

Above: A view of Simpkins Neck from DCLT's Tobey Woodlands

# August 26, 2022 Updates from the DCLT

## Notes from the Field

Stewardship day with the NLC



Last week DCLT volunteers carpooled off Cape to remove invasive plants from the Native Land Conservancy's (NLC's) 'Wampanoag Common Lands' property.

This joint stewardship day represents the ongoing collaborative partnership between the DCLT and NLC.

This past December the organizations signed a 'Cultural Respect Easement' to provide and encourage access to DCLT properties for Indigenous cultural practices.

Learn more about the 'Wampanoag Common Lands' in recent coverage by the Associated Press, here.

Click for more photos!

#### DCLT's D-Y Interns study... ticks!



DCLT interns Sophia Newcomb and Kayly Gleason have worked with DCLT staff throughout summer to sample ticks across town. The goal of their science fair project, part of DCLT's D-Y 'Student Research in Natural Sciences' Program, is to test the tendency of ticks to attach to animal fur versus human clothing, both on and off DCLT's trails throughout town.



## Upcoming Events

### DCLT's Duck Race!

Saturday, Sept. 17th, 11 am - 2 pm



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#### DJ · FOOD · GAMES · RAFFLE BASKETS · KIDS ACTIVITIES

So just what is the Rubber Duck Regatta?



**500** small rubber duckies are launched from a boat out in the bay on an incoming tide. The wind blows them ashore or ....not at all! Some good natured kayakers are on hand to herd' the flock in the right direction. Enjoy a Cape Cod outdoor family fun day. It's free to attend, free to vote for your favorite non-water- decorated Decked Out Duck. New this year, we have added a Children's category, ages 12 and under please.

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#### Walk with us at Fresh Pond

Tuesday, Sept. 20th, 5 pm



Join DCLT staff for a casual walk around DCLT's Fresh Pond South property.

Explore up to two miles of trail while discussing the natural and cultural history of the area.

Sturdy, waterproof footwear recommended. Families welcome!

Learn more & buy entries! Learn more & sign up!

Special Cape Playhouse offer for DCLT Members!





I Spy with an Infrared Eye...



... an American Woodcock! At DCLT's Tobey Woodlands.

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