

We are glad to publish the following notice of a NEBBA field day sent to us by Mr. E. A. Bergstrom who is a member of both associations:

The Northeastern Bird-Banding Association will hold a Field Day Sunday, April 23, 1950, at Evergreen Sanctuary, Berlin, Conn., the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gstell. This is the first such Field Day to be held in Connecticut. The sanctuary covers 1.8 acres, with an outstanding planting of shrubs and trees to attract birds. The program will be very informal--discussion of a banding problem or two, exhibits of banding traps, a chance to meet banders from a wide area.

Particularly because of the place where the Field Day is to be held, a cordial invitation is extended to all members of the Eastern Bird-Banding Association to come, bring lunch and spend the day. Problems to discuss or banding equipment to exhibit will be welcome.

The sanctuary is very readily reached from the New York area, over limited-access parkways for all but the last quarter-mile. Take the Merritt and Cross Parkways (Conn. 15; the portion in Berlin is also U.S. 5); turn right on Middletown Road about .7 mile after U.S. 5A goes to the left, and about .8 mile before you would reach the major intersection with Conn. 72. The sanctuary is on the left of the Middletown Road, in about 1/4 mile. The local committee will meet any train at Berlin Sta. (New Haven R.R.; virtually all Hartford trains stop) provided arrangements are made in advance through Mr. E. A. Bergstrom, 233 Ridgewood Road, West Hartford.

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