

EASTHAM HIKING CLUB

HIKE SCHEDULE 2019-2020

Sept - Oct

Volunteer Hike Leaders

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- Risks and fitness for these hikes are solely the responsibility of hikers.
- Hikes **depart at 9:00 a.m.**, are free; open to all, CANCEL email by 7:45 morning of hike.
- Hikes are 4 to 6½ miles in 2 to 2½ hours on paths and dirt roads, most with soft sand and hills.
- Carpooling optional; meet at Orleans Stop&Shop, left lot off main entrance.
- Directions are from Orleans rotary.
- Email Chuck to get on our email list or removed.

Sep 4, Eastham - 'Walk the Flats' of Cape Cod Bay - (One way shuttle hike) Leader: Mark
Meet at First Encounter Beach, Eastham. Rt 6 to L at lights on Samoset Rd (opp Eastham Town Hall) to lot. (shuttle to start at Crosby Landing, -take Rt 6A west, 1st R after Nickerson S.P. entrance, Crosby Lane to end. Walk the Flats from Brewster to First Encounter Beach. Wear shoes that can get wet. Water can be knee high.

Sep 11, Brewster - Punkhorn (Caution- Run Hill Rd. is very narrow) Leader: Don
From 6A, pass Rt 137, .75mi, L at fork at blinking light onto Stony Brook Road, .6mi L at Run Hill Road, about two miles to small parking lot on L. - Hike to scenic ponds and woodland trails of the Punkhorn.

Sep 18, Truro - Head of the Meadow, Ridley Grave - Carpool 8:15 Leader: Chuck
Rt 6 to Truro. R at Head of the Meadow Rd. Go 1 mi bear left at fork to the NPS parking lot. Hike through woods to isolated Ridley grave, return via Coast Guard Beach.

Sep 25, Truro - Longnook ~ AF Station & Jenny Lind - Carpool 8:20 Leader: Don
*Rt 6, R at Longnook Road and follow to parking lot at the end
Hike woodlands to former Air Force Station and Jenny Lind Tower*

Oct 2, Truro - Ballston Beach, to Longnook - Carpool 8:20 Leader: Chuck
*Rt 6 to Truro, Pamet Roads exit, R then L to South Pamet Rd, parking lot at end of road
Bearberry Hill, ocean cliffs, Longnook Beach and a long ocean beach walk.*

Oct 9, Wellfleet - Marconi Beach, Fresh Brook Leader: Don
*Rt 6, R at Marconi light, continuing straight to Marconi Beach parking lot south side.
Hike past remains of Wellfleet's old Fresh Brook Village along trails and past ocean overlook*

Oct 16, Eastham - Coast Guard Station, and Nauset Marsh - (One way shuttle hike) Leader: Mark
*Meet at Seashore Coast Guard Station. Rt 6 to R at Visitors Center, 1.7 mi to T, R to CG Station.
(We will shuttle to start of hike at Fort Hill lower parking lot)
Walk the Fort Hill area, beautiful Nauset Marsh, old Cedar Bank Links, around Salt Pond, to CG Station.*

Oct 23, Harwich - Sand Pond, West Reservoir ~ Lorna Hutcheons Memorial Leader: Don
*Rt 6 Exit 10, S on Rt. 124. R at T at Church. Great Western Rd. to Sand Pond parking lot on right.
Hike along Harwich ponds, herring run, marshland and cranberry bogs.*

Oct 30, Provincetown - Visitors Center, Old Life Saving Station - Carpool 8:05 Leader: Chuck
*Rt 6 to Provincetown, R at first traffic light onto Race Point Rd, Visitors Center is 1.3 miles on right
Hike sand dunes and ocean beach to Old Harbor Life Saving Station. Nice views, lots of sand.*