

CAMBRIDGE NEIGHBORS

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August 2018 Programs



Friday, August 3, 10:30 am – 3:00 pm

Explorers Walk: East Boston & ICA's Watershed



We'll take the T to Maverick Square and walk along the harbor shoreline to the landscaped Piers Park, which overlooks downtown Boston. In the adjacent Marina

we'll visit "Watershed," the Institute of Contemporary Art's newly opened art gallery housed in a former warehouse. After seeing their initial exhibit, we'll go across the street to KO Pies, an Australian café, for a light lunch (pay on your own). Afterwards we'll continue on the Harborwalk and share a water-taxi to cross the harbor to South Station. Meet downstairs at the main Harvard T ticketing machines at 10:30 am. Walking distance approx. 2.5 miles. Water taxi charge is \$12/each. Watershed Gallery admission is free.

Sunday, August 5, 10:30 am

Jazz Brunch at Club Passim

Join us for good music and delicious food at Club Passim. Contact Liz to RSVP - lizgzhp10@gmail.com or 617-491-0880.

Monday, August 6 & August 20, 10:30 – 11:00 am

Stroll in the Park, Daney Park, New St. Entrance



Join fellow members for leisurely walks through Daney Park, a 50-acre green space with incredible views. Ample parking is

available in the New Street parking lot. Walks are 30 minutes. Free and open to members and guests.

Tuesday, August 7, 10:00 am – 2:30 pm

Gropius House Tour and Lunch at deCordova



Walter Gropius, founder of the German design school known as Bauhaus, was one of the most influential architects of the 20th century. He designed Gropius House as his

family home when he came to teach architecture at Harvard's Graduate School of Design. Built in 1938 and modest in scale, the house was revolutionary in impact, combining traditional elements of New England architecture – wood, brick, and fieldstone – with innovative material including glass block, acoustical plaster, chrome banisters, and the latest technology in fixtures.



After our hour-long guided tour, we will head over to the deCordova Museum for lunch in the café. We will explore the Sculpture Park before coming back to Cambridge. \$12/person in advance for guided tour of Gropius

House. \$12/person upon arrival at deCordova. Lunch is pay on your own. Meet at Apple Cinemas at 10 am to carpool to Lincoln. Open to members only.

Wednesday, August 8 and

Wednesday, August 22, 6:00 – 7:30 pm

Supper at TCH – 360 Mt. Auburn St., Cambridge

Join us for a three-course meal at The Cambridge Homes. \$15/person in advance. Open to members only.

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Friday, August 10, 10:30 am – 1:00 pm
Explorers Walk: Upper Charles River, Watertown



Unlike the lower Charles River basin in our backyard, with its formal riverbanks bracketed by parkways, the nearby Upper Charles River is a narrow winding

body of water running through rustic woodlands with ample wildlife including herons and ducks. We'll walk the shaded pathway from Watertown Square along the North bank of the river to Bridge Street. There we'll cross to the other bank and return to our starting point by crossing the newly reconstructed wood footbridge. Meet at the Watertown Square bus turnaround at 10:30 am. (Bus #71 which leaves Harvard Square at 10:10 am fits our schedule.) Walking distance approx. 2 miles.

Monday, August 13, 5:00 – 6:30 pm
Tipple at Legal Sea Foods, Harvard Square

Tipple is a monthly gathering where members meet over wine and appetizers at Legal Sea Foods. Join us! \$20/person in advance. Open to members only.

Thursday, August 16, 10:00 – 11:00 am
Meditation, CN Office

Join us for our monthly meditation session with CN member and meditation teacher, Joel Baehr. Free and open to members only.

Friday, August 17, 10:30 am – 1:30 pm
Explorers Walk: Linear Path from Alewife to Davis



We were rained-out six weeks ago, so we're going to try again. First we'll check to see if the ducks, herons or swans are still in residence in the nearby conservation pond.

Then we'll set off down the Linear Path, a shaded and paved walkway built above the Red Line subway in 1985 that links the Alewife & Davis subway stops. Once in Davis Sq., we'll go for a light buffet lunch at the Punjab

Grill (pay on your own) before heading back. Some may choose to return by subway. Others may be happy to walk back the way we came. Meet in front of Bertucci's at Alewife at 10:30 am. Walking distance approx. 1.5 miles each way.

Tuesday, August 21, 2:00 pm
Biography Group, CN Office

We'll discuss "The Peabody Sisters: Three Women Who Ignited American Romanticism," by Megan Marshall.

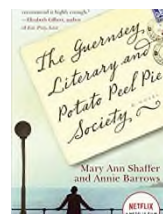
Wednesday, August 22, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm
Guided Tour of WGBH Studios



"Produced in Boston, shared with the world" is the motto at WGBH. Join us for a private tour of their state-of-the-art campus in

Brighton to learn the history of WGBH and how they're working tirelessly to produce trusted media and programming for adults and children around the world. Free and open to members only. Meet at Apple Cinemas at 10:00 am to carpool to Brighton.

Thursday, August 23, 12:30 – 1:30 pm
Book Group, CN Office



Join us for our discussion of "The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society" by Mary Ann Shaffer & Annie Barrows. Free/open to members.

Friday, August 24, 10:30 am – 3:00 pm
Explorers Walk: Lechmere Station, Charlestown Navy Yard, and across the Harbor to Long Wharf



At 10:20 am we'll meet at the Harvard Sq. Bus Stop, opposite Cambridge Trust Bank, to take the #69 bus to Lechmere. From there we'll walk towards the Charles River and over the North Point Park pedestrian bridge from Cambridge (con't p. 4)

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5 Jazz Brunch at Passim 10:30 am	6 Stroll in the Park 10:30 am Shopping 11 am	7 Gropius House Tour & deCordova Museum 10 am	8 Shopping 11 am Supper 6 pm	9	10 Walk: Upper Charles 10:30 am Shopping 11 am	11
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26	27 Shopping 11 am Tipple at Nubar 5 – 6:30 pm	28	29 Shopping 11 am	30	31 Walk: Mount Auburn Cemetery 10:30 am Shopping 11 am	

Grocery Shopping

Shopping is available on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for members. Our driver will pick you up, drive you to a local supermarket, stay on site, drive you home and carry your bags into the house.

- Please be mindful of the driver's time and limit your shopping to 5 bags.

Exercise Classes

There will be no exercise classes in August. Classes will resume in September.

Registration is required for all events and grocery shopping. Call the office or email Suzanne to sign up unless otherwise indicated in the event description - 617-864-1715 / suzanne@cambridgeighbors.org

August Events Continued

August 24 Walk (con't)

and into Paul Revere Park in Charlestown. We'll continue along by the side of USS Constitution before we enter the Navy Yard. In the Yard we'll visit the Constitution Museum with its mass of historical memorabilia, a bookstore, public facilities, etc. Then, at the end of the pier, we'll board the harbor ferry (\$3.50/each) bound for the Aquarium. From there we'll go to James Hook Lobster Shack (lunch on your own) and then walk down the Rose Kennedy Greenway to South Station and home by subway. Total walking distance approx. 2.5 miles.

Monday, August 27, 5:00 – 6:30 pm

Tipple at Nubar, 16 Garden Street, Cambridge

Tipple is so popular that we've decided to do it twice a month! Join us as we gather at Nubar. \$20/person in advance. Open to members only. Limited to 16.

Friday, August 31, 10:30 am – 12:00 pm

Local Walk: Mount Auburn Cemetery



Meet in front of the Visitor's Center for a summer stroll along a shaded route, and maybe up to the Mount. Walking distance approx. 2 miles.



Members had a great time taking the ferry to Salem on Friday the 13th in July.

Open House

Wednesday, August 15 – 10:30 am

Help Cambridge Neighbors grow by inviting a friend, neighbor, or family member to our information session. Those who are interested can call our office to sign up – 617-864-1715.

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