How long are the permits good for?

The Trustees OSV permits are valid through March 31st, 2024. Permit purchasers should be aware that The Trustees current Order of Conditions is valid through November 30th, but we are committed to working with town and state officials to ensure we can provide access for the full year through March 31st, 2024.

What does the Cape Poge/Leland OSV permit give me access to?

The OSV permit is valid for the Trustees OSV trails and accessible beaches on Leland, East Beach and Cape Poge Wildlife Refuge up to the Jetties. Wasque is currently inaccessible for OSVs due to extreme erosion from the south end of Leland onto Wasque. The Norton Point breach has now reached directly opposite the Wasque Swimming Beach parking lot preventing OSV access from Norton Point which is still closed to all OSV access. See Town of Edgartown website for updated information on Norton Point OSV access. OSV access at Wasque is dependent upon environmental conditions due to the breach and an agreement between Dukes County, the owner of Norton Point Beach and The Trustees for OSV travel between Norton Point and Wasque.

The Trustees currently do not have a valid Order of Conditions from the Town and State to allow OSV access beyond the Jetties but are currently building a 5-yr Beach Management Plan. That Plan will be completed and submitted to the Town and State late this summer.

What is included with my permit?

- The \$200 Cape Poge/Leland OSV permit includes a Family level membership.
- The \$350 All Oer OSV permit category includes a Contributing level membership and parking at no additional cost at Wasque and Long Point. Reservations are required at Long Point Wildlife Refuge.
- In addition, year-round Vineyard residents are eligible for a coupon for a free off-season Trustees program. Pick up when you pick up your OSV permit.

What are the daily rates for parking at Wasque?

If you want to park at Wasque to fish, swim or shellfish from Memorial Day to mid-October, youwill need to pay:

- \$20/day to park if you do not have a Trustees membership
- \$15/day if you have a **Family** level membership
- \$0/day if you have a **Contributing** level membership or an All Over Permit
- Walkers and bikers are free for family level members and \$5 for non-members.

There is no admission charged at Wasque before or after normal business hours of 9 AM to 5 PM from Memorial Day to mid-October.

Is there a fee differential for Island Residents?

The OSV permit for Cape Poge and Leland has been \$200 for many years. We have had a reduced island resident price point for Norton permits in the past. Given we are not selling Norton permits this year, we are including a free off season program offer for island residents this year in lieu of a price reduction. These are redeemable October 15, 2023 through April 30, 2024.