



**Massachusetts Camera Naturalists  
Notice of Spring Meeting  
April 28, 2018  
Mass. Audubon's Wellfleet Bay Wildlife Sanctuary  
291 US-6, South Wellfleet, MA 02663**

This spring we have the wonderful opportunity to hold our meeting at Mass. Audubon's Wellfleet Bay Wildlife Sanctuary, in their Esther Underwood Johnson Nature Center. One of our new members, Shawn Carey, who teaches photography there, has reserved the hall there for us on April 28, 2018. The meeting will be hosted by Gail and Joseph Platz.

"Wellfleet Bay provides peace and unmatched beauty on the hillsides and shoreline overlooking Wellfleet Harbor. Extensive trails bring you to a panoramic salt marsh, sandy barrier beach, and pine woodlands, each attracting a wide array of wildlife. The sanctuary features a universally accessible trail and an award-winning "green" nature center with numerous exhibits and aquariums. "

With five miles of trails, there are many varying habitats to photograph. Trails will take you to a small fresh water pond, views of Cape Cod Bay, shady pine/oak woodlands, and a boardwalk leading you through a salt marsh to the beach. I understand there is a blind which will hold 2 - 3 people at one time. There will be plenty of opportunities waiting for you!

**Announcements:** If you or any members that you know of have received any photographic awards and would like to be recognized at

the meeting, or have any news to share, please send your information to me at: [gspltz@verizon.net](mailto:gspltz@verizon.net).

**Future Meetings:** Our Fall Meeting will be at Mass. Audubon's Joppa Flats in Newburyport, Ma. Our Annual Meeting will be Dec. 1, 2018 in Cochituate, Ma.

**Our reservation is from 10AM – 5PM:**

**Refreshments,** brought by members, can be enjoyed while you socialize from 10 – 12PM, or whenever you come in from photographing.

**Lunches: 12pm-1PM** will be a brown bag affair this time. Coffee, tea, soda and water will be provided by CamNats.

**Meeting: 1PM**

**Showing of Images:** To follow a short meeting.

**Dinner: 5PM:** After the meeting, we can gather for dinner at the nearby Van Rensselaer's Restaurant located at 1019 US 6, South Wellfleet, Ma; Phone #(508) 349-2127. You can see their menu at: [vanrensselaers.com](http://vanrensselaers.com). I have made reservation, but will need to give them a count of those joining us.

**Directions: Wellfleet Bay Wildlife Sanctuary** is located at:  
291 State Highway, Route 6  
South Wellfleet, MA 02663  
508-349-2615

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**Registration Form for April 28, 2018 \* Please return by April 14<sup>th</sup>**

**Send Registration Form To:**

**Gail Platz  
PO Box 138  
Belchertown, Ma. 01007**

**Mobile Phone Number: 413-896-2591**

Please count on \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the meeting:

**Members Name(s)**

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

**Guest Name(s)**

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

(\_\_\_\_) Yes (\_\_\_\_) No I'll bring refreshments

(\_\_\_\_) Yes (\_\_\_\_) No I'll bring 20 Images

(\_\_\_\_) Yes (\_\_\_\_) No I will attend dinner. They don't take reservations, , but if we plan to eat there, they would like to know how many to count on in advance.

Name (Please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Please RSVP as soon as you can. Thank you! We look forward to another great meeting and hope to see you there!

# Wellfleet Bay Wildlife Sanctuary

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