Turn right into Assawoman Wildlife Area and continue straight through gate to pond.

Newton Pond: Between Greenwood and Ellendale off Rt 16; South on Hunters Cove Road, cross Owens road, turn right and follow to pond.



Small Pond Fishing Opportunities

Don't have a boat?
You won't need one!

Small ponds offer:

- Stocked Fish
- Bank or Pier Fishing
- Walk-in Access
- Natural Settings
- Handicap Accessibility

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Small Pond Fishing Locations

