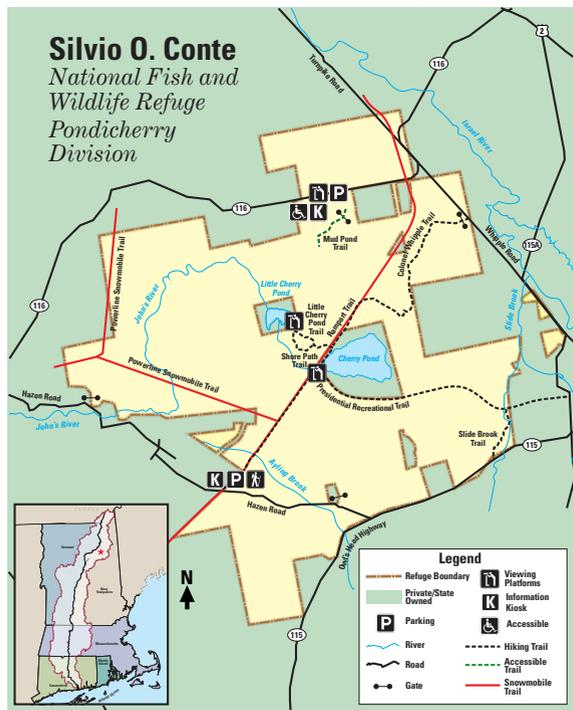


Come Visit!

The Pondicherry Division, located in Jefferson, Whitefield, and Carroll, New Hampshire is designated as a National Natural Landmark. Within the bounds of the division are three ponds (Cherry Pond, Little Cherry Pond, and Mud Pond), and a complex mix of habitats including boreal forests, forested bogs, northern hardwoods/conifers, riparian communities, an abundance of early successional vegetation, and open water. This concentration of diverse, high-quality habitats acts as a magnet to many species of wildlife.

The division is open to the public for hunting, fishing, wildlife observation, photography, environmental education, and interpretation. Hours of operations are 30 minutes before sunrise to 30 minutes after sunset.

There are five trails located within the Pondicherry Division. Two of these trails (Little Cherry Pond Trail and Mud Pond Trail) are designated National Recreation Trails. The Mud Pond Trail is a 0.6-mile wheelchair accessible trail. The Little Cherry Pond Trail, the Shore Path Trail, and the Rampart Path are located in the center of the division and are accessible from the Presidential Recreational Trail managed by the New Hampshire Bureau of Trails. This rail-trail can be accessed from trail heads on Airport Road and Route 115A in Jefferson.



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