

Noble View FallFest

September 30th 2023



Schedule of Activities

Time	Activity	Leader	Location	Description
10:00	Registration	Laura Stinnette	Table on hill by the Bathhouse	Sign in, get your map for the day, and say hello!
10:00-12:30	Beginner/Intermediate Paddle	Bonna Wieler Deb Weisenstein	Russell Pond	Enjoy a morning of paddling on Russell Pond before the #AMCFallFest activities at Noble View. Beginner and intermediate paddlers welcome, and children over 10 if accompanied on the water by a parent.
10:00	20s&30s 2-hour casual hike	Alex & Zenya Molnar	Near Registration	Join us to hike a few miles at a moderate pace that will provide a tour of the beautiful property and the in-progress All-Persons Trail before the BBQ lunch.
10:00	Story Walk: The Apple Pie Tree	Laura Stinnette	Bathhouse	This .7 mile family walk through the NV forest will include book page signs on the trail that tell the story of two sisters who watch their apple tree change and grow through the four seasons and produce apples for an apple pie that they make. We will finish our walk at an apple tree and make some applesauce!
10:30-11:15	Forest Resiliency Stroll	Christina McKeown, DCR Climate Forester Heather Wyman	Registration table	In person woods walk with Christina McKeown, Climate Forester at Massa DCR. Learn to spot elements of climate resiliency and vulnerability in the forest.
11:15	Adult guided Waterfall hike (medium hike)	David Wells	Trailhead at Noble View Upper Parking lot	Pitcher Brook Trail to waterfalls, loop back on Laurel Lane, about 2 miles round trip, easy to moderate pace.
11:15-12:00	Family Scavenger Hunt	Christina McKeown, DCR Climate Forester Heather Wyman	Family Outings Table	Enjoy fun in the woods while learning about our relationship with nature and the concept of Leave No Trace. Children will be encouraged to find animal tracks, spider webs, lichen and

				other items on the Scavenger Hunt form provided.
12:00-1:00	Ukulele Concert/clinic	Heather Wyman	By Big Rock behind Cabins	Listen and join in!
12:00-2:00	BBQ Popcorn machine!	AMC Staff	Big Tent	Enjoy a good meal and conversation.
1:00-3:00	Concert!	Rounders Revival	Big Tent	Folk, roots & Americana music with a Berkshires local band!
1:00	Information & Activity Tables:		Around Bathhouse and Cabins	
	Paddling	Deb and Bonna		
	Family and Educational Outings	Laura Stinnette		
	Outings Committee	Kathy Martin		
	Women Outdoors/Women's weekend	Bonna Wieler		
	Conservation	Eric Harris Jason Porter		
	New England Trail Committee	Kevin Pelosky		
	Children's Slackline	DIY!		
	Pumpkin Patch decorating	DIY!		
1:00	Ferns & Flora of Noble View	Laura Stinnette Randy Stone, Pioneer Valley Fern Society	Hiking Table	Ferns are some of our most noticeable non-flowering plants and Noble View Outdoor Center is rich with them! They thrive in shady places in a variety of habitats. Join us for a stroll around Noble View to identify some of our native ferns and other fall flora. Maybe even ID a mushroom or two! Walk will be less than a half mile and will be at a leisurely pace.
1:00	All Persons Trail preview tour	Miriam Maistelman, AMC NET Coordinator	NET Table	Get a tour of the in-progress All Persons Trail including an impressive new bridge with the new AMC NET Coordinator
2:00	Hammock hanging How-to	Bob Haslett	Behind Bathhouse	Demonstration of hanging hammocks of various types for camping
2:00	Map & Compass workshop	Joe Ciras & Charlie Arsenault	Map & Compass table	Come learn the basics of how to use a map & compass or refresh your skills!

2:00	Wilderness First Aid Introduction and hike with scenarios	Richard Dabal	Registration table	Almost anything can happen on the trail. Tag along for listening in on how to deal with the unexpected.
2:30	Short 1 mile hike	Kathy Martin	Registration table	Family friendly, all are welcome!
4:00	Event Ends Campfire s'mores and more	AMC Staff	Firepit	
6:00 pm	Sunset Paddle	Dawne Piers-Gamble Deb Weisenstein Bonna Wieler	Russell Pond	

Register For FallFest

Additional local FallFest events will take place between Sept 22-30.

Learn more about these events [here](#)