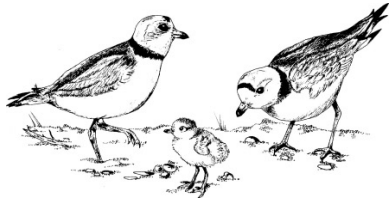


South Shore Sanctuaries Scout Program Information

North River Wildlife Sanctuary, Marshfield
Daniel Webster Wildlife Sanctuary, Marshfield
North Hill Marsh Wildlife Sanctuary, Duxbury

The South Shore Sanctuaries offers nature-based programs for both boy and girl scouts. Programs focus on the badge requirements which the South Shore education staff is best suited to teach. Custom programs may also be available to meet the specific needs of your den/troop.



GIRL SCOUTS

Brownie "Try It" Badges (Age 6-8)

Eco-Explorer 1 ½ hours
Explore the sanctuary with a scavenger hunt on the trails to look for living and nonliving things. Learn about different habitats and why there so important to our native wildlife.

Watching Wildlife 1 ½ hours
Improve your observation skills as we focus on watching the animals found at the sanctuary. Learn how they build their homes, get ready for the seasons, and communicate with each other.

For more information or to schedule a scout visit, call the office at 781-837-9400 or contact aquist@massaudubon.org

Junior Badges (Ages 8-11)

Wildlife 2 hours
Take a hike along the trails to learn about our state's wildlife. Find out which animals are native, which might be endangered, and what our sanctuary is doing to help protect them. Learn to identify at least five species of birds and discover the tools needed to be a successful wildlife watcher.

Earth Connections 2 hours
Explore the sanctuary through the eyes of an ecologist. Learn about plant and animal relationships, human effects on the natural environment, and how to identify 10 different species of trees.

Your Outdoor Surroundings 2 hours
Get outside and hit the trail for some fun in the outdoors. Go on a scavenger hunt to discover the plants and animals that call our sanctuary home. Learn what a naturalist does and how to pack safe and smart for a nature hike.

BOY SCOUTS

Bear Cubs (Age 8)

Sharing Your World with Wildlife 2 hours
Come visit the sanctuary and learn what wildlife species are endangered in our area of the state. Find out what a conservation officer does and how you can help protect wildlife in your neighborhood.

Webelos (Ages 9-11)

Naturalist 2 hours
Discover the role of a naturalist as you tour the sanctuary in search of native wildlife. Identify at least five species of birds and learn about migration flyways in this area. Become familiar with some common plants, learning to identify at least one poisonous, one non-native, and one wild edible.

OTHER PROGRAM OPTIONS

Leave No Trace 2 hours
Participation in outdoor recreation should seek to minimize the impact on the natural environment. Follow a map a take a scavenger hunt through the sanctuary to learn about the seven principles of *Leave No Trace* – a collection of simple rules that promote proper outdoor ethics.

Bird Nest Box Workshop* 1 ½ hours
Discover the world of birds. Learn about the natural history and habitat needs of local cavity nesting birds. Find out how to identify them by color, shape, and sound. Build a nest box to take home and find out which birds call your backyard home. ***This program often supplements various badge requirements.***

Hayride at Daniel Webster* 1 ½ hours
Enjoy a tour of the Daniel Webster Wildlife Sanctuary while riding in of our tractor-drawn hay-wagon. Look for wildlife along the way and learn about the cultural history of the land. ***Enhance the experience – combine a hayride with earning a badge!***

Program Fees:

1 ½ hours	\$7/child
2 hours	\$8/child
(Minimum 8 scouts)	

*Nest Box Workshop \$14/child
(Fee includes the cost of supplies)

*Hayride \$125/wagon

Scheduling:

Programs may be scheduled after school or on Saturdays.

