



Fall 2025 Programs

Middlesex Fells Reservation
Department of Conservation and Recreation
4 Woodland Road, Stoneham, MA 02180
(781) 590-2108

All Programs are free and open to the public, **September 1-October 3**. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Reasonable accommodations upon request. Call (781) 590-2108 or email amanda.garms@mass.gov.



ADA/Reasonable Accommodation
617-645-0358 | Moneesha.dasgupta2@mass.gov

Tuesdays
10:00–11:30 a.m.

Babes In The Woods
Babes in the Woods is an adult-paced hike, appropriate only for caregivers with children in carriers. Meeting location varies weekly. Please visit www.fells.org for information and location details. Co-sponsored by the Friends of the Fells and DCR.

Wednesdays
12:00–1:00 p.m.

Kidleidoscope
The park interpreter will lead a preschool aged program that includes a story, craft, & walk that involves outdoor exploration. A different nature topic each session, so come every week! For ages 2 to 6. Meet outside the Botume House Visitor Center, 4 Woodland Rd, Stoneham. Rain brings the program inside. tinyurl.com/FELLSKidleidoscopeDCR

Thursdays
8–9:00 a.m.
September 11 & 18
October 2

Growing Wild For Pollinators
Join the park interpreter for gardening activities to promote native pollinators & inspire stewardship in our community. Wear closed toed shoes and dress for gardening. For all ages. Meet at the Botume House Visitor Center, 4 Woodland Road, Stoneham.
tinyurl.com/FELLSgwfpDCR

Fridays
1:30–3:30 p.m.
(Except Sept. 26)

Off The Beaten Path Hikes
Join the park interpreter for this weekly hike! Each trip will highlight a less-traveled route in the Fells. Hikes will range from 2-4 miles and travel on uneven and rocky terrain. Rain cancels. tinyurl.com/FELLSHikeDCR

- **September 5:** Gate 16, 83 Hillcrest Pkwy, Winchester.
- **September 12:** Long Pond parking lot, S Border Rd, Winchester.
- **September 19:** Botume House, 4 Woodland Rd, Stoneham.
- **October 3:** Bear Hill (Fallon Rd) parking lot, Stoneham.

Saturdays
1:00–3:00 p.m.
September 6 & 20

Gone Fishin’ Saturdays
Join us for a free, family friendly, learn to fish program! Bring your fishing equipment or borrow ours; bait and limited equipment will be provided. Open to the public. For all ages. Meet at Straw Point, 49 New S St, Stoneham. No fishing license required. tinyurl.com/FELLSFishinDCR



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Self-Guided Storywalk ®
Hiking Day By Anne Rockwell
Posted along the loop trail at Greenwood Park
Come into the woods at Greenwood Park, 176 Pond St, Stoneham, take a walk, enjoy being outside, and read the lyrical text and bright illustrations of “Hiking Day” by Anne Rockwell. For all ages.
The StoryWalk® Project was created by Anne Ferguson of Montpelier, VT and developed in collaboration with the Kellogg-Hubbard Library. StoryWalk® is a registered service mark owned by Ms. Ferguson.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Friday
7:00–9:00 p.m.
September 5

Saturday
10:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.
September 27

Full Moon Hike
Join us at Bellevue Pond, S. Border Road, Medford for a moon rise hike while we talk about full moon, moon cycles and phases. This program for adults and families with children 8 years old and up. Bring a flashlight and dress appropriately for the weather. Registration is required. Heavy rain cancels.
Registration: <https://tinyurl.com/SepFullMoonDCR>

Fall Fest
Come celebrate with us at this one-of-a-kind fall festival at **Breakheart Visitor Center, 177 Forest Street, Saugus!** This free event will include lawn games, storytellers, and family-oriented activities. Enjoy live snakes with Cape Ann Vernal Pond Team.