

EASTHAM HIKING CLUB

SCHEDULE OF HIKES

2016-2017 #5 May

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Email markmcgrath@verizon.net for A) bi-monthly schedules B) weekly hike report with maps or C) both

Hikes start at 9:00 am, are FREE to the public; rain/heavy snow CANCELS by email before 7:45 on day of hike.

Hikes are 4 to 6-1/2 miles in 2 to 2-1/2 hours on wooded paths with some soft sand and hills.

Carpooling: Optional, Meet at Orleans (south of rotary) Stop&Shop left lot off main entrance.

May 3 Truro - Pilgrim Heights ~ Car Pool 8:15

Leader(s): Don & Bob

Rt 6, R at Pilgrim Heights National Seashore sign to end of parking lot

Hike Pilgrim Heights to sand road, over high dunes to dike and Pilgrim Springs

May 10 Eastham Herring Marsh New One way hike Carpool 8:40

Leader(s): Mark

Rt 6 to traffic lights in Eastham Center, left on Samoset Rd, 1.3 miles to left on Herring Brook Rd. .5 miles to Herring Pond parking area on left. We will car pool to the start

Explore Herring Marsh. Soggy if you wander from the high ground. Hiking boots recommended. Sneakers not so much.

May 17 Harwich - Hawksnest Park

Leader(s): Chuckt 6

Exit 11 L then 1st R on Spruce Rd, Go 0.3 miles and park on left side of road just past fencing

Hike by several ponds on fire roads and woodland trails, including Harwich Conservation Land and cemetery.

May 24 Brewster - Nickerson Park - Main Entrance ~ End of year picnic

Leader(s): Don & Bob

Rt 6A to Nickerson State Park entrance. Park in lot on immediate right.

Hike in new places and see new things. Bring a picnic lunch and maybe something to share for after the hike.