

Meadowbrook Farm Park



Meadowbrook Farm is 460 acres of historic public open space on the Snoqualmie Valley floor, located within the cities of Snoqualmie and North Bend. The mythical birthplace of the Snoqualmie tribe, "Hyas Kloshe Ilahee" (the Great Good Land) was maintained for thousands of years by the Snoqualmies as a hunting and food-growing prairie. Early white settlers homesteaded the land for farms, and these were consolidated during the late 1800s to form the world's largest hop ranch. Subsequent farmers raised crops, dairy herds, green chop and hay.

The land was acquired as jointly owned public open space by the cities of Snoqualmie and North Bend in 1996 for wildlife habitat, historic and cultural interpretation, ongoing agriculture, and public recreation; today much of Meadowbrook Farm remains open field and wetland forest, as it has been for centuries. The land is managed by the Meadowbrook Farm Preservation Association, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization established by the cities to implement the master site plan for the property. Come walk across the meadow and through the woods, come for a class or just admire the view of this beautiful place.

Meadowbrook Toddler Walk & Bike

May 14, Saturday, 9 am

Free, meet at Interpretive Center

Bring your little ones for a scenic, level one-mile loop on paved and gravelled trails suitable for walking and toddler's bikes and scooters. We will cross bridges, travel boardwalks, and sample some of the regional Snoqualmie Valley Trail as well as parts of Meadowbrook Farm Park's trails. The route can be extended depending on age and mobility!



Evening Art Walk

Wednesday July 13, 6 pm

Free, Meet at Interpretive Center

Enjoy a summer evening's walk to visit the Mary Louie public art installation at Meadowbrook Farm Park. Join us on a level paved and gravel trail excursion to see Fall City Artist Don Fels's commemoration of Mary Louie, a revered Snoqualmie Tribal herbalist and medicine woman. Appreciate the history and connection to place this unique artwork inspires as you view Mount Si in a new way. Elk viewing may be possible in nearby fields at this time of day.



Meadowbrook Farm is located at 1711 Boalch Avenue in North Bend.

- For additional information about classes, please contact Mary Norton by email maryjoe4813@gmail.com
- To learn more about the Meadowbrook Farm Preserve, please visit www.meadowbrookfarmpreserve.org or email info@meadowbrookfarmpreserve.org
- For facility rental information, please contact Si View Metro Parks, 425-831-1900.

Walk to the Big Cedar!

Saturday June 4, 9 am

Free, Meet at Interpretive Center

Imagine a tree 500 years old! We'll walk through a variety of habitat types, use a trail maintained by local Girl Scouts, and cross a bridge constructed as an Eagle Scout project to see this amazing tree. What was the valley like 500 years ago? Learn about some of the many uses for our native red cedar, and see other native and introduced plants as we walk. Dress for the weather and possible muddy areas. 2 mile round trip.

Wildlife Watching Tips

- Always observe from a distance, preferably downwind.
- Use binoculars or spotting scopes.
- Talk and move quietly; minimize sharp sounds.
- Early morning and twilight are ideal times to see animals; also check nearby fields for herds.
- Do not disturb animals in mating season, particularly bull elk in the fall rutting season.
- Never come between a mother and her offspring.
- If an animal becomes nervous or moves away, you are too close.
- Pets should stay home.

Attractive event venue surrounded by natural beauty, just minutes from I-90 near downtown North Bend.

Contact us for availability and reservations for 2022!

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