

BERKSHIRE BIODIVERSITY DAY 2025 PROGRAM SCHEDULE



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

Noon – Welcome/Introduction, including information about building/grounds, schedule, etc.

12:00-12:30 PM – Demo: iNaturalist for Beginners: How to Contribute to the 2025 Berkshire Biodiversity Survey

12:45-2:00 PM – Guided Walk: Hawk Watch with Nicaela Haig from Mass Audubon

2:15-3:15 PM – Guided Walk: The Diversity & Social Lives of Bees with Sonia Szala-Krotkov

3:30-4:45 PM – Guided Walk: Reptiles & Amphibians with Tom Tynning

5:00-6:00 PM – Presentation/Demo: Bats + Surveying Techniques with Laura Hancock

6:00-7:30 PM – Dinner for specialists and volunteers at the Outdoor Center

7:45-9:00 PM – Guided Walk: Owl Prowl with Rene Wendell of Hoffmann Bird Club

8:00-10:00 PM – Demo: Lightsheeting for Moths with Matthew Rymkiewicz

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

7:00-11:00 AM – Demo: Bird Banding with Ben Nickley of Berkshire Bird Observatory

7:00-9:00 AM – Guided Walk: Early Morning Birding with Rene Wendell and Jonathan Pierce of Hoffmann Bird Club

10:00-11:00 AM – Demo: How to Preserve and Mount Plant Specimens with Laura Hancock

11:10 AM-Noon – Guided Walk: Butterflies with Tom Tynning

Noon – Final remarks, including tallies and observation highlights

***Register at the Greylock Glen Outdoor Center,
135 Gould Rd, accessible via Fred Mason Rd, Adams, MA 01220***
[Greylock Glen map](#)

This year's program is organized and sponsored by Berkshire Environmental Action Team (BEAT). It's co-sponsored by Greylock Glen Outdoor Center, Greylock Federal Credit Union, and Mass Audubon.

