

## Noble View Outdoor Center, Russell, MA

We look forward to welcoming you to Noble View Outdoor Center overlooking the Pioneer Valley of western Massachusetts. It is home to over 358 acres of woodlands, 12 miles of trails, and abandoned farm fields to explore. Trails are excellent for easy to moderate hiking, snowshoeing and Nordic skiing. It has two self-service cabins and ten campsites. It is available for whole site rentals and special events, and cabins/campsites can be reserved individually.

### General Information

Check in: 3PM    Check out: 11AM

Address: 635 S Quarter Rd, Russell, MA 01071

[Site Map and Trailheads](#)

[Summer Trail Map](#)

[Winter Snowshoe and Ski Map](#)

Kitchens: Full size fridge, 6 burner gas stove, gas oven, electric coffee maker, toaster, all cooking and service ware. Staples included: salt, pepper, and some sugar. Aluminum foil, wax paper and wrap are provided. Garbage bags in cabins are provided. There is no running water or sinks in the cabins. The water in the bathhouse is potable for drinking and cooking.

- Bathhouse: Men's and Women's sides, each have composting toilets and hot showers. There is one ADA stall and shower. Toilet paper is provided. Potable hot and cold water. Common areas in the bathhouse have 2 large 3 bay stainless sinks with hot and cold water for washing, rinsing, and sanitizing dishes/pots. In the dishwashing area, scrubbies and dish soap is provided.
- Each cabin has a living room area with seating, dining table, woodstove, small library with some puzzles and games.
- Heat: Cabins have mini splits for heating and cooling in addition to woodstoves for heat. Dry firewood is provided. Woodstove instructions are posted for guests in the cabins.
- There is some Wi-Fi. Cell phone coverage is spotty. Verizon service tends to provide better coverage. Cabins have electric outlets and lighting.
- Safety: smoke detectors are hardwired and connected to local fire department. Please be careful when cooking by preventing food from burning or having a smokey fire. A caretaker lives on site. If the caretaker is not there when you have questions, a phone number is posted in the cabins to contact with questions.
- Chores: Recycling is mandatory. Please leave the cabin and kitchen in the same condition you found it. Please clean, dry and put away all kitchenware. Garbage and recycling is to be brought to the dumpsters in the upper parking lot. Bathhouse trash is collected by the caretaker staff.
- Bedding: Mattresses are provided; however, no bedding or pillows are provided. A 3-season sleeping bag is usually sufficient in winter.
- Campfire: A shared campfire is located by the cabins and wood is provided.
- Potable Water: 5 gallons of drinking water are provided per cabin upon arrival. Potable water is also available from the bath house.

- Dogs: Cabins and campsites are dog friendly with reservations and fee paid. Maximum of 2 dogs per cabin or campsite. Must be reserved prior to arrival.

### North Cottage (ADA accessible)

- Configuration: Sleeps 10 guests in 4 bedrooms. First floor: 1 ADA bedroom with 2 twins. Second floor: 2 rooms each with 2 twins; 1 room with 4 twins.
- Common area with couches, chairs, dining table, woodstove.
- Kitchen

### Double Cottage (ADA accessible)

- Configuration: Sleeps 18 in 8 bedrooms. Cabin is a mirror image of itself. Each side has one first floor ADA bedroom with 2 twins: three bedrooms on second floor; two rooms with 2 twins, and one room with 3 twins.
- Common areas with couches, chairs, dining table, woodstove.
- Two identical kitchens
- Accessibility: Double Cottage is located closest to the parking lot and the bath house and is best suited to those with ADA needs. Paths are gravel and can be packed snow in winter.

### Campsites

- Five wooded sites: Each with 10x12' platform and a campfire ring with pot grate
- Five sites along edge of field: 3 with 12x16' platform, and 2 with 10x12' platform. Each has a campfire ring with pot grate.
- One shared bearbox
- Sites are walk-in and have access to the bathhouse. Bring your own containers to transport water.
- Campfire wood is free and located in the camp area wood box with additional wood in the woodsheds by the cabins.

