

Below is a list of the Town's open space properties where public access is allowed, along with the *prohibited uses* on all properties. As always, the members of the Ipswich Police Department thank you for your continued support and ask that visitors review the Open Space Rules & Regulations before heading out to enjoy these magnificent parcels of land and commit to the proper use of these properties to help preserve their pristine condition.

The following Town owned open space properties are open to the public *ONLY* between the hours of sunrise and sunset.

- ❖ **Dow Brook Conservation Area- 326 High Street** (34 acres) adjacent to White Farms Ice Cream.
- ❖ **Nichols Field- 60 Labor in Vain Road** (13 acres) near the Gould's Creek Bridge.
- ❖ **Strawberry Hill- 56 Jeffreys Neck Road** (91 acres) just before Ocean Drive.
- ❖ **Linebrook Woods Conservation Area- 275 Linebrook Road** (78 acres) adjacent and to the rear of Marini Farms.
- ❖ **Shady Creek Conservation Area- at the end of Colonial Drive** (40 acres) accessed from cul-de-sac at the end of Colonial Drive.
- ❖ **Turkey Hill Conservation Area- adjacent to 27 Pineswamp Road** (23 acres) parking and trail access within easement area on private driveway to 27 Pineswamp Road
- ❖ **Great Neck Conservation Area- Clark Pond Overlook** on Clark Road across from Air force property
 - Use of any recreational motorized vehicles (ATV's/ORV's, dirt bikes etc.) is prohibited. Please do not use any type of motorized vehicles unless they are needed for handicap access
 - No dogs off-leash. Remove dog waste and dispose of it properly. These properties are public areas and as such, they are subject to the Town's Leash & Dog Waste by-laws
 - Alcohol consumption is prohibited
 - No littering. Carry out what you carry in.
 - No overnight camping
 - No fires of any kind
 - No trespassing on the MBTA train tracks. Crossing or walking along the tracks is prohibited.
 - Hunting and disturbing wildlife is prohibited
 - No clearing or cutting of vegetation
 - Disturbing, removing, defacing, cutting or otherwise causing damage to any natural feature, sign, poster, barrier, structure or other property is prohibited.
 - Conduct which disturbs the tranquility of the property or its enjoyment by others is prohibited
 - No firearms
 - No excavation or removal of archaeological artifacts

For further information on rules, regulations and property management contact the Open Space Stewardship Coordinator at 978-356-6607 x3 or see the Town website www.ipswichma.gov under Open Space in Departments, Boards and Committees.