



DEDICATED TO PROTECTING THE **WORKING LANDS, NATIVE HABITATS, AND RURAL BEAUTY** OF THE HILLTOWNS SINCE 1986

Earth Day Volunteer Work Event

Thursday, April 22 | 1 - 4 pm
Breckenridge Property, WILLIAMSBURG

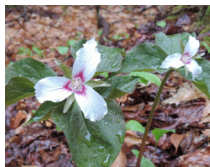
Join us as we celebrate the 51st anniversary of Earth Day with a trail clean up event at our Breckenridge property. We will be doing some light corridor management & trash pickup. Please bring your own rakes & hand tools if available.

FREE. *Pre-Registration required.*

Spring Ephemeral Walk

Wednesday, May 5 | Noon - 1:30 pm
Fare-Thee-Well Wholeness Center, HUNTINGTON

Naturalist and gardener Cesi Marseglia will lead a walk in search of spring wildflowers at Fare-Thee-Well Wholeness Center in Huntington. These elusive beauties remain in bloom for a short window each spring until forest canopies leaf out.



Suggested donation: \$10/\$5 (HLT Members) *Pre-Registration required.*

Bird Walk with Charlie Quinlan

Saturday, May 22 | 9 - 11 am
CUMMINGTON

We are excited to welcome Charlie Quinlan and Hoffman Bird Club's Matt Kelly as our guides on a spring bird walk in Cummington. Join us for a rare chance to spot the American bittern, along with other late spring migrants.

FREE, Donations Gratefully Accepted.
Pre-Registration required.

Urban Invasives Walk

Saturday, June 5 | 11 am - 12:30 pm
Meekins Library, WILLIAMSBURG

While invasives present problems for our conserved properties, they can also wreak havoc in our own backyards. Join HLT and Cesi Marseglia as we stroll the streets of Williamsburg in search of invasive plants intruding into urban space.



Suggested donation: \$10/\$5 (HLT Members)
Pre-Registration required.



Bullitt Sunrise
Photo by Cheryl A. Patterson

HLT Community Reading Group

Final Thursdays, April - July | 6 - 8 pm
ONLINE

Join HLT staff and members of our conservation community as we explore some old favorites and recent releases in the worlds of nature writing, Indigenous history, and environmental justice. Our once-a-month meetings will be entertaining & engaging conversations on topics close to HLT's core mission. Join us April 29 for our first meeting, where we'll discuss Helen Macdonald's *Vesper Flights*.

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Spring Hiking Series

Final Wednesdays, April - June | 10 am - 1 pm
MULTIPLE LOCATIONS

We hope you'll be able to join us on the final Wednesday of each month, April through June, for a series of moderately-paced group hikes throughout the Hilltowns. On April 28 we will hike the Two Bridges Trail out-and-back from Bullitt Reservation to Chapel Brook. Full schedule on our website.



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Give Back to the Land Day is April 22

Help us protect the places you love.

This Earth Day April 22, help conserve the wild and working landscapes of Western Massachusetts with a gift to Hilltown Land Trust. Visit www.GiveBackToTheLand.org to learn more.

Register for events on our website or contact Barry: barry@hilltownlandtrust.org or 413-628-4485, ext.6