



Dighton Rock State Park

Department of Conservation and Recreation

2022 PROGRAMS

All programs are free and open to the public. Programs run from 1:00pm – 3:00pm, unless otherwise noted. The Dighton Rock Museum will be open at these times, as well. Programs co-sponsored by the Friends of Dighton Rock Museum and DCR. Reasonable accommodations are available upon request.

Sunday,
April 10

SIGNS OF SPRING RAMBLE, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm, meet in front of the Dighton Rock Museum

Take a spring ramble along the park's trails with a DCR Nature Guide. Walk along the Taunton River, in the forests, and along the fields looking at our summer flowers, insects, wetlands and more! Inclement weather will cancel. For all ages.

Sunday,
May 8

HUMBLE SPIRITS DRUM, 1:00 pm -3:00 pm, at the Dighton Rock Museum

Join a presentation of Native American ceremonies including preparation and lighting of a ceremonial fire followed by songs from the Humble Spirits Drum. For all ages.

Sunday,
May 22

SNAKES OF MASSACHUSETTS, 1:00 pm—3:00 pm, at the Dighton Rock Museum

Massachusetts is home to 14 species of snakes. Learn all about our snakes with local herpetologist Brian Bastarache. All ages.

Sunday,
June 12

ROGER WILLIAMS PARK ZOOMOBILE, 1:00 pm-3:00 pm, at the Dighton Rock Parking Lot

Join the Roger Williams Park Zoo to learn how animals are adapted to live in our New England habitats, through trivia and live animal introductions. This program is supported in part by a grant from the Berkley Cultural Council, a local agency which is supported by the Mass Cultural Council, a state agency.

Sunday,
July 10

DIGHTON ROCK DISCUSSED, 1:00 pm—2:30 pm, at the Dighton Rock Museum

Join DCR Archaeologist Jonathan Patton for a discussion on the various theories and evidence regarding the symbols on Dighton Rock.

Sunday,
August 14

ROCK THE BOAT: PHOENICIANS AS ANCIENT MARINERS, 1:00 pm—3:00 pm, at the Dighton Rock Museum

Crystal Lubinsky, PhD religion scholar from UMass Dartmouth who specializes in ancient Mediterranean civilizations, will present on Phoenicians and their skills as ancient mariners.

Sunday,
September 11

ALL ABOUT LOCAL HISTORY 1:00 pm—3:00 pm, at the Dighton Rock Museum

Join Eden Jones of the Berkley Historical Museum. Do you know where to find Hospital Hill? Or Conspiracy Island and the Town Farm? Come and hear more about these Berkley history treasures!

Sunday,
October 9

STORIES OF THE SEASONS, 1:00 pm—3:00 pm, at the Dighton Rock Museum

Join us to hear stories of the season with storyteller Davis Bates! For all ages. This program is supported in part by a grant from the Berkley Cultural Council, a local agency which is supported by the Mass Cultural Council, a state agency.

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coming events