

Skip the LA Traffic: Transit Tips to the Ventura County Coast

Getting Here Is Half the Fun: Seamless access to Ventura County by car, train, or air, this coastal California destination offers an unforgettable arrival.

VENTURA COUNTY COAST, CA, UNITED STATES, December 10, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Known for its relaxed coastal charm and authentic California experiences, Ventura County Coast is also one of the state's most accessible destinations for travelers and [meeting planners](#) alike. Whether

arriving by highway, railway, runway, or harbor, getting here is as inspiring as the stay itself.



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By Road: A Scenic Cruise Along the California Coast

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Ventura County Coast

Located along the famed Highway 101 and Pacific Coast Highway, Ventura County Coast is an easy drive from both Los Angeles and Santa Barbara. Northbound travelers are treated to ocean views and farmland vistas, while those driving south pass dramatic cliffs and coastal landmarks like Mugu Rock. With four connected cities (Camarillo, Oxnard, Ventura, and Port Hueneme), the journey sets the tone for a truly Californian escape.

By Rail: Simple and Sustainable

Travelers looking for a scenic, stress-free journey can take Amtrak's Pacific Surfliner. Running from San Diego all the

way up to San Luis Obispo, with convenient stops in Ventura, Oxnard, and Camarillo, the Pacific Surfliner makes both individual and group travel effortless. Riders can relax with coastal views, comfortable seating, onboard WiFi, and cafe service – without traffic or parking stress.

For meeting planners looking to make the journey part of the experience, Amtrak's full-train charters transform transportation into part of the event, complete with:

- Custom itineraries for corporate retreats or incentive groups.
- Private car configurations (First Class, Bistro, or Club Conference cars)
- Onboard catering, entertainment, or branding opportunities
- In-station events that turn arrivals and departures into memorable moments

This is a unique and memorable way to start or end your program. Guests arrive energized, connected, and ready to enjoy all that Ventura County Coast has to offer.

If trains aren't your speed, take to the skies instead.

By Air: Easy Arrivals for Every Traveler

With multiple airports within one hour's reach, visitors can choose the route that best fits their budget, schedule, and style of travel.

For everyday travelers, three nearby commercial airports make Ventura County Coast one of [California's most accessible coastal destinations](#):

- Los Angeles International Airport (LAX): About 60 miles south, offering hundreds of daily flights – ideal for international visitors or large groups.
- Hollywood Burbank Airport (BUR): Roughly 50 miles south, smaller and easy to navigate – perfect for quick connections and stress-free arrivals. (You can even connect to the Amtrak from here!)
- Santa Barbara Airport (SBA): Just 40 miles north, offering regional flights with laid-back coastal vibes and easy access to our destination.

From any of these airports, visitors can reach the coast via car rental, shared shuttle, or a scenic Amtrak connection.

For planners or executives seeking private or corporate travel options, two local airports offer convenience and privacy:

- Oxnard Airport (OXR): Handles private and charter flights year-round with quick access to beaches and hotels. Charter operators like Surf Air or Blade make private air travel easy for incentive groups or VIPs.
- Camarillo Airport (CMA): A favorite among private jet and corporate pilots, CMA offers private



Jeep cruises along the scenic Pacific Coast Highway in Ventura County Coast, capturing the essence of the ultimate California road trip adventure.

flights to and from the coast through Sun Air Jets and Air 7, both providing charter services and full-service facilities. Travelers can also enjoy the local aviation culture, with stops at Waypoint Cafe, a beloved spot where guests can watch planes take off over breakfast or lunch. The on-site Western Foundation Flight Museum adds a memorable off-site activity for groups.

Of course, the beauty of a coastal destination is that the journey doesn't have to stop at the runway.

By Sea: Coastal Arrivals with a View

If you're a sailor or love to travel by water, there are options for you too! Ventura Harbor and Channel Islands Harbor in Oxnard both welcome private boats and charters.

The two harbors are about seven miles apart – a 30-60 minute cruise depending on speed – offering a great opportunity to arrange harbor tours, private sailings, or scenic arrivals that turn the journey into part of the experience.

For adventure seekers, both harbors also serve as launch points for Island Packers ferry excursions or tours to the Channel Islands National Park, a memorable off-site activity that connects visitors to one of California's most special natural landscapes.

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Easy access means less time in transit and more time engaging with the destination. While you're here, Ventura County Coast provides easy access to Lyft, Uber, car rentals, and bikes. Getting to Ventura County Coast and moving around is as seamless as it is scenic, no matter which way you choose to get here, smooth access ensures every visit starts and ends on the right note.

About Ventura County Coast:

Ventura County Coast (VCC) is where California's relaxed coastal charm meets endless adventure. Encompassing the vibrant cities of Camarillo, Oxnard, Ventura, and Port Hueneme, VCC invites travelers to experience wide-open beaches, incredible year-round weather, and a welcoming atmosphere just an hour north of Los Angeles. Administered by the Ventura County Lodging Association (VCLA), the VCC brand represents more than 60 lodging partners and destination marketing organizations dedicated to attracting both business and leisure travelers. Follow VCC on Instagram at @venturacountycoast or visit www.venturacountycoast.com.

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