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## South Carolina State Parks

at 12:37:32 on 6/08/2020 UTC

Our rangers at Huntington Beach State Park in Murrells Inlet have worked really hard to help shorebirds. The least tern is considered threatened in South Carolina. Huntington Beach now has 61 least tern nests, one of the largest colonies in the state! Here's a quick video of some of these birds feeding taken by volunteers Drew & Melanie Gaddy! Thanks to our rangers for their hard work! [www.southcarolinaparks.com/huntington-beach](http://www.southcarolinaparks.com/huntington-beach)

### Least Terns Feeding at Huntington Beach



**Jill Lownes** I was so disappointed when campers took their dogs down there & off leash... and when I hunted down a ranger in the campground (it was a Sunday evening after hrs) he didn't seem to care at all

at 18:13:32 on 6/08/2020 UTC



**Jerry Kerschner** Boaters have also come ashore with their dog(s), even though there are signs not to.

at 18:52:25 on 6/08/2020 UTC



**Deborah J Morales** Thanks

at 20:15:13 on 6/08/2020 UTC



**Justin Jay Tyrrell** Jill Lownes ok Karen!!!

at 8:14:26 on 6/09/2020 UTC



**Melanie Gaddy** Jill Lownes it's infuriating, isn't it, when folks ignore the rules and allow the dogs off leash.

at 20:20:16 on 6/09/2020 UTC



**Melanie Gaddy** Thanks for the opportunity to be of service to the park and we are so happy to help document the successful nesting of the beautiful and acrobatic Least Tern!

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at 20:22:43 on 6/09/2020 UTC



**Janice Spangler** Beautiful park! Thank you for keeping it safe and clean!



at 20:32:41 on 6/09/2020 UTC



**Carol Bowers** Good job guys !!! 🍷

at 22:48:09 on 6/11/2020 UTC