

AUDUBON NATURE TOURS & PROGRAMS

September – December 2018 *For more information and to register, visit the events calendar at www.asri.org*



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BIRDING WITH AUDUBON

FREE WEDNESDAY MORNING BIRD WALKS

Please visit Audubon's website or Facebook page for the weekly location. Every Wednesday throughout June 2019; 9:00 - 11:00 am

BIRDING: THE NEXT STEP BIRD BIOLOGY AND FIELD EXCURSIONS WITH DR. CHARLES CLARKSON

Topics in this course will range from avian anatomy and physiology and the dynamics of migration to how birds cope with a changing climate. Two field trips are included.

Fisherville Brook Wildlife Refuge, 99 Pardon Joslin Road, Exeter, RI; September 12, 19, 26 and October 3, 2018; 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. Field trips on Sept 22 and 29 at 8:00 a.m.

BIRDING ADVENTURE IN JAMESTOWN

Join Audubon birding expert Lauren Parmelee for an exploration of Conanicut Island's natural areas. Beginning birders welcome! Meet at Godena Farm, North Main Road, Jamestown RI; October 7, 2018; 8:30-10:30 am.

BIRD WALKS FOR BEGINNERS – FREE

Three Dates Offered. Caratunk Wildlife Refuge, 301 Brown Avenue, Seekonk, MA; October 16, 23, 30, 2018; 8:30-10:00 am.

DUCKS N' DONUTS

Walk along the beach to look for an assortment of ducks. Just bring your binoculars and Audubon will provide the doughnuts! Moonstone Beach Road, South Kingstown, RI; November 17, 2018; 10:00-11:30 am.

WINTER WATERFOWL & SEABIRD CARAVAN

Join this traditional Thanksgiving weekend caravan to the birding hotspots along the South County shore. Meet at Salty Brine State Beach, 254 Great Island Road, Narragansett, RI; November 24, 2018; 10:00 am-1:00 pm.

WINTER BIRDING VAN TRIP: WATERFOWL AND SEABIRDS AT THE SHORE

Departs from Fisherville Brook Wildlife Refuge, 99 Pardon Joslin Road, Exeter, RI; December 1, 2018; 8:00 am-4:00 pm.

SACHUEST POINT BIRDING

Sachuest Point National Wildlife Refuge, 769 Sachuest Point Road, Middletown, RI; December 9, 2018; 9:00-11:00 am.

WINTER BIG DAY 2019

How many species can we find? This popular program has become a Rhode Island tradition. Departs from Fisherville Brook Wildlife Refuge, 99 Pardon Joslin Road, Exeter, RI; January 3, 2019; 8:30 am-5:00 pm.

OWL PROWL

CARATUNK OWL PROWL

Caratunk Wildlife Refuge, 301 Brown Avenue, Seekonk, MA; November 6, 2018; 6:30-8:00 pm.

OWL PROWL AT FORT REFUGE

Fort Nature Refuge, (Rt. 5), 1443 Providence Pike, North Smithfield, RI; November 8, 2018; 7:00-9:00 pm.

PROWL FOR OWLS AT FISHERVILLE BROOK

Fisherville Brook Wildlife Refuge, 99 Pardon Joslin Road, Exeter, RI; November 30, 2018; 7:00-9:00 pm.

OWL PROWL AT MARION EPPLEY REFUGE

Marion Eppley Wildlife Refuge, Dugway Bridge Road, West Kingston, RI; December 6, 2018; 7:00-9:00 pm.

DAYLIGHT OWL PROWL

For years Audubon naturalists have heard owls at Fort Refuge during the day. Join Audubon on a daytime search for these amazing creatures. Fort Nature Refuge, (Rt. 5), 1443 Providence Pike, North Smithfield, RI; January 5, 2019; 2:00-4:00 pm.

OWLS AND ALE

Meet some of Audubon's amazing birds of prey in while enjoying locally brewed beers. Then take a guided walk to look and listen for owls and other signs of animal life. Audubon Nature Center and Aquarium, 1401 Hope Street, Bristol, RI; January 19, 2019; 6:30-8:30 pm. Age 21+.



BIRD AND WILDLIFE CARVING EXPOSITION

November 3 & 4, 2018; 10:00 am – 4:00 pm
Audubon Nature Center and Aquarium, Bristol, RI

PERFECT PUMPKIN PARTY

October 27, 2018; 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Audubon Nature Center and Aquarium, Bristol, RI

Join Audubon for an autumn celebration and find out how much fun a pumpkin can be!



AUDUBON NATURE CENTER AND AQUARIUM

1401 Hope Street (Route 114), Bristol, RI

PROGRAMS, LECTURES & WORKSHOPS FOR ADULTS

SATURDAY NATURE WALKS WITH AUDUBON

Saturdays through October 27, 2018; 2:00-3:00 pm.

PROVIDENCE RAPTORS: URBAN WILDLIFE PHOTOGRAPHY BY PETER GREEN

The artist will speak about his work at Raptor Weekend on September 8, 2018.

September 8 – October 27, 2018; 9:00 am-5:00 pm.

SMITHSONIAN MUSEUM DAY LIVE!

Audubon and other Museum Day venues offer the free admission policy of the Smithsonian Institution's Washington, D.C.-based facilities.

September 22, 2018; 10:00 am-4:00 pm; Download the Museum Day ticket at www.smithsonian.com/museumday.

MYSTIC AQUARIUM'S ANIMAL RESCUE PROGRAM

September 25, 2018; 6:00-8:00 pm.

AUTHOR MEET AND GREET

"RETURN OF THE SEA OTTER" BY TODD McLEISH

October 11, 2018; 7:00-8:00 pm.

SEA GLASS JEWELRY WORKSHOP

Three Dates Offered

October 20, November 17, December 8, 2018; 11:00 am-12:30 pm

BEEWAX WRAPS WORKSHOP

October 20, 2018; 1:30-3:00 pm.

BEEKEEPING BASICS AND MORE!

October 7, 21, 28, December 9, 16, 23, 2018; 2:00-4:30 pm

AUDUBON BIRD AND WILDLIFE CARVING EXPOSITION

November 3 & 4, 2018; 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

PAINTING BIRDS WITH COLOR & WATER: WORKSHOP WITH ARTIST HOLLY WACH

November 10, 2018; 10:00 am-12:00 pm.

DIY: BIRD SEED BAG TOTES OR APRONS

November 10, 2018; 1:00-3:00 pm.

BIRDS OF NEW ENGLAND WORKS ON PAPER

Art Exhibit by Brenda Wrigley Scott

November 11 – December 31, 2018. 9:00 am-5:00 pm.

FAIRY HOUSES AND WINE ADULT WORKSHOP

November 17, 2018; 6:30-8:00 pm.

PAINT AND SIP: WINTER BIRDS

December 15, 2018; 6:30-8:30 pm.

OWLS AND ALE

January 19, 2019; 6:30-8:30 pm.



FAMILY PROGRAMS & CLASSES FOR CHILDREN

CITIZENS BANK FREE FAMILY FUN DAY

Thanks to Citizens Bank, the Nature Center and Aquarium is open free to the public the first Saturday of every month.

September 1, 2018: Franklin's Hatch Day Party

October 6, 2018: Ocean Pollution: Do you know where your litter is?

November: 10, 2018: Falling for Fall Fiesta

December 1, 2018: Photos with Santa and Tree Sale

LABOR DAY NATURE ACTIVITIES

September 3, 2018; 10:00 am-3:00 pm.

JUNIOR NATURALISTS FOR HOME-SCHOOLED FAMILIES

September 25 and 26, 2018 - Freshwater Wetlands

October 23 and 24, 2018 - Nature's Decomposers

November 27 and 28, 2018 - Exploring Vertebrates

December 18 and 19, 2018 - Wonderful Whales

January 29 and 30, 2019 - Icy Science

LI'L PEEPS

September 27, October 4, 11, 18, 25, November 1,

2018; 9:45-10:45 am.

PRESCHOOL ADVENTURES

October 2, 9, 16, 23, 2018; 10:00-11:00 am

COLUMBUS DAY ACTIVITIES FINDING YOUR WAY: MAPS & ORIENTEERING

October 8, 2018; 9:00 am-5:00 pm.

THE PERFECT PUMPKIN PARTY

October 27, 2018; 10:00 am-4:00 pm.

VETERANS DAY NATURE ACTIVITIES THE WILD WORLD OF WHALES!

November 12, 2018; 10:00 am-3:00 pm.

DAY AFTER THANKSGIVING ACTIVITIES

November 23, 2018; 10:00 am-3:00 pm.

BIRD HOUSE BUILDING

November 24, 2018; 10:00 am-12:00 pm.

AUDUBON ANNUAL TREE SALE AND PHOTOS WITH SANTA

December 1, 2018; 9:00 am-4:00 pm.

Meet Finn
&
Atlanta!



POWDER MILL LEDGES WILDLIFE REFUGE

12 Sanderson Road, Smithfield, RI

PROTECTING POLLINATORS LECTURE

September 15, 2018; 10:00-11:30 am.

FEED THE BIRDS! STARTING YOUR OWN BIRD FEEDING STATION

October 11, 2018; 7:00-8:30 pm.

GEOSPATIAL TECHNOLOGY: ONLINE MAPPING AND MORE

Two Day Workshop: October 18, 2018: 6:00 – 8:00 pm,
October 19, 2018: 9:00 – 11:00 am

HAND-IN-HAND: AUTUMN WALK FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

October 20, 2018; 10:00-11:30 am.

ANIMAL TRACKS AND SIGNS FOR FAMILIES

January 19, 2019; 2:00-4:00 pm

AUDUBON HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR

Artisan Gifts with a Natural Flair
December 1, 2018; 10:00 am-4:00 pm.

WREATH MAKING FOR WILDLIFE

Powder Mill Ledges Wildlife Refuge,
12 Sanderson Road, Smithfield, RI;
December 15, 2018; 10:00 am-12:00 pm.



GUIDED NATURE WALKS

at Scenic Locations across Rhode Island

PEAKS AND VALLEYS IN FALL

Long Pond Woods Wildlife Refuge, North Road, Hopkinton, RI; October 26, 2018; 9:30 am -12:00 pm.

WOODLANDS BEFORE WINTER

Parker Woodland Wildlife Refuge, Maple Valley Road, Coventry, RI;
December 10, 2018; 9:30 am -12:00 pm.



FORT WILDLIFE REFUGE

1443 Providence Pike, North Providence, RI

AUTUMNAL EQUINOX HIKE

September 22, 2018; 10:00 am-12:00 pm.

FOREST BATHING WALK

Join Audubon for a leisurely walk of shinrin-yoku or Forest Bathing. With its roots in Japan, this walk will encourage you to focus on your senses.
October 3, 2018; 10:00 am-12:00 pm.

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PRUDENCE ISLAND

Narragansett Bay National Estuarine
Research Reserve, Prudence Island, RI

MUSHROOMS FOR BEGINNERS

September 5, 2018; 9:45 am-4:45 pm.

HIKING PRUDENCE ISLAND

October 18, 2018; 1:30-6:30 pm

SEALS, BIRDS AND THE HISTORY OF PRUDENCE ISLAND

December 8, 2018; 9:45 am-4:45 pm.



Audubon Society of Rhode Island

RAPTOR WEEKEND

September 8 & 9, 2018; 10 am – 4 pm
Audubon Nature Center and Aquarium
Bristol, RI



MUSHROOMING

TAKING THE MYSTERY OUT OF MUSHROOMING

Fisherville Brook Wildlife Refuge, 99 Pardon
Joslin Road, Exeter, RI; October 20, 2018;
10:00 am-2:00 pm.

MUSHROOMING, OWLING AND ELEGANT DINING AT THE MAXWELL MAY'S LAKESIDE CABIN

Two Dates Offered
Maxwell Mays Wildlife Refuge,
2082 Victory Highway, Coventry, RI;
September 21, 22, 2018; 3:00-8:00 pm.



Register online through the events calendar at www.asri.org or call (401) 949-5454 ext. 3014.

CARATUNK WILDLIFE REFUGE

301 Brown Avenue, Seekonk, MA

CARATUNK RAMBLE

September 16, 2018; 9:00-11:00 am.

COCOA & COFFEE AT CARATUNK

Three Dates Offered: October 7, November 4 & December 2, 2018; 1:00 pm-3:00 pm.

CARATUNK'S COLUMBUS DAY SCAVENGER HUNT

October 8, 2018; 1:00 pm-3:00 pm.

FALL LEAVES & T-SHIRT PRESSING

October 14, 2018; 1:00-3:00 pm.

BIRD WALKS FOR BEGINNERS – FREE

Three Dates Offered
October 16, 23, 30, 2018; 8:30-10:00 am.

FALL FOLIAGE HIKE

October 22, 2018; 10:00 am -12:00 pm.

CARATUNK OWL PROWL

November 6, 2018; 6:30-8:00 pm.

CARATUNK CIDER RAMBLE

November 25, 2018; 10:00 am-12:00 pm.

WHERE DO ANIMALS LIVE AT CARATUNK?

December 16, 2018; 1:00-3:00 pm.



YOURS TO DISCOVER!

AUDUBON SOCIETY OF RHODE ISLAND WILDLIFE REFUGES

Take to the trails and discover the natural wonders found on Audubon Wildlife Refuges across Rhode Island.

Explore those special places that are only accessible by foot!

Visit www.asri.org for details, trail maps and directions or call (401)-949-5454.



- 1 **Fort Wildlife Refuge**
1445 Providence Pike (Rt. 5), North Smithfield, RI
- 2 **Powder Mill Ledges Wildlife Refuge**
12 Sanderson Road (Rt. 5), Smithfield, RI
- 3 **Waterman Pond**
Waterman Hill Road, Coventry, RI
- 4 **George B. Parker Woodland Wildlife Refuge**
1670 Maple Valley Road, Coventry, RI
- 5 **Caratunk Wildlife Refuge**
301 Brown Avenue, Seekonk, MA
- 6 **Long Pond Woods**
Long Pond Road, Rockville, RI
- 7 **Fisherville Brook Wildlife Refuge**
99 Pardon Joslin Road, Exeter, RI
- 8 **Davis Memorial Wildlife Refuge**
Davisville Road, North Kingstown, RI
- 8A **Narragansett Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve, Prudence Island, RI**
- 9 **Claire D. McIntosh Wildlife Refuge/ Environmental Education Center**
1401 Hope Street, Bristol, RI
- 10 **Touisset Marsh Wildlife Refuge**
Touisset Road, Warren, RI
- 11 **Lathrop Wildlife Refuge**
Route 1A, Westerly, RI
- 12 **Emilie Ruecker Wildlife Refuge**
Seapowet Avenue, Tiverton, RI
- 13 **Lewis-Dickens Farm**
Cooneymus Road, Block Island, RI
- 14 **Maxwell Mays Wildlife Refuge**
2082 Victory Highway (Rte 102), Coventry, RI
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FISHERVILLE BROOK WILDLIFE REFUGE

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