

# Rainy Day Activities

## Bowling

- Ficco's Bowl (candlepin) | 508-528-1142 Franklin, MA [ficcobowl.com](http://ficcobowl.com)
- North Bowl (tenpin) | 508-695-2695 N. Attleboro, MA [Northbowl.com](http://Northbowl.com)

## Casinos

- Foxwoods | 800-FOXWOODS Mashantucket, CT [foxwoods.com](http://foxwoods.com)
- Mohegan Sun Resort & Casino | 888-226-7711 Uncasville, CT [mohegansun.com](http://mohegansun.com)
- Newport Grand | 401-849-5000 Newport, RI [newportgrand.com](http://newportgrand.com)
- Twin River | 800-720-PARK Lincoln, RI [lincolnparkri.com](http://lincolnparkri.com)

## Crafts

- BeadCache | 508-339-3330 Mansfield, MA [beadcache.com](http://beadcache.com)
- Chuck E. Cheese | 508-399-8445 Attleboro, MA [chuckecheese.com](http://chuckecheese.com)
- The Butterfly Place | 978-392-0955 Westford, MA [butterflyplace-ma.com](http://butterflyplace-ma.com)

## Movies, Plays & Performing Arts

- Showcase Cinema De Lux | 508-543-1450 Foxboro, MA [patriot-place.com/Cinemadelux.aspx](http://patriot-place.com/Cinemadelux.aspx)
- Showcase Live | 888-354-7042 Foxboro, MA [showcaselive.com](http://showcaselive.com)
- Showcase Cinemas | 508-643-3900 N. Attleboro, MA [showcasecinema.com](http://showcasecinema.com)
- Route One Cinema Pub | 508-695-3918 N. Attleboro, MA [cinema-pub.com](http://cinema-pub.com)
- Regal Cinema | 508-966-4500 Bellingham, MA
- Mendon Drive-In | 508-473-4958 Mendon, MA [Mendondrivein.com](http://Mendondrivein.com)
- Orpheum Foxboro Theater | 508-543-2787 Foxboro, MA [baycolonyproductions.com](http://baycolonyproductions.com)

## Museums

- John F. Kennedy Library & Museum | 866-535-1960 Boston, MA [jfklibrary.org](http://jfklibrary.org)
- New England Aquarium | 617-973-5200 Boston, MA [neaq.org](http://neaq.org)
- Boston Children's Museum | 617-426-6500 Boston, MA [bostonkids.org](http://bostonkids.org)
- Museum of Fine Arts | 617-267-9300 Boston, MA [mfa.org](http://mfa.org)
- Boston Museum of Science | 617-723-2500 Boston, MA [mos.org](http://mos.org)
- Isabella Stanley Gardner Museum | 617-566-1401 Boston, MA [gardnermuseum.org](http://gardnermuseum.org)
- The Sports Museum | 617-624-1234 Boston, MA [sportsmuseum.org](http://sportsmuseum.org)
- USS Constitution Museum | 617-426-1812 Boston, MA [ussconstitutionmuseum.org](http://ussconstitutionmuseum.org)
- Museum of Afro-American History | 617-725-0022 Boston, MA [afroammuseum.org](http://afroammuseum.org)
- Harvard University Art Museums | 617-495-9400 Cambridge, MA [artmuseums.harvard.edu](http://artmuseums.harvard.edu)
- Harvard Museum of Natural History | 617-495-2341 Cambridge, MA [hmn.harvard.edu](http://hmn.harvard.edu)
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology List Visual Arts Center (M.I.T.) | 617-253-1000 Cambridge, MA [mit.edu](http://mit.edu)
- New England Historic Genealogical Society | 888-296-3447 Boston, MA [newenglandancestors.org](http://newenglandancestors.org)
- Natural Heritage Museum | 781-861-6559 Lexington, MA [nationalheritagemuseum.org](http://nationalheritagemuseum.org)
- Children's Museum in Easton | 508-230-3789 North Easton, MA [childrensmuseumineaston.org](http://childrensmuseumineaston.org)
- DeCordova Museum and Sculpture Park | 781-259-8355 Lincoln, MA [decordova.org](http://decordova.org)
- New Bedford Whaling Museum | 508-997-0046 New Bedford, MA [whalingmuseum.org](http://whalingmuseum.org)
- Peabody Essex Museum | 866-745-1876 East India Square, Salem, MA [pem.org](http://pem.org)
- Salem Witch Museum | 978-744-1692 Salem, MA [salemwitchmuseum.com](http://salemwitchmuseum.com)

- Discovery Museums | 978-264-4200 Acton, MA [discoverymuseums.org](http://discoverymuseums.org)
- Higgins Armory Museum | 508-853-6015 Worcester, MA [higgins.org](http://higgins.org)
- Springfield Museums at the Quadrangle | 800-625-7738, Springfield, MA [springfieldmuseums.org](http://springfieldmuseums.org)
- Basketball Hall of Fame | 413-781-6500 Springfield, MA [hoophall.com](http://hoophall.com)
- Children's Museum at Holyoke | 413-536-5437 Holyoke, MA [childrensmuseumholyoke.org](http://childrensmuseumholyoke.org)
- Norman Rockwell Museum | 413-298-4100 Stockbridge, MA [nrm.org](http://nrm.org)
- John F. Kennedy National Historic Site | 617-566-7937 Brookline, MA [nps.gov/jofi](http://nps.gov/jofi)
- Longfellow National Historic Site | 617-876-4491 Cambridge, MA [nps.gov/long](http://nps.gov/long)
- Berkshire Museum | 413-443-7171 Pittsfield, MA [berkshireremuseum.org](http://berkshireremuseum.org)
- Salem Maritime National 978-740-1660 Historic Site | Salem, MA [nps.gov/sama](http://nps.gov/sama)
- Saugus Iron Works National Historic Site | 781-233-0050 Saugus, MA [nps.gov/sair](http://nps.gov/sair)
- Minute Man Visitor Center (Minute Man National Historical Park) | 978-369-6993 Lexington, MA [nps.gov/mima](http://nps.gov/mima)
- The Wayside: Home of Authors (Minute Man National Historical Park) | 978-318-7826 Concord, MA [nps.gov/archive/mima/wayside](http://nps.gov/archive/mima/wayside)
- Worcester Art Museum | 508-799-4406 Worcester, MA [worcesterart.org](http://worcesterart.org)
- Massachusetts Golf Museum and Hall of Fame | 774-430-9100 Norton, MA
- Attleboro Area Industrial Museum | 508-222-3918, Attleboro, MA
- Memorial Hall | 508-543-1248 Foxboro, MA
- Fisher Richardson House | 508-339-4704 Mansfield, MA
- District Three School | 508-285-7070 Norton Center, MA
- Wheaton College Observatory | 508-286-3937 Norton, MA [wheatoncollege.edu/Acad/Astronomy/Observatory.html](http://wheatoncollege.edu/Acad/Astronomy/Observatory.html)
- Falls Fire Barn | 508-695-3367 Attleboro Falls, MA

## Racing

- Formula 1 Racing | 781-848-2300 Braintree, MA [formula1.com](http://formula1.com)

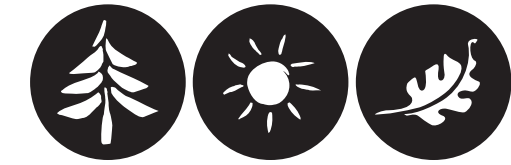
## Rock Climbing

- Carabiners | 508-984-0808 New Bedford, MA [carabiners.com](http://carabiners.com)
- Metro Rock | 617-387-2625 Everett, MA [metrorock.com](http://metrorock.com)

## Shopping

- Patriot Place | 508-203-2100 Foxboro, MA [patriotplace.com](http://patriotplace.com)
- Mansfield Crossing | 617-232-8900 [mansfieldcrossing.com](http://mansfieldcrossing.com)
- Copley Place Mall | 617-369-5000
- Faneuil Hall Marketplace | 617-523-1300 Boston, MA [faneuilhallmarketplace.com](http://faneuilhallmarketplace.com)
- Providence Place Mall | 401-270-1000 Providence, RI [providenceplace.com](http://providenceplace.com)
- Emerald Square Mall | 508-699-7979 N. Attleboro, MA [simon.com](http://simon.com)
- Wrentham Premium Outlets | 508-384-0600 Wrentham, MA [premiumoutlets.com](http://premiumoutlets.com)
- Old Country Store & Emporium | 508-339-8128 Mansfield, MA [mansfieldoldcountrystore.com](http://mansfieldoldcountrystore.com)

# AREA ATTRACTIONS



Deciding where to visit while at Normandy Farms can be as difficult as deciding what activity to join in. Stop by the Recreation Lodge to visit our Concierge in our Business & Information Center or a Guest Service Representative in the Office who will assist you in making dining reservations and help arrange your day trip outside the park complete with maps, literature, and a smile.

Did you know we're only 30 miles away from downtown Boston - a commute made even easier by way of public transportation, which you'll find easy and fun to ride. Whether you're drawn by architecture, history, sports, or arts and entertainment, Boston is truly a melting pot of culture that will enrich the memories of your visit.

Perhaps you'd like to taste a bit of the salt in the air...a 50 minute drive will bring you to the beautiful coasts of Cape Cod where you can put on your lobster bib and Eat, Eat, Eat! Deep-sea fishing, whale watches and miles of paved bike paths make Cape Cod a nature lover's paradise.

Some other places, which are close by and fun to visit, include, Patriot Place, Mansfield Crossing, Sturbridge Village, Concord and Lexington, Salem, and Six Flags Over New England Amusement Park. Be sure and stop by the Registration Center or Business and Information Center (seasonal availability) for assistance in choosing your travel plans.

## Area Highlights

Boston	30 miles
Gillette Stadium/Patriot Place	5 miles
Newport, RI	55 miles
Old Sturbridge Village	60 miles
Mansfield Crossing	10 miles
Comcast Center	6 miles
Foxwoods Resort & Casino	70 miles
Wrentham Premium Outlets	5 miles

### **Amusement Parks** (seasonal)

- Canobie Lake Park | 603-893-3506 founded in 1902, now has over 45 rides including 4 coasters, a flume ride, water coaster, rock climbing wall & over a dozen kiddie rides. Rte 93 X2 in Salem, NH. canobie.com
- Six Flags Amusement Park | 413-786-9300 in Agawam is New England’s largest family theme and water park with rides for all ages! 495N to 90W (MA Pike) to X6. I-291W 4.2 mi, merge R onto I-91S to X47W. 190W to 159N for 3.8 mi to Six Flags New England. sixflags.com

### **Beaches, Fishing & Waterparks**

- Lake Pearl Beach | 508-384-2591 on Creek St in Wrentham. Daily 10AM-7PM. Left out of park to Rte 1. Cross intersection to Thurston St., L onto 140. About 1 mi on L, turn onto Creek St.
- Old Silver Beach | 508-548-8623 in Falmouth. Perhaps the most famous and most often-visited beach in Falmouth, sitting on Buzzard’s Bay. Soft sand, average summer water temp of 70º, warmest on the Cape! Lifeguards, bathrooms & concessions. 495S to 28S to Rte 151. L at end of ramp, W on Rte 28A, L again heading South. R on Curley Blvd to end, straight onto Quaker Rd.
- Water Wizz | 508-295-3255 in Wareham. Mid June-Labor Day 10-6PM. Water-based theme park offers thrills for all ages. 495S to Rte 25 for 5 minutes, park on right. waterwizz.com
- Northeast Trading Bait Shop | 508-695-4852 on 580 Kelly Blvd (Rte 152) in No. Attleboro (3.9 mi). Leave park, take L to Rte 1, L (south) to 152. Go L at 152, thru L. Shortly after Boulevard Pizza on R.

### **Bowling**

- Ficco’s Bowl (candlepin) | 508-528-1142 in Franklin. Open daily. Take L out of park onto West to Rte 1. Go straight through light onto Thurston St. L onto Rte. 140 into Franklin, bowling alley on right. ficcosbowl.com
- North Bowl (tenpin) | 508-695-2695 in No. Attleboro. Open daily. L out of park to Rte 1, L on hwy heading South, bowling alley on left. northbowllanes.com

### **Casinos**

- Foxwoods | 800-FOXWOODS Feeling Lucky??? Take 495S to 95S to X92 in Connecticut. Go straight at the stoplight. At the next stoplight, turn R onto Rte 2W. Foxwoods is 8 miles W on Rte 2. foxwoods.com
- Mohegan Sun Resort & Casino | 888-226-7711. Go 495S to 95S to X 84N (Rte 32N). Take Rte 32N to I-395N. Take X79A (Rte 2A) East. Less than 1 mi to Mohegan Sun Blvd. mohegansun.com
- Twin Rivers is located just 20 minutes away in Lincoln, RI. 877-82RIVER twinriver.com

### **Golf**

- Foxboro Country Club | 508-543-4661
- Heather Hill | 508-695-0309
- Willowdale | 508-339-3197
- Wentworth Hills | 508-699-9406

### **Local Farms**

- The Big Apple | 508-384-3055 at 207 Arnold Street in Wrentham is a family farm and fruit stand popular for their bakery - mmm homemade donuts - along with pick-your-own blueberries, raspberries, apples and other varieties. Left out of park to Rte 1, straight through intersection (Thurston St) and left onto 140. Go to light and turn left onto 1A to 121. Arnold Street will be on your right. bigapplefarm.com
- Ward’s Berry Farm | 781-784-6939 Main Street in Sharon offers pick-your-own produce as well as a small market with fresh fruits, veggies, bread and other delicacies. Right at park exit to end of street, L on South St to Foxboro Common, straight across onto Mechanic Street. Pass 95 exits and Shaw’s supermarket, Wards Berry Farm is a short distance ahead on the right.

### **Mini Golf & Batting Cages** (seasonal)

- Airport Golf Driving Range | 508-695-2229 N.Attleboro, MA.
- Funway USA | 508-668-2000 1 mile north of stadium on Rte 1. Batting cages, mini golf, bumper boats and go carts.
- The Strike Zone | 508-699-0755

### **Miscellaneous**

- Boston Duck Tours | 617-267-3825 bostonducktours.com
- Chuck E. Cheese | 508-399-8445 chuckedcheese.com
- LaSalette Shrine | 508-222-5410 lasalette-shrine.org
- The Hall of Fame at Patriot Place | 508-698-4800
- Water Wizz | 508-295-3255

### **Movies, Plays & Performing Arts**

- Boston Symphony Orchestra | 888-266-1200
- Cinema Pub | 508-695-3918
- Mendon Drive-In | 508-473-4958
- Orpheum Theatre | 508-543-ARTS
- Showcase Cinema De Lux | 508-543-1450 patriot-place.com/Cinemadelux.aspx
- Showcase Live | 888-354-7042 showcaselive.com
- Comcast Center | 508-339-2333 livenation.com
- Museums
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- Boston Fine Arts Museum | 800-440-6975 mfa.org
- Old Sturbridge Village | 508-347-3362 osv.org
- Plimouth Plantation | 508-746-1622 plimouth.org
- Boston Museum Science | 617-723-2500 mos.org

### **Nature Areas**

- Normandy Farms Nature Trail
- Bass Pro Nature Walk | basspro.com
- Blue Hills | 617-698-1802
- Borderland State Park | 508-238-6566
- Gilbert Hills State Forest | 508-543-9084 provides 23 miles of great mountain biking, hiking, equestrian trails, & cross country skiing for the outdoor enthusiast. The park is conveniently located next to Normandy Farms. Take a right out of the park. Take your first left onto Mill St. and it’s just down about a mile on your left.

- Moose Hill Wildlife Sanctuary | 781-784-5691 Sharon.
- Purgatory Chasm | 508-234-3733 at Purgatory Rd in Sutton. Unique, natural landmark, the Chasm runs for 1/4 mile between granite walls rising as high as 70ft. 95S to 295 to 146S to Purgatory Rd, follow signs.

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### **Racing**

- Formula 1 Racing | 781-848-2300 at 290 Wood Rd in Braintree. Indoor kart racing facility for those 18+ years old where the racing is real and the competition is fierce! 95N to 128S/93N to X6. Bear L off ramp, L on Granite St, drive under highway. A 2nd lite, L onto Wood Road, track 3/4 mi on left
- Plainridge Racecourse | 508-643-2500 at Rte 1 & 495 in Plainville. Leave park, L to Rte 1, L on Rte 1 about 1-2 miles on L.
- Raynham-Taunton Greyhound Park | 508-824-4071 is at 1958 Broadway in Raynham. Take 495S to X8 to Rte 138N. Enter the building marked “Clubhouse”.
- Seekonk Speedway | 508-336-9959 Rte 6 in Seekonk. 95S to 195E. Mass X1 off 195. R off exit, to traffic light, take L onto Rte 6E for about 2.5 mi.

### **Shopping**

- Patriot Place | 508-203-2100 Featuring shopping that includes Circuit City, Christmas Tree Shop, and Bass Pro Shop. Coming soon is a sports musuem and restaurants all located just 5 miles down the road. Route 1 North for 5 miles. patriot-place.com
- Mansfield Crossing | 617-232-8900 offers a vibrant blend of retailers and restaurants in an open-air, pedestrian-friendly environment. Among the anchors are L.L.Bean, Borders, and

- Kohl’s. mansfieldcrossing.com.
- Emerald Square Mall | 508-699-7979 in North Attleboro. 12 miles away from park down Route 1 South for 12 miles, mall on the right simon.com
- Faneuil Hall Marketplace | 617-523-1300 Boston.
- Old Country Store & Emporium | 508-339-8128 at 26 Otis St in Mansfield.Step back in time with a memorable visit to a place that has been in operation for over 150 years! oldcountrystoreonline.com
- Providence Place Mall | 401-270-1000 in Providence, RI. 95S to X22C. Loop around Promenade Street directly to the back garage entrance to the mall. providenceplace.com
- Wrentham Premium Outlets | 508-384-0600 Upscale outdoor shopping outlet including Barney’s New York, Bebe, Donna Karan, Liz Claiborne, Nike, Polo, etc. 495N to X15, left off exit for 1/4 mile. premiumoutlets.com

### **Sporting Events**

- Boston Red Sox | 877-redsox9 or 877-733-7699
- New England Patriots | 800-543-1776 patriots.com
- Pawtucket Red Sox | 401-724-7300 pawsox.com
- Plainridge Race Track | 508-643-2500

### **Whale Watching**

- New England Aquarium Whale Watch | 617-973-5200
- Captain John Boats Whale Watch | 800-242-2469
- Hyannis Whale Watcher Cruises | 888-942-5392

### **Zoos**

- Capron Park Zoo | 508-222-3047 Open Sunday thru Saturday 10-4. From 95S take X3A to Route 123E.
- Franklin Park Zoo | 617-541-5466 franklinparkzoo.com
- Roger Williams Park & Zoo | 401-785-3510 Located in Providence & open weekdays 9-5, Hol & Wkends 9-6. From 95S take X17 (Elmwood Ave), left at light, second left into park. rogerwilliamsparkzoo.com
- Southwick Wild Animal Farm | 800-258-9182 Open daily 10-5 mid April thru October. 495N to X17. Stay N of 140 to Rte. 16 heading West. Follow W into Mendon, turn left at Gas Station, follow road for 4 miles. southwickzoo.com
- Stony Brook Wildlife Sanctuary | 508-528-3140 108 North St in Norfolk. 495N to X15. Follow 1A N for 4 mi. to intersection of 1A & 115 in Norfolk. Turn L, follow 115N for 1.5 mi and turn L onto North St. Sanctuary is a 300 ft ahead on right.
- World War II Memorial | 508-699-0129 N. Attleboro. Ideal for the little ones and only about 10 minutes away.