

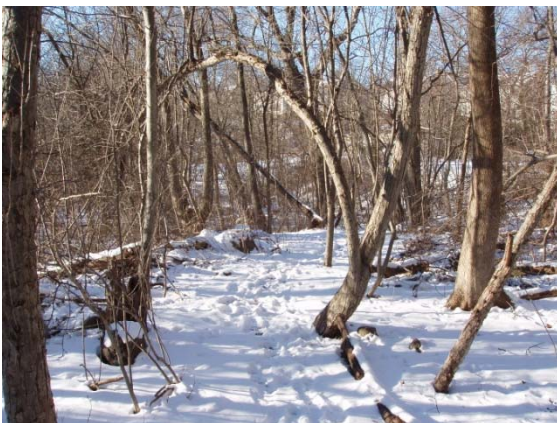
# Discover the Roslindale Wetlands

– Be Part of Boston’s Celebration of World Wetlands Day –

Wetlands are highly complex natural systems that are an important part of climate resiliency. They provide water filtration, aid drainage, and protection from stormwater and flooding. Wetlands are a place of outdoor recreation, exploration, and beauty as well as a valuable habitat for wildlife, birds, and fish. Neighborhood residents are working to restore Boston’s often overlooked wetlands. World Wetlands Day 2021 commemorates the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the International Convention on Wetlands, a treaty recognizing the ecological, economic, cultural, scientific, and recreational value of wetlands.



The Roslindale Wetlands Urban Wild is home to many plant and animal species. Walk the perimeter trail for a mini-hike and natural escape through this 10-1/2 acre inland wetland. The Roslindale Wetlands is dominated by forested wetland habitat, and absorbs much of the surrounding area’s stormwater.



## Why Visit

- Look for animal tracks
- Watch for birds
- See how many tree species you can identify without their leaves
- Observe patterns in the ice
- Take photos



**Access Point:** Corner of Robken & Selwyn Streets, Roslindale, MA 02131

**Parking:** Street parking available

**Nearest bus stop:** Corner of Centre & Weld Streets, Route 51, or any of the buses or the commuter rail line stopping in Roslindale Village (a 5 to 7 minute walk from the Roslindale Wetlands).

**Level of Difficulty:** Easy.

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Take a self-guided walk along the Roslindale Wetlands as part of Boston’s World Wetlands Day Celebration! Visit nearby wetland areas, such as Canterbury Brook in Roslindale or the Sherrin Street Woods in Hyde Park. Please wear your mask, sturdy shoes, and warm clothes (it’s winter) and practice social distancing.

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Water, wetlands and life.



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