

# Why Volunteer at Fresh Pond Reservation?



1. Meet your neighbors
2. Help out with invasive plant monitoring & removal
3. Replant and restore native plant communities
4. Inventory specimen trees
5. Learn about the ecology of Fresh Pond
6. Gather seeds
7. Monitor nesting boxes
8. Plant, launch, and monitor a floating island
9. Adopt your own favorite spot
10. Help keep Fresh Pond beautiful and alive!

**Mondays** 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm

**Thursdays** 10 am – 12 pm

**1<sup>st</sup> Sundays** 1 – 4 pm (Jun - Nov)

*“The opportunity to be a part of the program and the experience of getting outdoors and ‘in the weeds’ means a great deal to me.”*

*“When I tell friends I’ve been weeding at Fresh Pond, I get raised eyebrows. Until I tell them, not that kind of weed.”*

*“Fair warning: it’s addictive.” - volunteer stewards*

Tools and training provided  
Meet at the Water Department front door  
Contact Deb 617.349.6489 [fpr@cambridgema.gov](mailto:fpr@cambridgema.gov)

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