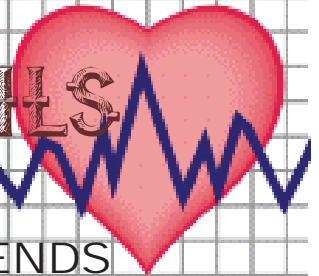


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Mosaic Peace River Park

2200 CR 640, Homeland 33841

Parking GPS Coordinates: N 27° 49.391 W 081° 48.345

DRIVING DIRECTIONS

From Bartow follow SR98 South about 5.3 miles to Homeland Garfield Road and turn left. Park entrance is on the left about 1.2 miles.



Mosaic Peace River Park The eastern portion of the Mosaic Peace River Park is within the floodplain of the Peace River. Interpretative signage along the boardwalk provides a history of the area as well as information on local and regional water and wildlife resources. A historical marker installed in August 2011 commemorates Historic Kissengen Spring which is located near the Peace River between Bartow and Homeland. The spring and amenities were a very popular destination for swimmers, picnickers and social gatherings until the spring quit flowing in 1950. The park has a large parking area with picnic pavilions, restrooms and ADA parking near the boardwalk entrance. There are handicapped accessible viewing and fishing spots along the boardwalk in addition to viewing areas with benches. The boardwalk extends to the river however there are no canoe or boat launching facilities at the park.



ATTRIBUTES 

Things to See

Enjoy scenic vistas from the mile long boardwalk that winds through the floodplain to the river. See wildflowers, air plants and wildlife and learn about the Peace River ecosystem from educational signage posted along the way. Stop and listen to the wind blowing through the tall trees.

SCRAPBOOKERS: Place your souvenir stamp in this circle!



TREK TEN CACHE COORDINATES: N 27° 49.572 W 081° 48.166



FIND THE CACHE WITHOUT GPS: Follow signs to parking at top of the hill. Find the wooden stairs and walk down the stairs crossing the road and through two picnic tables until you reach the board walk. Continue walking along the board walk until you reach an intersection with benches in the middle. Turn left (north) and continue walking until you reach a "T" in the board walk. Turn left (west) to continue. If you want to view the river turn right at the "T". Continue walking along the boardwalk until you reach a paved road. Turn right (north) and follow the wooden fence to the first walk-through. You will see a pine tree with a bush growing around the bottom. The geocache is at the base of the pine. After finding the geocache follow the paved road up the hill to the parking area. (1.25 loop hike)