

2023

January 14, 12:00-1:00

Making Tracks.



Study animal behavior by the tracks they leave behind. Meet at Water Supply Protection Headquarters, 180 Beaman St. West Boylston.

February 11, 12:00-1:00

Buds and Bark, Identify Winter Trees. Meet at Water Supply Protection Headquarters, 180 Beaman St. West Boylston.

March 11, 12:00-1:00

Harbingers of Spring! Meet at Water Supply Protection Headquarters, 180 Beaman St. West Boylston.

April 22, 12:00-1:00

A Year of Nature for Earth Day! Share observations from the year. Meet at Water Supply Protection Headquarters, 180 Beaman St. West Boylston.

Things to Know Before You Go:

- All ages welcome to bring a lunch, observe seasonal changes, record memorable events, and become a citizen scientist to experience a deeper connection with nature
- Meets monthly. Join one month or all, a different topic will be explored each month
- Programs are free and open to the public
- Reasonable accommodations are available upon advanced request
- Dogs and domestic animals are prohibited on watershed lands. Service dogs are welcome
- Sign up for updates and weather cancellations by email Kathryn.Parent@mass.gov or phone 774-261-1809

Group tours and presentations are available by appointment. Please contact Program Coordinator at 774-261-1809 Kathryn.Parent@mass.gov

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Nature Almanac Club

April 2022 – April 2023

Wachusett Reservoir Watershed



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April 23, 12:00-1:00

**Nature Almanac Club Kick-off
Saturday, April 23**

April- Phenology and Climate. Meet Water Supply Protection Headquarters, 180 Beaman St West Boylston.

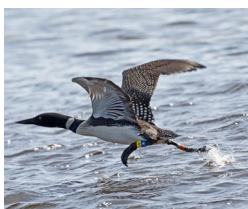
May 14, 12:00-1:00

Leaf-out & Migratory Songbirds. Show and tell of our leaf out observations, tips for observing songbird migration. Meet at Stillwater Farm, 232 Redemption Rock Trail, Sterling.

June 11, 12:00-1:00

Loons. Techniques for drawing loons while appreciating the loon's body shape and adaptations.

Meet at Stillwater Farm, 232 Redemption Rock Trail, Sterling.



July 9, 12:00-1:00

Pollinators. Sketching and observing techniques for fast moving buzzers. Meet at Stillwater Farm, 232 Redemption Rock Trail, Sterling.

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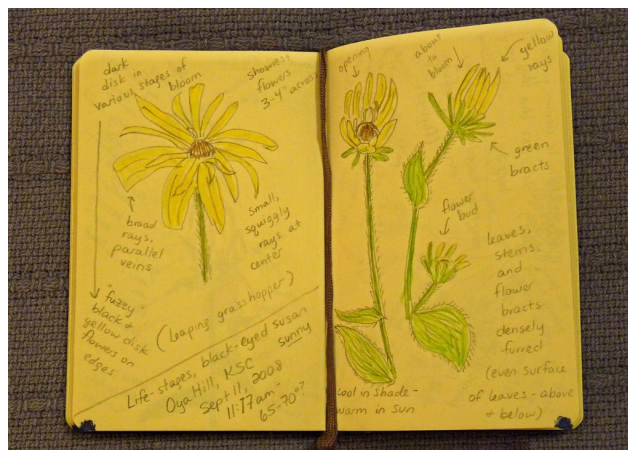
August 13, 12:00-1:00

Sounds of Summer. Take a closer look and listen to summer sounds that often go unnoticed. Meet at Stillwater Farm, 232 Redemption Rock Trail, Sterling.



September 10, 12:00-1:00

Forest Fungi. Meet at Stillwater Farm, 232 Redemption Rock Trail, Sterling.



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October 8, 12:00-1:00

Witch Hazel. Observation of a shrub that blooms spidery yellow flowers in the fall. Meet at Stillwater Farm, 232 Redemption Rock Trail, Sterling.

November 12, 12:00-1:00

Cones. Identifying and sketching techniques of local pine and other cones. Meet Water Supply Protection Headquarters, 180 Beaman St. West Boylston.



December 10, 12:00-1:00

Evergreens. Find color year-round through the shortest winter days. Meet Water Supply Protection Headquarters, 180 Beaman St. West Boylston.