

Book a program for your troop today!

WACHUSETT MEADOW WILDLIFE SANCTUARY

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WEATHER & GEAR

All programs take place outdoors, rain or shine. Participants will be notified if a program is cancelled due to severe weather. Please bring water and wear sturdy, closed-toe footwear (sneakers or hiking shoes). Sunblock and insect repellent is recommended.

ABOUT MASS AUDUBON

With more than 125,000 members and supporters, Mass Audubon protects 38,000 acres of land throughout Massachusetts, saving birds and other wildlife, and making nature accessible to all. We welcome you to explore a nearby sanctuary, find inspiration, and get involved. Learn how at massaudubon.org.



Wachusett Meadow & Broad Meadow Brook

Scout Programs



Take your troop on an adventure they'll never forget!



With 1,100 acres of land and 12 miles of trails at Wachusett Meadow, 430 acres of land and five miles of trails at Broad Meadow Brook, scouts can explore forests, fields, and wetlands while completing badges, journeys, and adventures.

Choose from the programs offered in this brochure OR request a topic and we can tailor a program to fit your needs.

Enhance your experience with canoe and snowshoe rentals, camping, and more!

We lead scout programs year-round, seven days a week. Please reach out at least two weeks in advance of your preferred program date.

Get in touch!

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Program Fees

On-Sanctuary | Day

2 hours – \$75 up to 8 scouts
\$9 each additional scout

2.5 hours – \$85 up to 8 scouts
\$10 each additional scout

On-Sanctuary | Night

2 hours – \$155 up to 12 scouts
\$13 each additional scout

Unguided Visit

\$3/adult, \$2/child (10 person minimum, call ahead)

Smaller groups welcome at visitor rates

Guided Canoe Program

(Wachusett Meadow only)
\$80/hour/up to 10 people
(4 canoes & safety gear)
Additional \$15/hour/canoe

Rental Fees

Canoe Rental

(Wachusett Meadow only)
\$40/hour up to 10 people
(4 canoes & safety gear)
3 people/canoe, 1 adult/canoe required
Additional \$10/hour/canoe



Snowshoes

\$3/hour/person (10 person min.)

Pavilion

\$20/hour

Girl Scouts

Journeys

Think Like a Citizen Scientist
Daisy, Brownie, Junior, Cadette—
2/2.5 hrs



Discover how citizen scientists solve problems on our sanctuaries. Sharpen your observation skills and try out citizen science activities.

Wow! Wonders of Water
Brownie—2 hrs

Become a water droplet and act out the three states of water. Explore the water cycle and learn about water conservation. Visit a wetland and search for living creatures.



Get Moving
Junior—2.5 hrs

Calculate your carbon footprint, visit our solar panels, and follow a green trail to discover energy-saving strategies. Take a hike and talk about how energy use can affect wildlife.



Badges

Trail Adventure

Daisy, Brownie—2 hrs

Plan for and take a nature hike while exploring plants and animals on the sanctuary.



Detective

Junior—2.5 hrs

Practice observation skills, communicate in code, and learn about fingerprints.



Outdoor Art

Daisy, Brownie, Junior,
Cadette—2/2.5 hrs

Explore the outdoors, spot examples of living art, and create nature-inspired artwork.

Outdoor Adventurer

Brownie—2 hrs

Explore nature, play outdoors, practice building a campfire, and take care of sanctuary animals.

Hiker

Brownie—2 hrs

Read a trail map, plan your route, and pick your gear. Hike the trails, identifying what you see.



Animal Habitats

Junior—2.5 hrs

Learn about wild animals on the sanctuary, investigate an animal habitat.

Cub Scouts

Adventures

Tigers in the Wild

Tiger—2 hrs

Prep your hiking gear and learn to leave no trace. Identify plants and animals while hiking.

Paws on the Path

Wolf—2 hrs

Learn to hike safely.



Discuss hiking principles and identify animals on the trails.

Fur, Feathers, and Ferns

Bear—2 hrs

Identify plants and animals while hiking. Learn about animals that are extinct and endangered.

Into the Woods

Webelos—2 hrs

Identify six forest trees and plants, and learn why they are important. Hike and explore tree rings.

Into the Wild

Webelos—2 hrs

Learn about migration and play a food chain game. Hike and search for animals in the wild!



Earth Rocks!

Webelos—2 hrs

Make a scale of mineral hardness, model how mountains form, and hike to Glacial Boulder.

Service Projects

Please contact us about Service Projects, including Eagle Scout and Gold Award. Projects can be completed at Wachusett Meadow or Broad Meadow Brook if project aligns with our conservation practices.

Custom Programs

Don't see what you're looking for? Ask us! We can design a program to meet your needs.

- Complete other badges
- Rent canoes and snowshoes
- Camp overnight
(Wachusett Meadow only)
- Summit Wachusett Mountain
- And more!

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Our programs assist your scouts with fulfilling badge requirements. It is the scout group's responsibility to provide the awards.

