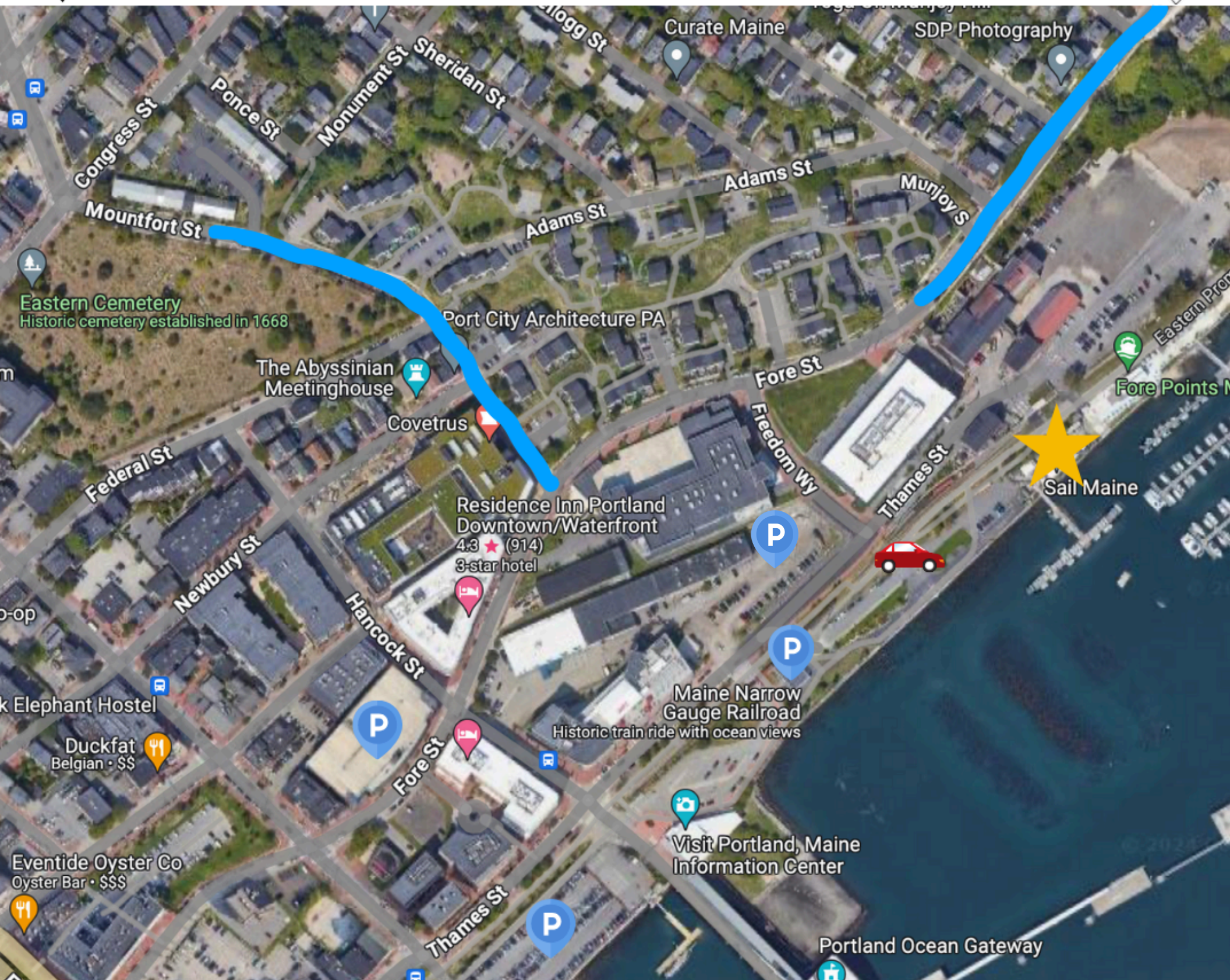




HORIZONS SAILING PROGRAM
SailMaine, Portland, ME



SailMaine Parking Map



PARKING

- SailMaine does not have an official street address, but 77 Thames St gets you close!
- The parking lot starts at the Maine Narrow Gauge RR building, which is a convenient drop off location. You can ALWAYS drop off at the gate (there is a large turnaround circle).
- The SailMaine lot has 2hr spots, 30 min spots, and 5 min spots.
- Free parking can be found on Mountfort St, Fore St, and Eastern Promenade (among others) (BLUE LINES).
- Paid lots and metered parking nearby also (PARKING SYMBOL).

It is important to pack a bag before you leave the house with items to keep you comfortable all day...



Water



Sunscreen



Hat



Windbreaker



Sunglasses



**Closed
toe
shoes**

...because the weather can be unpredictable.

Sometimes it can be very hot.
Sometimes it can be windy and chilly.
Other times, it might rain.



This is the main entrance.

Summertime is a very busy time of year for SailMaine. You may find that it is crowded with other kids and adults who are preparing to sail—like you!



Once you arrive, you will check in at the gate and head to the main office (located in the back). You can also go here for any questions you may have!



Then, you will meet your sailing instructor.



Your sailing instructor, or another volunteer, will help you pick out a life jacket.



Your life jacket may feel tight and bulky. This is how it is supposed to feel to keep you safe. **It is important to keep your life jacket buckled at all times.**

There are no bathrooms on the sail boats.



You may want to use the bathroom before you head to the boat ramp.
The bathrooms are located next to the white tent where you found a life jacket.

Then, you and your group will walk down a long ramp together. This ramp will lead you towards the loading dock.



You will wait on the dock with your group until your sailing instructor says that it is okay to climb onto the sailboat.



You will load the sailboat one person at a time. Someone will be there to help you.

Then, the boat will leave the dock, and you will be sailing!



When you return from sailing, you will return your life jacket to the white tent.



Then, say good-bye!