

Moose Hill Wildlife Sanctuary

Moose Hill Wildlife Sanctuary, located in Sharon and established in 1916, is the oldest Massachusetts Audubon Society sanctuary and one of the oldest private wildlife sanctuaries in the United States. Moose Hill protects nearly 2000 acres of forests, fields and wetland habitats. The Sanctuary offers a wide variety of programs and services for children, adults, families, schools, scouts, and community groups. The office and gift shop is open weekdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m and weekends from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.. The trails are open everyday. Members hike for free. The trail fee for non-members is \$4 for adults and \$3 for children and seniors. Children three and under hike for free. For more information, call 781-784-5691.

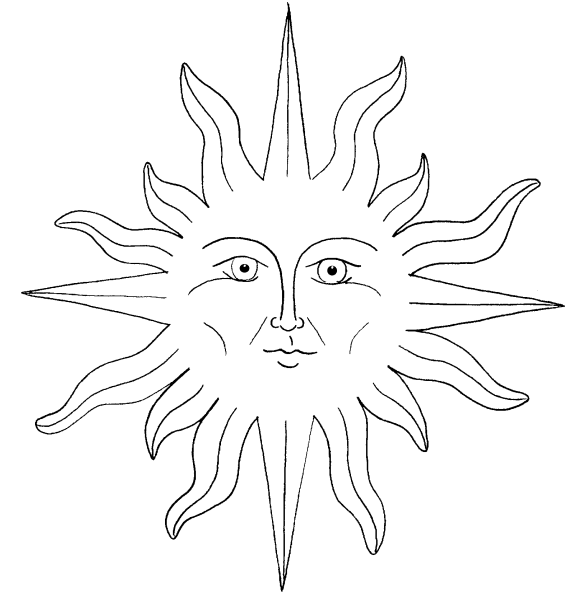
Mass Audubon

Mass Audubon works to protect the nature of Massachusetts for people and wildlife. Together with more than 100,000 members, we care for 33,000 acres of conservation land, provide educational programs for 200,000 children and adults annually, and advocate for sound environmental policies at local, state, and federal levels. Mass Audubon's mission and actions have expanded since our beginning in 1896 when our founders set out to stop the slaughter of birds for use on women's fashions. Today we are the largest conservation organization in New England. Our statewide network of 45 wildlife sanctuaries welcomes visitors of all ages and serves as the base for our conservation, education, and advocacy work. To support these important efforts, call 800-AUDUBON (283-8266) or visit www.massaudubon.org.

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Rental Information



About Rentals at Moose Hill

Thank you for your interest in the Moose Hill Wildlife Sanctuary. We hope to provide you with a wonderful environment for your meeting or function. The sanctuary has almost 2,000 acres of protected land with extensive hiking trails through a diversity of habitats.

The Sunroom and Front Room can seat about 20 people comfortably in each space. This area has direct access to the kitchen.

The Gallery exhibits nature related artwork and can seat about 36 people. The warmth of a roaring fire in the fireplace is a nice addition when renting this space in the fall or winter. This space is only available as part of a Main Floor Rental.

The yards around the Nature Center may be the perfect addition to your rental. Picnic tables are available in the camp yard. Please note that the grounds/picnic tables are open to the public, but may be used by your group on a first come, first served basis. During the summer, the picnic tables and yard are reserved weekdays from 8 am through 6 pm for our Summer Camp program. If you just plan on using the picnic tables, our trail fee of \$4 per adult and \$3 per child/senior applies. This fee is waived for Mass Audubon members and Sharon residents.

Our kitchen space, complete with microwave and oven/stove may be used during your rental. (The kitchen is not available to groups just using the picnic tables.) Please note that unless you have scheduled a Main Floor Rental, Moose Hill staff may also use the kitchen.



Moose Hill's buildings and grounds are smoke free. Beer and wine may be permitted during a rental when prior notice is given and required paperwork is completed no less than two weeks prior to your rental date.

Sanctuary Information

Moose Hill is part of Mass Audubon, a statewide environmental organization.

The Sanctuary trails, grounds, and Nature Center are open to the public everyday.

The office, gallery, and gift shop hours are weekdays from 9 am to 5 pm and weekends from 10 am to 4 pm.

Rentals extending any amount beyond our regular office hours are considered "After Hours" and will have a liaison present in the building and will be charged the "After Hours" rate.

What We Can Provide

Room set-up with tables and chairs

Up to 50 folding chairs

Up to 8 6-foot tables

Wireless internet connection

Full kitchen facility

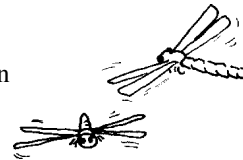
Oven/stove

Microwave

Refrigerator

30-cup coffee urn

Guided Walk (see below)



Guided Walks and Hikes on Your Own

Explore the wonders of the sanctuary during a guided, hour-long walk, or head out on your own.

Guided Walks

Additional \$5 per person (\$50 minimum)

Maximum of 20 people per Moose Hill leader.

Walks must be confirmed upon scheduling a rental.

Self-Guided Explorations

The trail fee will be waived for you and your guests during your rental day should you wish to explore the trails on your own. Trail maps are available.

Fees

The listed fees below are based on the times indicated; your set up and clean up time are included in these times. Discounts do not apply to rental times less than four hours.

An additional fee will be incurred if materials are delivered to Moose Hill outside of the scheduled rental times. The amount is dependent on the quantity of materials to be stored before and/or after the rental.

Sunroom/Front Room

This is a great space for club meetings, business meetings, and social gatherings. These rooms are adjacent with a wide doorway that can be open for easy access or closed to provide two separate spaces.

Weekday	4 hr/\$150; 6 hr/\$225; 8 hr/\$300
Weekend	4 hr/\$240; 6 hr/\$360; 8 hr/\$640
After Hours	4 hr/\$400; 6 hr/\$600; 8 hr/\$800

Main Floor Rental

A Main Floor rental includes the Gallery, Front Room, and Sunroom. A Moose Hill liaison will be available during the rental to help as needed.

Weekday	4 hr/\$400; 6 hr/\$600; 8 hr/\$800
Weekend	4 hr/\$800; 6 hr/\$1200; 8 hr/\$1600
After Hours	4 hr/\$1000; 6 hr/\$1500; 8 hr/\$2000

For more information or to schedule a rental or walk through, please contact
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