



Southeastern MA Adult Walking Club

Department of Conservation and Recreation

SUMMER 2022 HIKES

The DCR Southeastern Massachusetts Adult Walking Club meets most weekends for social recreational walks. Meeting times vary. Please see descriptions. This club is open to people of 16 years of age and older and there is no fee to join. Walks average 2-miles to 5-miles and terrain is varied. New walkers are always welcome. Come for one or come for all! Bring drinking water, a snack, and dress for the weather. Some DCR sites charge a parking fee which is noted in the hike description. Inclement weather will cancel. For more information and to confirm, please call the phone number listed with the specific hike below. Please follow all current COVID guidelines. Visit [Mass.gov/COVID](https://www.mass.gov/COVID).

upcoming hikes

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| Saturday,
June 4 | Massasoit State Park, 9:00 am—10:30 am
A 3-mile hike taking in the scenery of Massasoit State Park. Meet at the Contact Station in the main parking lot at 1361 Middleboro Avenue in East Taunton. (508) 828-4231 |
| Sunday,
June 12 | Myles Standish State Forest, 9:00 am—10:30 am
Come along on a 3-mile hike around East Head Reservoir. Meet at Headquarters parking lot at 194 Cranberry Road, South Carver. (508) 272-9376 |
| Saturday,
June 18 | Borderland State Park, 12:00 pm—2:00 pm
Join the park staff for a 4.5-mile moderately paced hike to Bob's Trail via the Pond Walk. Route will be mostly flat, may be wet in some areas. Meet at Visitor Center at 259 Massapoag Avenue in North Easton. Parking fee applies. (508) 238-6566 |
| Saturday,
June 25 | Quashnet River Trail, 10:00 am—11:30 am
This is a 2.8-mile, moderately paced hike. Start on a level wide trail then we'll cross the river and return on a hilly, narrow trail. Meet at the Quashnet River Trailhead parking lot on Martin Road in Falmouth. (617) 259-0209 |
| Sunday,
July 10 | South Cape Beach State Park, 10:00 am—11:30 am
Moderate, 2-mile walk along partially sheltered trails through coastal forest—no hills, but there is some soft sand. Park at Bayberry parking lot on right at South Cape Beach State Park, off Great Oak Road in Mashpee. (617) 259-0209 |
| Saturday,
July 16 | Borderland State Park, 12:00 pm—2:00 pm
Join the park staff for a 3-mile moderately paced hike along the Pond Walk. Route will be mostly flat. Meet at Visitor Center at 259 Massapoag Avenue in North Easton. Parking fee applies. (508) 238-6566 |
| Saturday,
July 23 | Blue Hills Reservation, 2:00 pm—3:30 pm
Come along on a 3-mile moderately paced hike. Meet at Houghton's Pond Visitor Center at 840 Hillside Street in Milton. (857) 208-8498 |
| Saturday,
July 30 | Nickerson State Park, 2:00 pm—4:00 pm
Moderate 3.5-mile walk around Cliff Pond with incredible vistas of the mid-summer landscape. From the Park entrance at 3488 Main Street in Brewster, go up the road and take your first major left on Flax Pond Road. Follow to the end where staff will be waiting. Parking fee applies. (508) 896-3491 |
| Saturday,
August 6 | South Cape Beach State Park, 10:00 am—11:30 am
Explore the 2-mile Great Flat Pond Loop Trail as it winds through coastal woodlands and over boardwalks with views of salt marshes. Park at Bayberry parking lot on right at South Cape Beach State Park, off Great Oak Road in Mashpee. (617) 259-0209 |
| Saturday,
August 13 | Borderland State Park, 12:00 pm—2:00 pm
Join the Park Interpreter for a 3.5-mile moderately paced hike to the Granite Hills Loops via various trails. Route will be hilly and rocky. Meet at Visitor Center at 259 Massapoag Avenue in North Easton. Parking fee applies. (508) 238-6566 |
| Saturday,
August 20 | Blue Hills Reservation, 2:00 pm—3:30 pm
Moderate walk, some hilly terrain, 3+ miles. Walk from St. Moritz Pond to Sawcut Notch, return on Crags Foot Path. Meet at the Shea Rink parking lot at 651 Willard Street in Quincy. (857) 208-8498 |
| Saturday,
August 27 | Nickerson State Park, 2:00 pm—4:00 pm
Join the Park Interpreter for a 2.5-mile hike around Little Cliff Pond and Higgins Pond. This route features many glacial drumlins and kames, so it is rocky and has some steep grades. From the Park entrance at 3488 Main Street in Brewster, go up the road and take your first major left on Flax Pond Road. Follow to the end where staff will be waiting. Parking fee applies. (508) 896-3491 |

