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WELLFLEET CONSERVATION TRUST offers its 10th Annual Guided Walk on Saturday, September 10th On **Lieutenant Island**, Wellfleet

(Wellfleet, MA, Aug 30, 2016) Wellfleet Conservation Trust (WCT) will offer its 10th Annual Guided Walk on Saturday, September 10th, 2016 beginning at 9AM. The walk, which is open to the public, free of charge, will be a tour of **Lieutenant's Island** in South Wellfleet guided by local experts.

The WCT Annual Guided Walk is a tradition that began in 2007 for the public to experience the beauty of Wellfleet's open space and conservation lands while being guided by naturalists and other local experts who share their knowledge of the history, geology, and ecology of the areas being explored.

The island's name is spelled two different ways above. This year's walk will explain why as well as cover such topics as the causeway and bridge, terrapin gardens, early settlers and island history, aquaculture, role of the Lt. Island Association, erosion, and whale try works and salt haying. The guides will point out the various vistas along with conservation lands
The walk will begin at 9AM on Saturday, September 10th at the beginning of the Lt. Island causeway (before the bridge). Parking will be limited so carpooling is recommended. The walk is about 2.7 miles in length. Walkers will be offered the opportunity to leave the walk earlier if necessary. Estimated time of the walk is 2.5 – 3.0 hours. Much of the walk is exposed and about half is along the shore of Blackfish Creek. The walk is free of charge, all are welcome to participate, and no reservation is necessary. Rain date is Sunday, September 11h at 9AM at the same location. For further information about the 10th Annual Guided Walk, visit the Wellfleet Conservation Trust website: www.wellfleetconservationtrust.org.

About Wellfleet Conservation Trust

Wellfleet Conservation Trust is a non-profit organization established in 1984 to assist and promote the preservation of natural resources and rural character of the town of Wellfleet. WCT's mission is to conserve land in its natural state in perpetuity for enjoyment by current and future generations. For further information about the effort, visit: www.wellfleetconservationtrust.org or write: WCT, PO Box 84, Wellfleet MA 02667.

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