



# Brewster Walking Trails

## 12 Bakers Pond

Bakers Pond is on the boundary with Orleans, with some of its shoreline protected by each town. A short blue loop in Orleans and a longer one in Brewster provide good pond overlooks. Huckleberry Hill is located further west via the yellow trail. Cart paths and foot trails traverse a 90-acre assemblage of BCT and town-owned conservation lands. In some places trails run close to unmarked private land, so please stay on color-coded trails. There is a peaceful valley with a vernal pool, and then a 120 ft. climb up Huckleberry Hill. The mixed forest has some white pine, mockernut, sassafras, and a grove of American beech. In the autumn, the carpet of knee-high huckleberry shrubs turn wine-red.

**Round trip trail length:** 2 mile Yellow loop.

**Directions:** Take Rt. 6A east to just after the Orleans town line, turn right on to Bakers Pond Road and travel 0.6 miles. The parking lot for Bakers Pond Conservation area is on the right. Color coded trails start at the parking lot; the Yellow Trailhead is at the right end of the lot and Orleans Blue Trailhead at the left.

