

Blackstone Complex
Department of Conservation and Recreation

Exploring the Blackstone River Valley
Recreational Hike Series

All programs are free and open to the public. Appropriate for ages 12 and up. Registration is not required. Wear sturdy footwear. Dress for the weather. Water, bug spray, and sunscreen are encouraged. Bathrooms are available unless stated otherwise. Programming is subject to change. For the most up to date information, call (508) 278-7604 or visit bit.ly/blstupdates.



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| Sunday,
May 4 | Goat Hill Loop, 2—4 p.m.
Blackstone River and Canal Heritage State Park
Meet at the River Bend Farm Visitor Center parking area (287 Oak Street, Uxbridge). ~2 miles over rugged forest and rocky surfaces with steep inclines. |
| Sunday,
May 11 | Nuthatch Loop, 1—4 p.m.
Upton State Forest
Meet at the CCC Camp parking area (205 Westboro Road, Upton). ~5 miles over loose gravel and rocky surfaces with moderate inclines. |
| Sunday,
May 18 | Chamberlain Pond Loop, 2—4 p.m.
Douglas State Forest
Meet at the Charmbelain Pond Trail parking area (bit.ly/chamberlainpond). ~4 miles over a rocky and rugged forest surface with moderate inclines. <i>Bathrooms are not available at this site.</i> |
| Sunday,
May 25 | Blackstone River Greenway Hike, 2—4 p.m.
Blackstone River and Canal Heritage State Park
Meet at the Canal Street parking area (85 Canal Street, Blackstone). ~4 miles over a paved surface with no inclines. <i>Bathrooms are not available at this site.</i> |
| Sunday,
June 1 | Skull Rock Lock Hike, 2—4 p.m.
Blackstone River and Canal Heritage State Park
Meet at the Skull Rock Lock parking area (bit.ly/skullrocklock). ~2 miles over a rugged forest surface with mild inclines. <i>Bathrooms are not available at this site.</i> |
| Sunday,
June 8 | Cedar Swamp Loop, 2—4 p.m.
Douglas State Forest
Meet at the Coffeehouse Loop Trailhead auxiliary parking area (bit.ly/dougaux). ~3.5 miles over a loose gravel surface with moderate inclines. |
| Sunday,
June 15 | Dean Pond Loop, 2—4 p.m.
Upton State Forest
Meet at the CCC parking area (205 Westboro Road, Upton). ~3.5 miles over loose gravel surface with steep inclines. |
| Sunday,
June 22 | Triad Bridge Hike, 2—4 p.m.
Blackstone River and Canal Heritage State Park
Meet at the Central Street parking area (44 Hope Street, Millville). ~4 miles over a paved surface with no inclines. <i>Bathrooms are not available at this site.</i> |
| Sunday,
June 29 | Lookout Rock Hike, 2—4 p.m.
Blackstone River and Canal Heritage State Park
Meet at the Rice City Pond parking area (bit.ly/ricecitypond). ~2.5 miles over a rugged forest surface with moderate inclines. <i>Bathrooms are not available at this site.</i> |