

World's End

Martin's Lane, Hingham, MA

Tuesday, July 17, 2007

Meet at the Reservation Parking Lot at 10:00 AM

“Rolling hills and rocky shorelines offer sweeping views of the Boston skyline, while tree-lined carriage paths designed by famed architect, Frederick Law Olmstead, preserve his vision for World's End.”

Well groomed and graded paths throughout the 251 acre reservation provide many options for all levels of walking. A full walk around the outside loop is about 3 miles.

Driving time from Wayland Center is about 1 hour. Car pooling is desirable. I will coordinate cars and local meeting places when I have a list of who is coming and who offers to drive.

Hollis Gray recommended this walk and I scouted it this past week. It is well worth the trip time to get there. The temperature was about 10 degrees cooler than inland with a nice ocean breeze. Plenty of parking. Facilities at the entrance. A fee of \$5.00 per person helps keep the reservation in top condition.

Directions: From Rt. 3 (exit 14) take Rt. 228 north for 6.5 miles. Turn left onto Rt. 3A and follow for 0.7 miles. Turn right onto Summer St. and at the major intersection with Rockland St. continue straight across onto Martin's Ln. Follow for 0.7 miles to entrance and parking (70 cars) at end.

Lunch in the Hingham area.