



## Weir Farm National Historic Site

### PLAN YOUR VISIT

Grounds are open daily, year-round  
from sunrise to sunset.

Help yourself to park brochures, self-guided tours,  
Junior Ranger activities, and a National Park passport  
stamp on the visitor center porch. Plein air painters  
are always welcome.

May 1st through October 31st

Open Wednesday through Sunday, 10am to 4pm

- Visitor Center and Museum Store open
- Free tours of the Weir House and Weir and Young Studios at 11am, 1pm, 2pm, and 3pm
- Take Part in Art! Feel free to borrow art supplies on the visitor center porch.

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### SAFETY

- Use caution when crossing the road.  
Stay on park paths instead of walking in the road.
- Keep on trails and mowed paths to avoid  
poison ivy and ticks.
- Keep dogs leashed.
- In case of an accident or injury, contact a ranger  
immediately. Call 911 in case of emergency.

### Ask a ranger!

Have a question? Need assistance? Don't  
hesitate to ask a ranger. Rangers are available  
May through October, Wednesday through  
Sunday from 10am to 4pm in the visitor center.



On the cover: Julian Alden Weir, Upland Pasture  
(detail), ca. 1905, oil on canvas, Smithsonian  
American Art Museum, Gift of William T. Evans.

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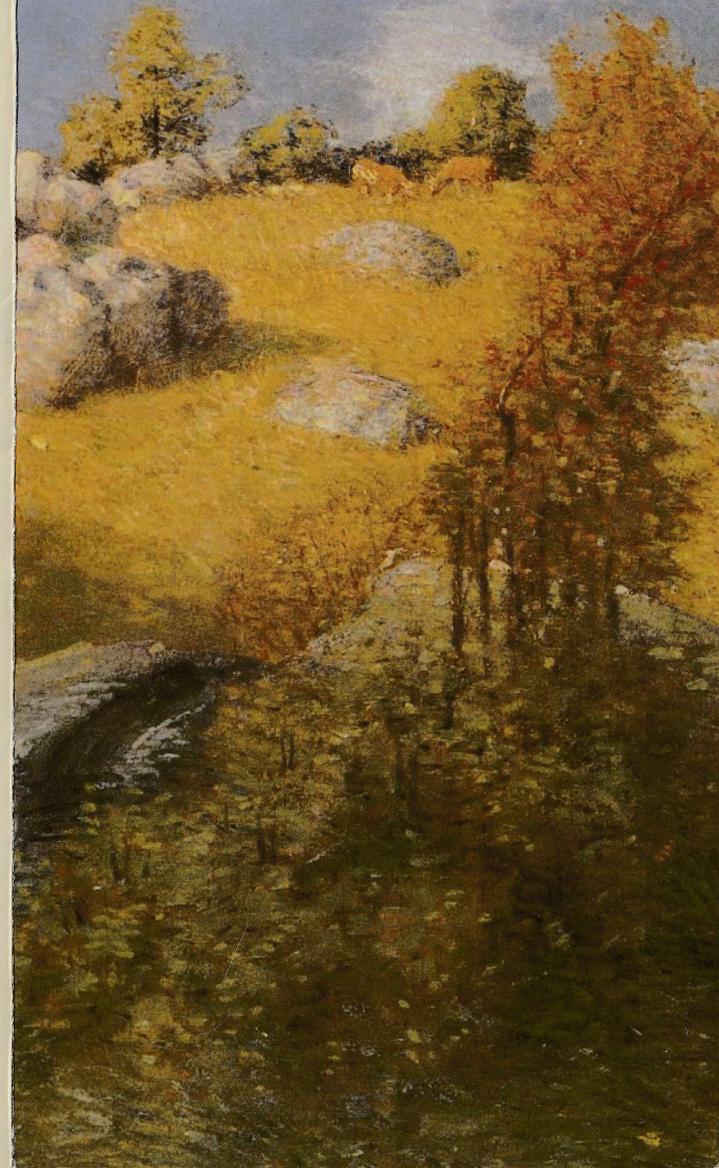
FIND YOUR  
**PARK**

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*Step into American  
landscape painting*



**W**eir Farm was the summer home of  
pioneering American Impressionist Julian  
Alden Weir from 1882 to 1919. For Weir  
and his famous contemporaries—artists Childe  
Hassam, John Twachtman, and Albert Pinkham  
Ryder—the farm's landscape offered the perfect  
setting to paint en plein air and experiment with  
light and color to create American masterpieces.

Weir's daughter, painter Dorothy Weir Young and  
her husband, sculptor Mahonri Young, carried on  
the artistic legacy, followed by New England painters  
Sperry and Doris Andrews. Today, the 60-acre  
national park, which includes the Weir House, Weir  
and Young studios, barns, outbuildings, gardens,  
fields, stone walls, and Weir Pond, is one of nation's  
finest remaining landscapes of American art.

Whether you have come to explore and enjoy this  
historic setting or to be inspired by the paintable  
landscape, Weir Farm leaves a lasting impression.



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Designed and preserved by artists, Weir Farm NHS celebrates the power of creativity, art, and nature. Discover the beauty of light and color in everyday life and join generations of visitors inspired by the beauty of this rural landscape.



*"Weir found the world beautiful and he spent his life showing others the visions he had seen."*  
- DOROTHY WEIR YOUNG (1890-1947)

- Beers Cemetery
- Corn Crib
- Chicken Coop
- Weir Orchard
- Secret Garden
- Young Studio
- Pig Pens
- Nod Hill Road
- Ice House
- Weir Barn
- Weir Studio
- Tool Shed
- Victory Garden
- Well
- Palace Car
- Weir House
- Caretaker's House
- Path to Weir House, studios, and Weir Pond
- Bridge
- Pond trail
- Dam
- Weir Pond
- Artist-in-Residence Studio
- Visitor Parking (no RVs)
- Burlingham House
- Visitor Center
- Nod Hill Road
- Potting Shed
- Sunken Garden
- Plein Air Painters
- Terraced Gardens
- Well
- Burlingham Barn (restrooms)
- Woodshed
- Trail to Weir Preserve
- Pelham Lane
- Stone Table