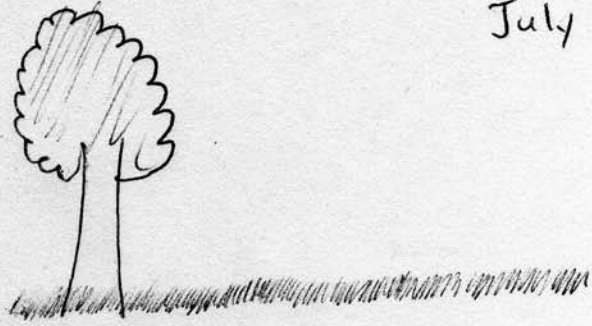


Trip slip #2  
July 6, 2006

Cold



Springs

Park

(sorry, there  
isn't a spring  
there)

Leaders appearing on  
the trip include:

Arin Hunter-S.

and

Mike McLellan

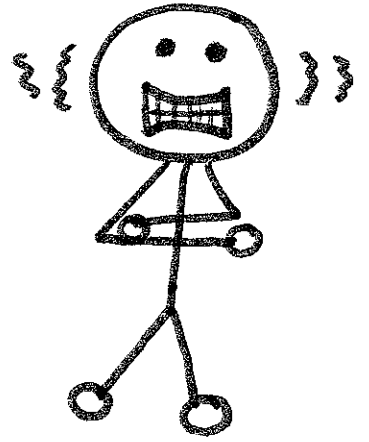
Things you should bring are:

Boots, daypack, first aid kit  
lunch, water (preferably 2 liters),  
a notebook with a pencil,  
and raingear

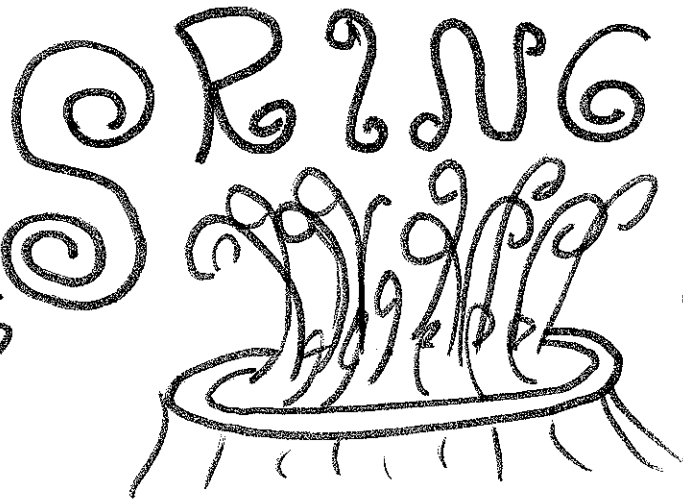
While there is no spring it is still a park  
and it can get cold and/or wet there so  
bring your raingear just in case. The park,  
besides sporting a nice soccer field, also has  
a forest and we will be focusing more on  
that than on the field. There may be mud still  
on the trail so I definitely suggest bringing  
your hiking boots.

In case of an Emergency your child will be brought to:  
Newton Wellesley Hospital 617-243-6000. This program must comply  
with the regulations of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health  
and must be licensed by the City of Newton Health Department.

# COOL



Leaders :  
Mike McLellan  
617-244-0998  
Aryn Hunter-S.  
617-928-3457



Where: 9am - 4pm  
When: Brown Middle School  
(but reversed)

What to bring: daypack  
lunch, H<sub>2</sub>O, boots,  
raingear, first aid kit

Welcome to the first official day trip. For our first trip, if you haven't already gathered, we will head off on an epic journey to cold spring park. If this were a Tuesday we would be able to spend some time browsing the produce at the local farmer's market but instead we'll just have to pretend. Oh well. Maybe next time.

# P

# A

# R

# K

# ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE PROGRAM

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## Trip Slip #2

July 2, 1996

9am to 2pm

Meet at:

**Newton South**

### *Your Leaders*

Dan Polivy  
964-1313  
Sarah Northrup  
965-4602

### *Equipment List*

- Field Kit
  - Day Pack
  - Water (Lots!)
  - Bagged Lunch
  - Extra Boot Laces
  - First Aid Kit (w/moleskin)
  - Spare change (for calls)
- Rain gear (**NO** Ponchos!)
- Pen or Pencils
- Notebook

### *Remember...*

**READ YOUR TRIPSLIPS!**

*They contain important information about your trips! If you have questions, call your leader.*

We are going to...

## Cold Springs Park

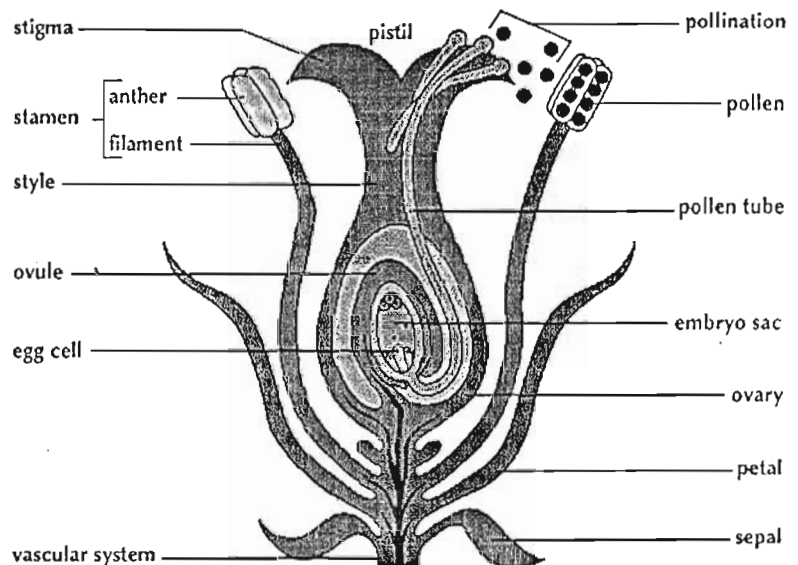
*Once we get there, what will we do?*

Absolutely nothing. When we get bored of doing that, we'll learn to identify more plants and trees, and also learn how to use a field guide! We can take a walk in the woods (if we're lucky, we may see a snake slithering along), and we will see if we really can identify various vegetation around Newton. After a nice lunch (and maybe a game or two of frisbee), we'll head on back to South.

### *How do flowers reproduce?*

Flowers *are* the reproductive part of plants. They are divided into **monocotyledonae** and **dicotyledonae**. Monocotyledonae contain one **cotyledon** (how the embryo divides up), have parallel veins, and their parts (petals, sepals, etc.) come in multiples of three or six. Dicotyledonae contain two cotyledons, and their parts come in multiples of fours or fives. Most flowering plants are dicots, while grasses, palms, lilies, and orchids are all monocots.

#### How Fertilization Takes Place



# Cold Springs Park

Trip slip #2

Leader:

7/2/04

Jeff "Solo" DeCew

617-964-7845

## Special Items:

An ampersand.

## Required Items:

Hiking Boots

WATER (2 liters)

Lunch

Field Kit

Raingear

First Aid

Notebook

Sun screen

## Optional Items:

A carrot (bonus for both kinds)

The number 5

The letter E

The color purple

The 'ah' sound

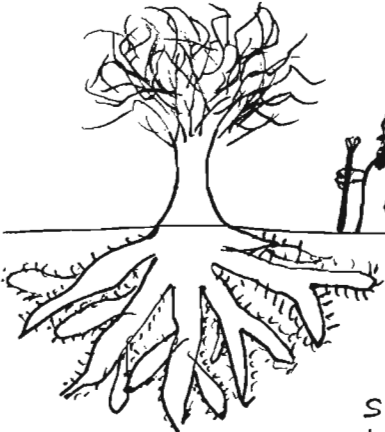
## Meeting Place:

Brown Middle School!

## Times:

Meet: 9:00 AM

Leave 4:00 PM



Rip them all down

Their roots run deep, my Lord!

People often forget that roots also serve to protect and stabilize the tree. That's why they are just as big as the part you see!

My birthday. oops, sorry, that won't come up again. You may be wondering where we will be going tomorrow, and if that is the case, "SMACK" for not reading the title of this trip slip.

~~My birthday!~~ so, are you all excited for your first real trip with Envi-Sci? (you nod) (♀) thought so!

As you probably know, besides the green lawn used for soccer games, cold springs park is also a forest. But where do forests come from?

The funny thing is... they come from green grassy plains (like those used for soccer), but the difference is that mowed lawns are stunted, and will not become forests.

POP Quiz! how much of Newton was forest before it was colonized?

It should be noted that this evil character had his fortress destroyed by the tree-herders. Likewise, ESP Leaders will retaliate if students are caught "plucking"

# COLD SPRING PARK



Leaders: NATE "DARWIN" KAUFMAN  
(617) 969-4144

GARHETT "KEYSTONE STATE" SOLOMON  
(617)-332-1362

JEFF "GALAPAGOS" HUENEMOERDER  
(617) 332-9506



- TRIP SLIP #2
- JULY 5, 2005
- 9 AM - 4 PM
- BROWN MIDDLE SCHOOL

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: Hiking boots, 2 liters of water, lunch, field kit: raingear, NOTEBOOK, sun screen, bug spray, extra boot laces

Wow, second day of the program. You made it past the first day, and with flying colors no less. Tuesday we'll be heading up to Cold Spring Park, for some sweet park-surfing. Make sure to come prepared with your handy notebook so you can write down what we teach you and have it read for our open-notebook AWESOME quiz/game of fun where, if you win, you will get an awesome prize and a magical crown of knowledge. Sweet, you guys. So if you know anything about EVOLUTION already, bring that knowledge. But be prepared to learn even more!!!

QUESTION:  
What was the name of Darwin's ship? (It wasn't H.M.S. per se, but he was on it. Trust me.)

Trip #2  
July, 5, 2005

# Cold Springs Park

Leaders:

Jeff Huencamardur: 617-332-9506

Nate Kaufman: 969-4144 \*

Gerhett Solomon: 332-1362 \*

\* Note - a (617) is inherently implied  
in all #'s



Equipment: Boots, daypack, first aid kit,  
lunch, water, notebook, pencils,  
raingear

This is what we like to call the first day of actual trips (as opposed to the fake trips, like to Zanzibar). Although the name

might imply it, there is no spring at Cold Springs Park. Depending on what the weather is like it may or may not be cold out, and cars do park there fulfilling that part of the name.

I hope you've heard of the great Sir Charles Darwin I, because he was a great great man who helped discover evolution, although through his intense procrastination someone else discovered it before he published it and almost stole away his glory. Darwin did not discover everything about evolution, in fact it is a controversial topic in which more is still being discovered today. Darwin just discovered the mechanism of natural selection. But there isn't much room left, so just you wait until tomorrow by which I mean Tuesday to go over the rest.

# Cold



## Required Items

# Spring

# Park

(parking space)

- Boots of the hiking
- Water
- Food (lunch)
- Field kit

- rain gear
- 1st Aid
- notebook
- sun-screen

- looks like an enter key

Meet at:  
Brown M.S.  
Time  
9-4

## Leaders

- Garrett 617-332-1362
- Solomon
- Nate Kaufman 617-969-4144
- Jeff Huenemoerder 617-332-9506

Today we will venture ALL the way to above. We will explore the forest and learn about the hip term "evolution". I will tell you a good ol' chap of mine named Charles (not the river!). He had some wacky ideas and a cool boat. Prepare to be bedazzled!!! You might want to bring some insect ~~repellent~~ spray. Good luck cadets... at ease... I don't know any more military talk... ok this is awkward.

Quick fact: Gray and Grey are BOTH correct!!!!

Leaders : Sarina "Chief Justice" Yospin  
969-3966

Trip Slip #2 (Dos) (Tw)  
July 2, 2003

Mikey "The Scourge of the West"  
McLellan 244-0998

Meet at : Brown  
Times : 9am-4pm

We're off to...

Equipment: backpack,  
lunch, water, lunch,  
field kit, shoe horn,  
french horn, horn horn

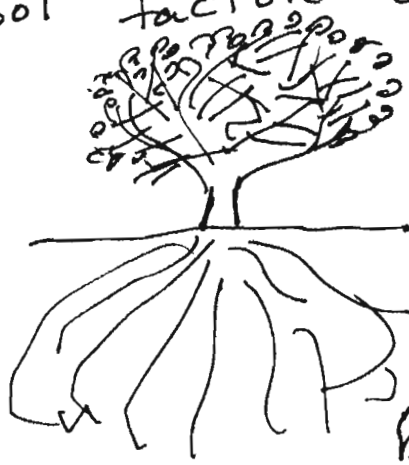
Brrr  
X

# COLD SPRINGS PARK!



Wow guys, this is your first real trip as official Envi Sci-ers. And you lucky guys get to go to fabulous Cold Springs Park, one of my most favorite forest-like establishments. We may take woods for granted, but we shouldn't, because a forest is made possible by many complex things; one of these is the letter "F," and another is a delicate balance of plants and animals that make up a ~~FOOD WEB!~~ ~~FOOD WEB!~~ ~~FOOD WEB!~~ It's crazy, just like that. We'll talk about food webs more on the trip.

Cool factoid of the the day:



Rip them all down.  
Their roots run deep, my Lord.

} evil characters--  
ESP does not support such attitudes

A tree's root system is at least as big as its leafy crown. Wow!



Leaders: Mike McLellan (617-244-0998) & Sarina Yospin (617-969-3966) 7/2/03

Where: Brown Middle School

When: 9 am - 4 pm

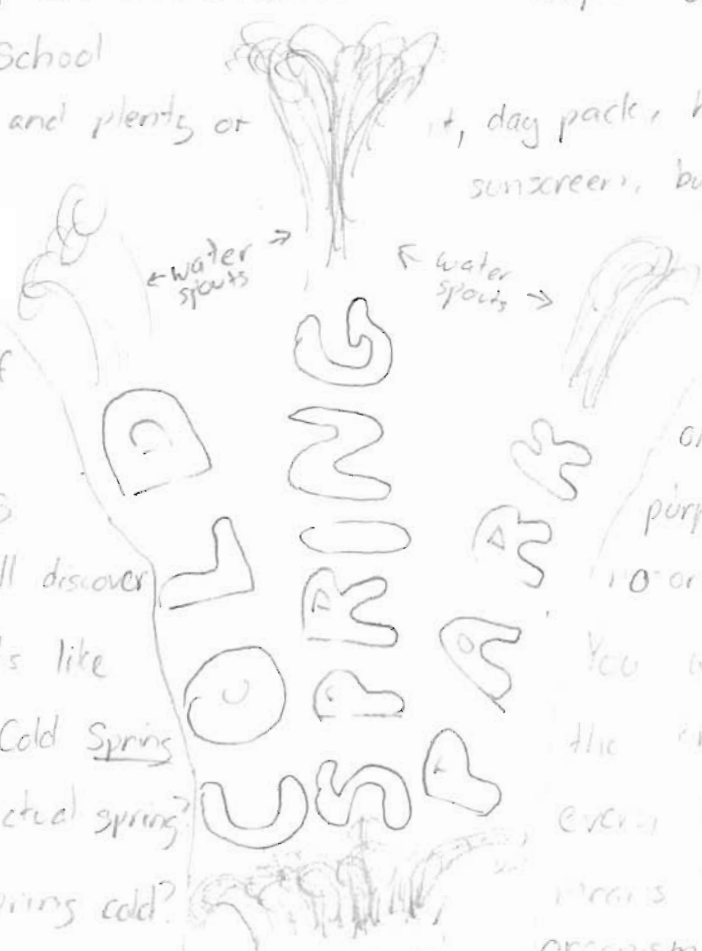
What to Bring: H<sub>2</sub>O and plenty of first aid kit;

day pack, hiking boots, rain gear, sunscreen, bug spray, and Lunch!! (of course)

Well today we off to the wonderfully awesome Cold Spring Park. Today you will discover such important facts like why they call it Cold Spring Park. Is there an actual spring? Is this supposed spring cold? Well I can tell you I've never seen a spring but if we have time we may start a massive man-hunt for this long lost spring. Who knows, maybe we will find it and it will unlock the key to immortality. Then we can call it "Mike's Cold Spring That Provides Whomever Drinks From It's Cold Water With Everlasting Life". Also, be prepared to learn the dangerous invasive

Get it? It's like a spring or fountain, a fountain of fun, which is what you will have on this trip because it's so fun. Yay!!!  
Hurray for fun.

species that have invaded many parts of Massachusetts, such as purple lostrife and the notorious Nate Kaufman. You will also learn about the fragile ecosystem, the even living organisms (that means things that is alive so living organism is sort of redundant) and the dangers of introducing new species into a environment that can't support them and what happens when a whole species is so very dangerous. Just. So prepare for an awesome day of cold spring hunt and species invasion.



sound the alarm!



Demilitarized Zone



Ancient Olmec Proverb Of The Day:

"You can't kill a moth by simply waving a pencil at it"

# Cold Springs Park

Trip slip #2

Amelia Ruyon (617-244-8836)

Danny Yagoda (617-738-0269)

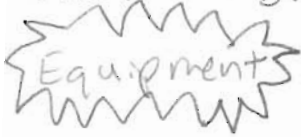
1st / Right / Trip!



Date: July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2001 Friday

Times: 8am - 4pm

Location: Brown Middle School



Day Pack, hiking boots (over the ankle), Field Kit, lunch, lots of H<sub>2</sub>O, rain coat, sunscreen

The Area: The park itself is 67 acres. However, behind the tennis courts and baseball diamonds are some nice hiking trails that go through the woods. The area used to be a swamp before it was developed upon. There used to be a parking lot which is now being taken over by trees and plants. It is a good example of...

## FOREST SUCCESSION!

Just like humans, forests have different stages in their lives.

1) Pioneer Stage



2) Mid-Stage



3) Climax



← look at all the trees!

4) Dying Stage



Question:  
What kinds of things affect forest succession?

# COLD Springs Park <sup>Trip slip #2</sup>

(don't let the name fool you, it is going to be HOT tomorrow! ~~So~~ bring lots of H<sub>2</sub>O)

your leaders: Danny Yagoda (617-738-0269)  
Amelia Runyan (617-244-8836)

Time: 8:30-4:00

What to bring: field kit (rain gear, 1<sup>st</sup> aid kit, notebook and pencil, compass, x-tra boot laces, swiss-army knife, daypack). Also bring lunch and lots of H<sub>2</sub>O = Water

Cold Springs Park is 67 acres of Coolness. In fact, it is soo cool, that it's COLD. Many of you may already be familiar with the park and the field, but there is also a beautiful forrest area, a secret forest area. - That's where we will be! At one point, the whole thing was a parking lot, but now it is full of trees and shrubs. Now you are probably asking yourself how a tree grows out of a cement parking lot. ~~and why~~ This happens through a process called revegetation (re-veg-i-ta-tion) We will talk about all this and MORE tomorrow.

**BRING LOTS of H<sub>2</sub>O**

#5 7/8/94  
 Gordon Noble  
 # 244-9304

Time: 9:00-2:00

Equipment: Day pack,  
 lunch, hiking boots and  
 mucho H<sub>2</sub>O (this summer  
 is gonna be a searcher.)

Cold Spring  
 scarf  
 "so cold its cold!" Park

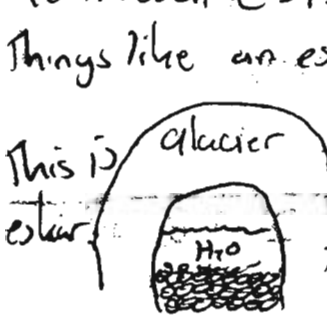


H<sub>2</sub>O the actual cold spring. Think we can find it?

The 67 acres of cold spring park is funded by the Parks and recreation department for our enjoyment as we explore the wilds of the frisbee field and baseball diamonds. Once upon a time though, this all used to be a swamp and peat bog, but it was filled in and developed upon. Did you know at one point there used to be a parking lot but it is now overgrown with trees and shrubs and is actually hard to find. But wait, how did a tree grow in cement and if it did, why isn't there a big tree in the express lane of 128? Because if there was we wuld all hit it. But no this process is called revegetation, can you think why?



While  
 seeing  
 the subject  
 of rocks and  
 pavement,  
 did you know  
 there are many  
 nearby - peachy -  
 keen geological  
 features at CSP.



Cold spring Park demonstrates very nicely the stages of forest succession. During the trip, I want every body to identify one area and what stage it is. we'll talk about it more.

Pioneer stage  
 tree grass

Mid stage  
 tree

Climax stage  
 tree

how an  
 is formed  
 ehuh??

Cold spring is part of a large network of conservation areas: wetlands, meadows and wood lands. Many of our trips during the month are possible because in the 1950's people wanted to guard Newton's open land. So they formed areas like Cold spring, Norumbega (Yay!), Kennard Conservation area, Edmonds park and Nolan pond. So thanks to the Newton Conservators we don't have to just wander around Newton south, and we can go visit all these funky places. Yay!!!

Frisbee throws:  
 forehead, backhand, hammer, upside down and of course dig it!

Trip slip #2

# COLD SPRINGS

Date: 7/2/92

Leader - Delia

Tramontozzi

Phone # 244-3377

Time: 9am - 2pm

Equipment: Daypack, LUNCH & Hiking boots

# PARK



Welcome to your first trip with Envi-Sci. Today's hike won't be a long one but it's a great start. We have to break in all your new boots. Man's impact on the environment shows very clearly in Cold Springs park. It is still used today for its great facilities such as tennis courts, basketball courts, and baseball fields. However, there are still some parts that have been left to the environment. An old parking lot has been uprooted and just about taken over by plants and trees. How did this happen? Water and Ice broke up the pavement, while tough plants grew between the cracks until the parking lot was covered. This process is called revegetation. I will also talk about forest succession and help you identify some plants and trees.

Today will also be your first watertest at the park, so don't forget your pocket notebooks in your daypack. AND I'LL bring the FRISBEE!

Gordon's trip slip #2

3/2/93

Leader - Gordon Roble

Phone # - 244-9304

Time 9:00am - 2:00 P.M.

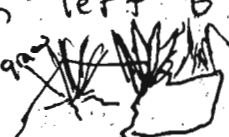
Equipment: Day pack, Lunch and Hiking boots

GOLD

Springs Park

Brrrr.

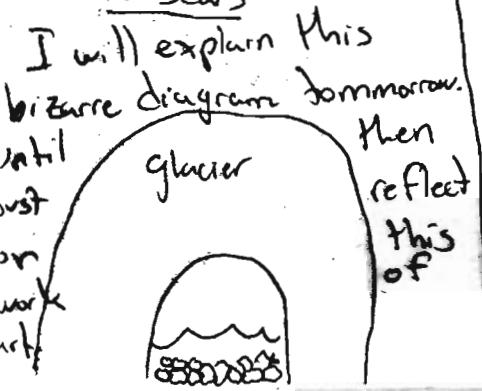


Welcome to your first trip with the Environmental Science Program (Yay Envi-Sci). This trip is a great trip because we get to break in our boots and see beautiful Cold Springs Park. This is a great trip because you get us there using your maps and compass. At Cold Springs we will see man's impact on the environment. We will see the basketball courts, baseball fields and tennis courts. As well there are places that have been left to the environment. Plants and trees are beginning to come up.  This is called revegetation.

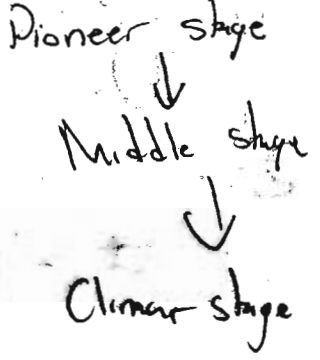
We will also discuss things like plants, forest succession, frisbees, and glacial geology - Escars and other rocks. We will also play some Swamp games, so be ready for a great day!!

Bring a little money as well because as many of you know Cold Springs is near a shopping center and we may have time for a quick stop. See ya

Escars



Forest succession



Things to think about

- Man's impact on the environment.
- Why Cold Springs is both a swamp and a wood.
- What makes a frisbee fly.

# Cold Springs Park

I chose the above font because at cold springs we are gonna be studying geo(logy) And the fonts name was geo-slab! How appropriate.

Leaders: Amelia Runyan (244-8836)  
Mike Dyen (244-0285)

Equipment: Backpack, Hiking boots  
Lunch, WATER!!!!, notebook,  
pencils, first aid kit, extra boot laces,  
Rain gear, pocket knife

July 5, 2000!

Times: 9:00-2:00

Location: Charles E. Brown Middle School

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Today we shall venture into the dangerous backwoods of Cold Springs park, where the soccer fields no longer exist and you are stranded in a world of horror!!!! Actually we are just going to walk around in the paths all over the park (no horror or danger involved). Cold springs is an interesting park because it isn't only woods, it is also swampy, and it has a lot of hills, called eskers. Eskers were formed by glaciers, and this is where the geology comes in. We will learn how the glaciers formed the eskers. Also we will learn about pond succession and forest succession, because the area is swampy and it used to be a pond, so we will figure out how it changed from one thing to another.

You guys will decide how we get there, so it is up to you to pick a route and get us there in time, our map and compass skills will help us out with that!

See you at Brown at 9!



# COLD SPRINGS PARK

Trip slip 2  
7/5/2000

9 am - 2 pm

Leaders: Amelia Runyan  
(244-8836)

Michael DYEN  
(294-0285)

equipment: Backpack  
boots, lunch, H<sub>2</sub>O,  
notebook, pencil, 1st aid  
rain gear

Today we will go to Cold Springs Park, a mystical place where dreams become a reality. That is if ~~your~~ your dreams include learning about pond succession. Also, I hope you know how to use a map and compass because we will need you to find out how to get there.



Trip slip #2

# COLD SPRINGS PARK

Date: 7/8/92

Leader - Delio

Tramontozzi

Phone # 244-3377

Time: 9am - 2pm

Equipment: Daypack, LUNCH & Hiking boots



Welcome to your first trip with Envi-Sci. Today's hike won't be a long one but it's a great start. We have to break in all your new boots. Man's impact on the environment shows very clearly in Cold Springs park. It is still used today for its great facilities such as tennis courts, basketball courts, and baseball fields. However, there are still some parts that have been left to the environment. An old parking lot has been uprooted and just about taken over by plants and trees. How did this happen? Water and Ice broke up the pavement, while tough plants grew between the cracks until the parking lot was covered. This process is called revegetation. I will also talk about forest succession and help you identify some plants and trees.

Today will also be your first waterfest at the park, so don't forget your pocket notebooks in your daypack. AND I'LL bring the FRISBEE!

## Cold Springs Park

Leader: Daniel Ordorica (244-5023)

Tripslip #6

July 11, 1994

Times- 9am-2pm

Equipment: Daypack, boots, lunch & water

Cold Springs used to be part of a 150 acre peat bog and swamp, now, all that remains is the 67 acres that the city maintains. At Cold Springs we will be able to experience three different environments: the swampy land that is left, the woods, and the playing fields.

Cold Springs also holds a variety of different aspects that we can learn about. There are both geological structures present (ie- an esker) and biological phenomena to discover (ie-forest succession). Some of you know what pond succession is . . . forest succession works in a similar way. It is the building up of a forest from a meadow to climax.

Something else we might find there, is a process called revegetation. If you don't know already, do you think you can figure it out? Some hints: re- is the prefix meaning again, and vegetation is, well, you know, plants and trees and stuff.

Be prepared to do an extensive tree ID. Some of the trees we will be able to see there include Paper Birch, Sugar Maple, Red Oak, White Oak (I think we'll see one this time.), Red Pine, Pitch Pine, White Pine and the American Elm.

Other things we may also see are smaller plants: Bardock, Water Hemlock, Cattails, Morning Glory, Ragweed, Jewelweed, Choke Cherry, Lily of the Valley, False Canadian Mayflower, Nightshade, Yarrow, Sweet Fern, Toad Flax, Wild Rose and Bracken Fern.

A special shout out to my boyz, the Newton Conservaters, for creating and preserving parks such as Cold Springs, Norumbega, Kennard Conservation Area, and Dolan Pond. Peace!!!

7/2/98

TRIPSLIP #2

LEADERS: ALEX KRAUS (964-7768)

GABE YOSPIN

TIME: 9-2:00

MEET @ BROWN

EQUIPMENT: FIELD KIT, LUNCH, HIKING BOOTS

## **COLD SPRING PARK**

**WELL, FOR MOST OF YOU THIS WILL BE YOUR FIRST REAL TRIP WITH THE ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE PROGRAM! (APPLAUSE NOW) I DO HOPE THAT YOU ALL PAID ATTENTION WHILE YOUR LEADER WAS EXPLAINING HOW TO USE A MAP AND COMPASS, BECAUSE YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE TO FIGURE OUT HOW TO GET THERE. YOUR SKILLS ARE THE ONLY THINGS THAT WILL KEEP US FROM GETTING HOPELESSLY LOST. WE ARE ALL VERY AFRAID NOW.**

GLACIAL GEOLOGY: THIS IS A REASONABLY FREQUENT TOPIC OF DISCUSSION HERE AT ENVI-SCI. COLD SPRING PARK IS A PLACE WHERE WE CAN BEGIN. ONE GEOLOGICAL STRUCTURE WE MAY OBSERVE IS AN ESKER. IN SHORT AN ESKER IS A HILL THAT A GLACIAL HAPPENED TO DROP. WE WILL DELVE INTO THIS FURTHER LATER.

**SUCCESSION- SUCCESSION IS ALSO A TERM YOU WILL PROBABLY HEAR QUITE FREQUENTLY IN THE PROGRAM. IF NOT, YOU'RE NOT LISTENING! COLD SPRING PARK IS, IN PART, BOTH A SWAMP AND A FOREST. THE EXPLANATION LIES IN SUCCESSION. WE WILL PRIMARILY DISCUSS POND AND FOREST SUCCESSIONS. EACH TYPE HAS THREE MAIN STAGES: pioneer, mid-stage, and climax.**

*Something to ponder: What is the effect on nature when humans decide to build basketball courts and soccer fields and baseball diamonds?*

# Cold



Trip slip #2  
July 3, 1996  
9am - 2pm

# Springs Park

Equipment: Boots, H<sub>2</sub>O  
lunch, Field kit (daypack,  
First aid kit, notebook,  
Pencils, x-tra boot laces)

leaders:  
Sarah 965-4602  
Dan P. 964-1313

Today is your first Trip! All

that stuff you learned about will be put to use today. Everybody remember how to do it?? (Don't worry if you don't, we'll remind you...)

Yesterday you learned a few types of plants and trees. How many do you remember? We'll look for ones you know, and try to find some you don't. (Does everybody know what poison ivy looks like?)

- Some things to remember when on a trip:
- 1. Stay with the group
- 2. If you need a rest or a drink, just say so.
- 3. If your leader asks you to do something, Do it.
- 4. HAVE FUN!!!

# Cold Springs Park

Time: 9am - 3pm

Location: Start and End at Beacon

Equipment and stuff:

Leaders:

Dan Polivy 964-1313  
AND

Kathy Thorp 527-3681

Daypack  
Hiking Boots  
WATER

Lunch

Small Notebook  
Rain Gear

All the other stuff you brought on Monday ☺

Today is your first trip of Envi-Sci '95! We will be going to Cold Springs Park. The Park is used for many things, including soccer, baseball, basketball, tennis, and lacrosse. There is also a network of trails through the woods, and a few small streams that we will look at while we are there. We will see a part of the park which used to be a parking lot, but through the process of revegetation, has begun to regrow. We'll talk more about revegetation while we are there.

While we are there, we will identify some of the different plants and trees found around the park - so remember what you learned on Monday

While at park, we will do some testing. Do you know the scale? What numbers are acidic & basic & neutral? blanks below

HHHHH  
0 1 2 3 4  
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# Gold Springs Park

Tripslip #II

Joey Backer (617-969-0288)

Danny Yagoda (617-738-0269)

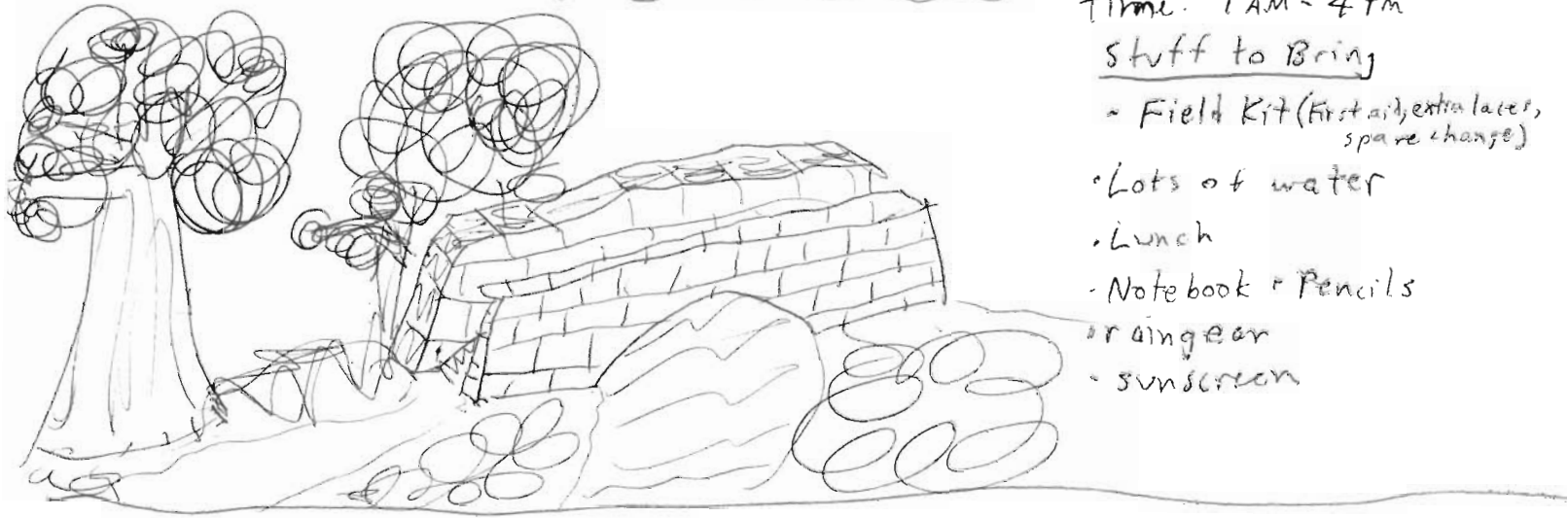
Date: July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2002

Place: Brown Middle School

Time: 9 AM - 4 PM

## Stuff to Bring

- Field Kit (first aid, extra laces, spare change)
- Lots of water
- Lunch
- Notebook + Pencils
- orange gear
- sunscreen



Huzzah. You've made it through Day Numero Uno of the Environmental Science Program. So now that we've learned each other's names (minus the learning part), we can tie those boots on tighter and start walking! Your first destination is, unless you took the wrong tripslip, Cold Spring Park. Whoa. Cold Springs Park is at its heart really just a park with a fancy name (I have never found any Springs, cold or otherwise). But don't despair! The park is still a barrel and a half of monkeys. Once there, we will eat lunch. Then we might walk around a little before leaving. Fun! And you'll learn some pretty wild stuff too. Let's get to it...

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# Cold Springs Park

## Trip slip # 2

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Time : 9AM-4PM

What to bring : Backpack, Hiking boots, lunch, WATER (2 Liters +), Field kit (notebooks, pencils, First Aid kit, extra boot laces, rain gear, sunscreen, bug stuff (optional), pocket knife

Woohoo!!! Get ready as you embark on the greatest adventure of your life. By the end of the month you will have travelled through the mud filled salt marshes of Wittery Maine, you will have canoed down the great River Charles, and even conquered the highest peaks of Mt. Washington. Your journey begins here at Cold Springs Park. Although many of you may be familiar with the park and the field, you may not be so familiar with the wooded area of CSP we will be exploring. The wooded area is not only a forest, but also a swamp. We will discuss more on Tuesday, so strap on your boots and fill up your water bottles, ~~cause~~ the fun starts here!