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MEADOW BROOK PRESERVE

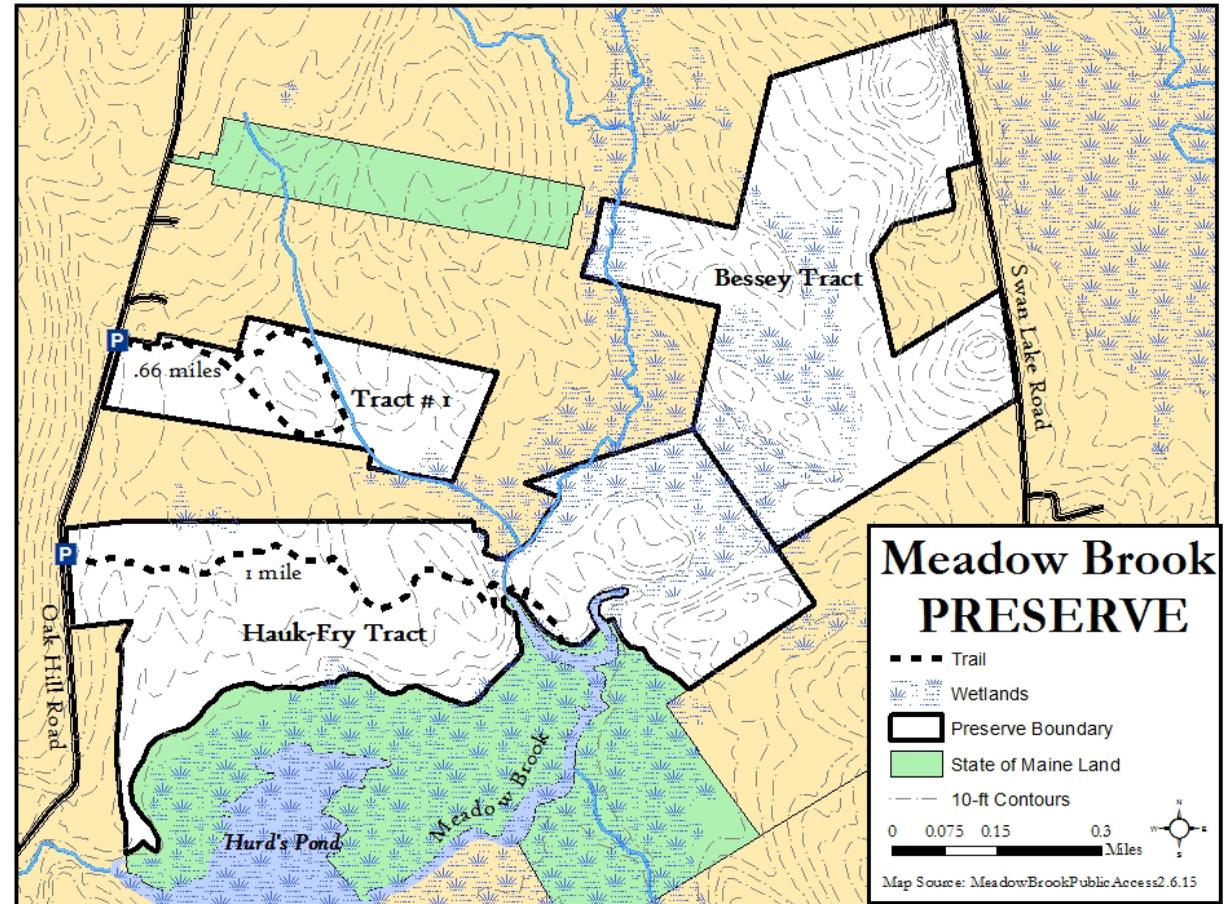
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Trail Information

Hawk Fry Trail: This 1 mile trail wanders through the forested property to the rock dam on Meadow Brook, offering beautiful views of the wetlands surrounding Hurd's Pond.

Tract #1 Trail: This .6 mile lollipop trail traverses recently logged forest, passing through rejuvenating young forests, offering an example of forest recovery.



The Preserve

Meadow Brook Preserve is made up of three tracts, an unnamed Tract 1, Hawk-Fry Tract, and the Bessey Tract, totaling 372 acres and 1,300 feet of waterfront protected. The Tracts consist of a variety of hardwood and regenerating softwood forests, as well as numerous acres of high value wetlands. Meadow Brook Preserve is the central part of a 2,408-acre Undeveloped Habitat Block, and lies within a Deer Wintering Area.

These three tracts make up the Meadow Brook Preserve, and the property's primary values include protection of the Hurd's Pond watershed. The Preserve borders the state-owned Hurd's Pond Wildlife Management Area, established through a 1984 donation of land, also by Hawk and Fry. The Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife manages the area with the objective to protect its high quality habitat for a wide array of species including wading birds and waterfowl.



Preserve Guidelines

Please help us keep this Preserve and trail a pleasure for all who visit this natural area.

- The Preserve is open to the public for low-impact recreation during daylight hours.
- Removal of native vegetation is strictly prohibited.
- Fires and camping are not allowed.
- Vehicles, motorized or non-motorized, including bicycles and horses, are not allowed on the Preserve. Bikes are to remain in parking areas only.
- Dogs are permitted on leash.
- Hunting is allowed on this Preserve., although predator hunting and trapping is prohibited.
- We request that groups larger than 12 obtain permission before using the Preserve

Please note that hunting is permitted on this Preserve and dress appropriately when visiting during hunting seasons.

During your visit look for...

Wildflowers emerging in recently logged areas are diverse and numerous.

Beaver ponds provides habitat for ducks, amphibians, muskrat, mink, raccoon, deer, moose, and other animals.

Wading Birds can be seen in wetlands surrounding Meadow Brook and Hurds Pond.



Directions

Delorme Maine Atlas and Gazetteer
Map 14, A-4

From Route One in Belfast:

Head north on High Street/Route 137 from Route One for approximately 1.8 miles, then take a slight right onto Oak Hill Rd. In 2 miles, the Hawk-Fry Tract will be on your right, and .3 miles further you will arrive at Tract #1 on the right



Coastal Mountains Land Trust is a membership-based non-profit working to permanently conserve land to benefit the natural and human communities of western Penobscot Bay. Since 1986, the organization has protected or facilitated the protection of more than 9,700 acres of land as preserves or conservation easements.

All of the Land Trust's preserves are open to the public.

The Land Trust works cooperatively with landowners in the western Penobscot Bay region to permanently protect biological diversity, scenic landscapes, and agricultural, forest and water resources, to promote awareness of the value of land conservation, and to provide opportunities for the public to enjoy and experience natural lands.

Join Us!

The Land Trust is an accredited community-based organization that relies upon the generous support of its members and volunteers. Please consider becoming a member and/or volunteer with the Land Trust.

