



Sachuest Point National Wildlife Refuge 50th Anniversary

Celebratory Events:

■ **Guided Bird Walk - Cancelled**

March 14th, 10 am. Join naturalist Bob Kenney on an informative guided bird walk along the rocky shores.

■ **Earth Week Celebration - Cancelled**

April 18th. Join Aquidneck Island Intertribal Indian Council as we honor and connect with nature in a ceremony and silent walk.

■ **Piping Plover Guided Walk - Cancelled**

May 16th, 10 am. Learn about this protected shorebird led by biologist Maureen Durkin. Meet at Sachuest Point Visitor Center.

■ **Beach Grass Planting at Sachuest Point - Cancelled**

May 18th-22nd. Students gain experience in native plant restoration at the beaches of Sachuest Point.

■ **Discover the Red-tailed Hawk - Cancelled**

June 28th, 11 am. Join experts from the Norman Bird Sanctuary for a live bird presentation at the Sachuest Point Visitor Center.

■ **Archery at the Point - Cancelled**

July 20th, 10 am – 1pm (safety lesson at 10). Learn from experts to properly use a bow; have fun aiming for the bullseye. Please call to register at 401 619/2680.

■ **Sunset to Full Moon Walk - Cancelled**

August 2nd, 7pm. Join naturalist Bob Kenney who will take you on an evening exploration under the light of a full moon.

■ **Take Me Fishing Day - Cancelled**

August 8th, 10 am to 3 pm. Surf casting, fishing demonstrations, loaner poles, fish crafts, games, scavenger hunts and more.

■ **Battling Invasives – A Community Project - Cancelled**

August, TBD. Students from Roger Williams University lend their support for “Community Connections Day.”

■ **Friends of the NWRs of Rhode Island Photo Contest**

Entries due September 9th. Best of Show will be framed and permanently displayed in the Sachuest Point NWR Visitor Center to memorialize our 50th year anniversary. Call to reserve the salt marsh photo blind!

■ **It's National Wildlife Refuge Week**

October 17th, 11 am. “Pollinators!” Celebrate national wildlife refuges as we highlight the importance of refuges and native plants in protecting vital pollinators.

■ **Celebrate the 50th Birthday of Sachuest Point National Wildlife Refuge!** November 3rd, 10 am to 3 pm. Stop by for cake, and a stamp commemorating this special date, 50 years of conservation.

■ **Discover Naval History on Veterans Day at Sachuest Point**

November 11th, 10 am. Honoring our roots. Learn how this land was used during both World Wars.

Learn more about these programs at: www.fws.gov/refuge/sachuest_point
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