

Weston Forest and Trail Association 2021-2022 Walk Schedule

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Date	Location	Leader
Oct 3	Hubbard Woods and the Norumbega Reservoir. We will walk the site of the old	Nancy Bates and Joel
	Hubbard Estate and the beautiful Norumbega Reservoir, build in 1938. Park at	Angiolillo,
	Burt Field lot at the end of Gail Road.	617-721-5946
Nov 7	Elliston Farm to the Weston Reservoir. Visit four very different landscapes:	Lelia Elliston,
	Working farm, golf course, forest and reservoir. Park at the Elliston Homestead	781-956-8333
	at 263 South Ave.	
Dec 5	Sears Land and Melone Homestead. Enjoy a special holiday treat and explore	Diana Chaplin,
	remnants of the old Sears Estate. We will walk over the river and through the	781-354-9010
	woods leaving right from town green. Meet at the old watering trough on the	
	green and join us for a wonderful journey down memory lane.	
Jan 2	French's Field and Jericho Town Forest. Our New Year's Walk will tour the	Kristin Barbieri,
	original "Town Forest" and visit one of the lesser-known fields in Weston. Park	224-315-1614
	at Burchard Park.	
Feb 6	<u>Highland Forest</u> . Tour the grounds of the Paine Estate including the track used	Meg Kelly,
	for both sulkies and cars. Park on Wildflower Lane near the trailhead.	781-799-5201
Mar 6	Wayside Rail Trail. Park off of Concord Road at the Mass Central Rail Trail. The	Gail Palmer,
	Rail Trail will lead us to some of the prettier woods of Weston.	617-784-5368
Apr 3	College Pond and Burchard Park. Learn about the history of Merriam's farm,	Ted Cavan,
	barn, and the apple orchard at one of the town's favorite conservation	617-678-9175
	properties. Park at Burchard Park tennis courts.	
May 1	Ogilvie Town Forest. We will start in Lincoln and walk in Weston's largest and	Chris Jylkka,
	wildest forest. Park on street near 47 Old Sudbury Road ("Ponyhenge").	781-296-1631

Walks start at 2pm, rain, shine or snow, and last 1 to 2 hours. Please check <u>WestonForestTrail.org</u> for walk details and any last-minute changes. Members, visitors, children and dogs (on leash) are all welcome.

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

Since 1955 Weston Forest and Trail, a volunteer-run non-profit, has maintained the *100 miles of trails* on Weston's 2000+ acres of woods and fields. There is no charge for using Weston's open spaces, but to keep the trails open for all requires a significant amount of *effort and money*: clearing trails of fallen trees, building and repairing boardwalks and bridges, opening vistas, marking trails, and monitoring/acquiring easements, restrictions and properties. This work costs about \$100,000 a year.

Weston's open spaces help to provide *clean air and water*, as well a *diverse landscape* for flora and fauna. Even if you are not a frequent trail user, please consider supporting us today!

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