



Above: The pasture at Crowes Pasture, East Dennis.

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Updates from the DCLT

New StoryWalk at Old Fort Field

Am I Small? Sou pequena?

by Philipp Winterberg

Bring the little ones (or language learners!) to our latest StoryWalk, now through the end of November!

Am I Small? follows Tamia on an adventure through nature as she asks that question to a variety of colorful, wonderful animals.

This book is among the most widely translated of any children's book, and here, was posted with dual languages - English and Portuguese - to assist our community's learners of both.

The book can be viewed at DCLT's Old Fort Field, 105 New Boston Road in Dennis Village.

Please visit, share it with your friends and family, and tell us what you think!



Would you lend a helping hand?

We know Barbie would!

Housing help for service!



In May 2022, our dear friend and long time volunteer Barbie was involved in a horrific house explosion in Dennis that injured not only her body but also her bright spirit.

Please consider donating to support the recovery of this special, benevolent soul.

This GoFundMe will go directly towards helping Barbie rebuild an independent life and will help cover her ongoing medical care expenses.

[Visit Barbie's GoFundMe](#)

Starting this December 1st, the DCLT hopes to host its first TerraCorps Service Member, Tara. But first, she must find housing!

Tara holds a Bachelors in English from SUNY and a Masters in Conservation from Tufts. While here she'll expand our educational programming, among many other services to our community.

Please help us by sharing any leads!

[Email us with leads!](#)

Member-composed content

Autumn Day of Dragon Wind and Rain

From the *Journal and Other Writings of Ronald Harrison Fenn*,
Collection of Short Poems: Volume 4 ©10/14/2022.

The rains trumpet the earth
here among the living and dead

clear sky when I wondered why
in the gray cast showers go back by

the way of some seizing spring melt
a trickling tempo into my ears

see how the seasons conspire
in autumn vapors of some dragon

there is more depth to simplicity now
when poets die in each living word

yet I am still here amongst the living
with wind at my back and rain in my face

wind and rain in their laughing
I count in the long living

thrown into this season
counting the moon's reflection of sun

into a world repeating itself
as the scent of dying leaves echo its refrain

a chill of thoughts in rising repose
my spirit returns to the inkstone

wandering a nexus of words and worlds
in being the wind and rain



Did you know...



Trail cameras use temperature anomalies to detect animal movement, making some critters, like the **snake under the stump in the top left** (glasses probably needed!), a rare 'catch.' Not only are they small, but their 'cold-blooded' nature provides a sort of thermal camouflage from our 'camera traps.' Mammals and birds, on the other hand, are 'warm-

blooded' and readily detected because of it.

[Click for more info](#)

Contact us to get involved!



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