MAPS & COORDINATES



The Explorer riverboat docks on Pittsburgh's North Shore at the Rivers of Steel Dock, near the headwaters of the Ohio River and adjacent to the Carnegie Science Center.

On Google Maps you can search for "Rivers of Steel: Explorer Riverboat" - or use the following GPS coordinates: 40.445918, -80.019547 (40°26'45.3"N 80°01'10.4"W).

For turn-by-turn directions, refer to page 2, below the PARKING information.



PARKING

Parking is available at the Carnegie Science Center's paid parking lots. Please review their parking information here: https://carnegiesciencecenter.org/visit/parking-directions/. The directions below lead you to enter their main lot from a secondary entrance, located on an unnamed road off of Casino Drive, as this is the closest and most direct entrance to Explorer. Paystations are located in the lobby of the Carnegie Science Center and in the Science Center's North Lot. The North Lot is also accessible from Casino Drive. Guests who are visiting Explorer after the Carnegie Science Center is closed may find the North Lot more convenient because of the proximity to that paystation. Please note: you cannot pay at the secondary gate in the main lot on your way out. You may drive around the red SportsWorks building and pay at the primary exit using a credit card.

DIRECTIONS

FROM DOWNTOWN PITTSBURGH

Guest traveling from Downtown Pittsburgh have options!

By Foot or Bike: Simply cross the Allegheny River via the Roberto Clemente Bridge (6th Street Bridge), and then turn left and take the stairs down to the Three Rivers Heritage Trail. Head west (downriver, towards the point) and our dock is less than 1 mile down the trail. We can secure up to three bikes on our dock.

By Light Rail a.k.a. the T: From the Wood Street Station, take the "Inbound Blue Line to Downtown" to Allegheny Station. From there, it's a 5-minute walk to the dock. From the station, head west on Reedsdale Street and turn left on Sproat Way. Turn right at Casino Drive. After the bend, you'll see an unnamed road on your right; follow that through the parking lot entrance for the Carnegie Science Center and turn right onto the Three Rivers Heritage Trail. The dock will be in front of you.

By Car:

From the **Cultural District**, head north until you intersect Fort Duquesne Blvd, and turn left. Keep left at the fork, following signs for I-279 N / Fort Duquesne Bridge and merge onto I-279. Use the left lane to exit to Reedsdale Street. Keep left to take the exit 1B. Follow signs for the North Shore and merge onto Reedsdale Street from the center lane. Then proceed to the left lane after the intersection with Allegheny Ave. Turn left onto Casino Drive and follow it around the bend. To park in the North Lot, make a left (before the light at N. Shore Drive) OR make a right onto the unnamed road to enter the main parking lot. From here, the dock is visible on the right across the Three Rivers Heritage Trail, adjacent to that entrance to the main parking lot.

FROM POINTS NORTH - Via I-79 South

Follow I-79 South to I-279. Take I-279 to exit 1B. Follow signs for the North Shore and merge onto Reedsdale Street from the center lane. Then proceed to the left lane after the intersection with Allegheny Ave. Turn left onto Casino Drive and follow it around the bend. To park in the North Lot, make a left (before the light at N. Shore Drive) OR make a right onto the unnamed road to enter the main parking lot. From here, the dock is visible across the Three Rivers Heritage Trail, adjacent to that entrance to the main parking lot.

FROM POINTS EAST - Via I-76 / I-376 WEST

From 1-76, take exit 57 Monroeville and continue onto I-376. Head west for 14 miles. Take exit 70C for I-279 N / Fort Pitt Bridge toward North Shore. Continue onto I-279. Use the left lane to exit to Reedsdale Street. Keep left to take the exit 1B. Follow signs for the North Shore and merge onto Reedsdale Street from the center lane. Then proceed to the left lane after the intersection with Allegheny Ave. Turn left onto Casino Drive and follow it around the bend. To park in the North Lot, make a left (before the light at N. Shore Drive) OR make a right onto the unnamed road to enter the main parking lot. From here, the dock is visible on the right across the Three Rivers Heritage Trail, adjacent to that entrance to the main parking lot.

FROM POINTS SOUTH - Via I-79 North

Follow I-79 North to I-376 E. Travel for 5 miles. Take exit 69C to merge onto PA-51 N / US-19 N / Saw Mill Run Blvd. Use the right lane to take the ramp to I- 279/ U.S. 19 N/ Downtown / North Shore. Continue 2 miles, and cross over W. Carson Street onto the West End Bridge. Keep right, following signs for the North Shore. Keep left to continue onto Casino Drive. Follow Casino Drive around the bend. Make a right onto the unnamed road to enter the main parking lot. From here, the dock is visible on the right across the Three Rivers Heritage Trail, adjacent to that entrance to the main parking lot. To park in the North Lot, make a left into the lot after Sproat Way.

FROM POINTS WEST - Via Route 65

Take PA-65 S / Ohio River Blvd. Take the exit for the North Shore and merge onto Reedsdale Street. Use the right lane to stay on Reedsdale Street. Turn slightly right on Casino Drive. Follow Casino Drive around the bend. Make a right onto the unnamed road to enter the main parking lot. From here, the dock is visible on the right across the Three Rivers Heritage Trail, adjacent to that entrance to the main parking lot. To park in the North Lot, make a left into the lot after Sproat Way.