

WELLS RESERVE:

An Investigation of Salt Marshes

Who: The entire program gets to go on this trip

Where: We will meet at Brown, but we'll take a bus up to Maine where the excursion is

When: 9:00 AM until 5:00 PM July 14, 2006

Why: Because it is important for us to teach you about wetlands and what goes on to keep them safe.

What: Wells National Estuarine Research Reserve can be visited online at www.wellsnerr.org, and is a great place to learn about estuaries, and in particular, salt marshes. Does anybody know what salt marshes do? Anybody? Well, salt marshes are nature's filters, removing all the toxins and fecal matter from river water before it enters the ocean.

Equipment: Hiking Boots, Big Lunch, Sun Screen, Field Kit, Warm Layer, Bug Spray

Trip Slip #8, July 13, 2006 -- With Questions call Jeff (857)-205-4723

Coastal/salt marsh zonation

