

# Massabesic Audubon Center

## Nature Photography Fall 2009

### Wild New Hampshire Amateur Photo Contest

Amateur photographers in youth and adult age groups may enter up to five photographs of Wild New Hampshire subjects in one of three themes: landscape, plant and animal. See the contest flyer and submission form for complete details. Visit [www.nhaudubon.org](http://www.nhaudubon.org) or [www.usaaloft.com/audubon](http://www.usaaloft.com/audubon) for downloadable flyers. Important dates:

August 1 through September 1- entries accepted.

September 9 - winners/non winners notified, photos may be picked up for framing.

September 30 - all winning photographs must be framed and ready for hanging.

October 3 - show opens!

November 7, 2 - 4 p.m. - artist reception and top prize awards.

December 12 - silent auction and show closes, pickup begins.

### Nature Photography Workshop

**Sunday October 11, 18 and 25, Noon - 4 p.m.**

Like being outdoors? Like taking pictures? Combine the two in David Saxe's successful series of nature photography classes. Introductory level course treats composition, exposure, focusing, equipment, tips, elementary printing and more. Please have your camera make and model available when you register, and be prepared to go outside. Visit [www.usaaloft.com/audubon](http://www.usaaloft.com/audubon) for more details. Leader: David Saxe, USA Aloft, LLC. Cost: \$90 M / \$120 NM for the whole series.

### Photography Printing Workshop

**Saturday, November 21, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.**

Learn how to prepare your digital images for printing. Schedule a personal 45 minute printing session to make a holiday gift of your favorite nature photo. Take home an image printed on various papers up to size 12 x 18. Using several software environments, we will teach the basics of preparing a digital photo for high quality printing. Learn about tools including how to adjust tones and colors, retouch blemishes, crop to a given size or sharpen, all in a one-on-one session using your image. Come as early as you like and learn as others work on their images. You will also receive a CD containing your work. See [www.usaaloft.com/audubon](http://www.usaaloft.com/audubon) for more details. Pre-registration is required. You will be asked to supply an electronic version of the image to be prepared for printing in advance. Additional copies of finished prints may be ordered. To register or for more information, please contact the Massabesic Audubon Center by calling (603)-668-2045 or emailing [mac@nhaudubon.org](mailto:mac@nhaudubon.org). Leader: David Saxe, USA Aloft, LLC. Cost: \$25 M/ \$35 NM plus materials fees based on paper type and size selected.

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### Nature Photography Opportunities

These programs offer opportunities to photograph nature at live animal presentations or on trips to natural settings. Watch our collection of Adult, Family and program-specific flyers for details on the program and how to register. Visit [www.nhaudubon.org](http://www.nhaudubon.org) or [www.usaaloft.com/audubon](http://www.usaaloft.com/audubon) for downloadable flyers.

### Wild Birds/Sea Mammals

**Pelagic Trip** to Jeffreys Ledge, Tuesday, September 8, departs Rye Harbor 8:00 a.m. returns 5:30 p.m.

**Coastal Birding Trips**, Wednesdays, September 16, October 21, and November 18, 9 a.m.- 2:30 p.m. from Hampton Beach or car pool from Massabesic.

### Live Animal Programs at Massabesic, Including Birds

Rita Tulloh: **Falconry Program** Saturday, October 3, 1-2:30 p.m.

Tom Ricardi: **Birds of Prey Show**: featuring a Live Bald Eagle, Sat., Nov. 14. Two Shows: 11a.m.-Noon & 1-2 p.m.

Live Animal Presentation **Turtle Hurdles**, Saturday, September 12, 3-3:30 p.m.

Live Animal Presentation **Weird and Wonderful Wildlife**, Saturday, October 31, 11-11:30 a.m.

Live Animal Presentation **Owl**, Saturday, November 21, 1-1:30 p.m.

Live Animal Presentation **Get Ready for Winter**, Saturday, November 28, 1 – 3 p.m.

Live Animal Presentation **Snake Care and Feeding**, most Sundays, 11:30 a.m. Call to confirm.

Live Animal Presentation **Raven Feeding**, most Sundays, 12:30 p.m. Call to confirm.

**Feeder Birding**, most Sundays at 1 p.m. starting with cooler weather. Call to confirm.

### Plants

**Night Blooming Cereus Party**, When the plants bloom, 6 - 9 p.m. Register to be notified.

**Optional Herb Walk**, September 12, 12:30-1:30 p.m.

**Mushroom Identification Class**, Saturday, September 19, 2-3:30 p.m.

### Trips to Natural Settings

**Walk the Trails at Massabesic**, Every day, dawn to dusk.

**Outdoor Ventures (a 50+ program):**

**Intermediate Touring Kayak Trip**, September 17, 10 a.m.- 3 p.m. Pawtuckaway Lake

**Beginner Hike on Beaver Pond Trail**, September 24, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Bear Brook State Park

**Beginner Hike—Hist. and Environ. Exploration of Odiorne Point State Park**, October. 15, 10:30 a.m.-3 p.m.

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