

AT BROAD MEADOW BROOK WILDLIFE SANCTUARY...

Designed for the homeschooling family, Broad Meadow Brook's homeschool programs offer a friendly, cooperative learning environment for people of all ages! At the end of all programs, students receive follow-up information and activities so the learning can continue at home. Parents are welcome to attend with the student(s), but students may stay on their own if a medical form is on file with the sanctuary.

Fee for each program unless otherwise indicated below: \$8.00 Mass Audubon Members, \$12.00 Non-members. Program fees are for each participating child.

Snowshoe the Sanctuary

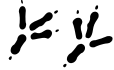
Thurs., January 12, 2012
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM



Use snowshoes to explore the natural beauty of the sanctuary in winter. Look for tracks, watch winter wildlife, and cure your cabin fever! No experience necessary. We provide the snowshoes and basic instruction, if needed. Parents are welcome to snowshoe with us. (In the event that we don't have snow cover, we will still learn basic snowshoe technique and take a winter ecology hike on foot.) For ages 8 and above.

CSI- Broad Meadow Brook

Thursdays, February 9 and March 8
1:00PM - 3:00PM



Become an expert investigator in this two-part class. In the first class, learn to classify fingerprints and shoeprints and relate your knowledge to animal tracking. In the second class, examine bite marks and impressions and compare them to the jaws of various animals. Finally, solve the mystery and announce who committed the "crime" at BMB! For ages 8 and above.

Fee: \$16.00 Mass Audubon Members, \$24.00 Non-members. Program fees are for each participating child.



Wicked Big Puddles

Thurs., April 12
1:00PM—3:00PM

Sanctuary pools are the key to survival for several beloved species, like the wood frog and spotted salamander. We'll explore a certified vernal pool and assess how its inhabitants are faring. Then we'll examine a newer wetland area on the sanctuary and determine if it, too, might be a vernal pool. Bring an extra set of clothes, just in case we get wet. For ages 8 and above.



The Elusive Bobcat

Thurs., May 10
1:00PM—3:00PM



Learn all about bobcats, the only wild cat in Massachusetts. Bobcats are shy and elusive, so it's unlikely we'll see one on the sanctuary. Instead, we'll examine an antique, stuffed specimen and track casts. Then we'll search the woods for tracks, scent markings, and possible den sites. Do bobcats live at Broad Meadow Brook? You decide. For ages 8 and above.



Nature Adventures for 5 to 7 Year Olds



THURSDAYS, 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
JANUARY 12, FEBRUARY 9, MARCH 8, APRIL 12, MAY 10

Join us the second Thursday of each month for this exciting nature program designed especially for five, six and seven year olds. Each month we will focus on a new nature topic. We'll explore our topic indoors — with investigations, crafts and activities — and outdoors in Broad Meadow Brook's beautiful 400 acre wildlife sanctuary. These classes will provide in-depth learning in a supportive social environment.

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Pre-registration is required for most programs.
For more information or to register for any of these programs, contact:

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