

Press Release from Thacher Montessori School

Thacher Montessori will be hosting a benefit concert at [The Trailside Museum](#) on **Friday, November 16th at 6 pm**. Proceeds from this concert will benefit “[The Blue Hills Snowy Owl Project](#)”. The concert will be a coffeehouse style event with music prepared by Thacher students. Selections include original works plus songs by The Jackson 5, Leonard Cohen and Paramour.

Mass Audubon is working to protect snowy owls, the largest owls in North America. Norman Smith, Director of Mass Audubon's Blue Hills Trailside Museum, has been studying them since 1981. As part of his research, he attaches bands and transmitters to snowy owls at Logan Airport, and then tracks them to better understand their movements and to see how changes in the arctic are impacting them.

All donations will help support this work.



Norman Smith releases a snowy owl with young nature scientists.

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Link to The Trailside Museum:

<https://www.massaudubon.org/get-outdoors/wildlife-sanctuaries/blue-hills-trailside-museum>

Link to The Snowy Owl Project:

<https://www.massaudubon.org/get-outdoors/wildlife-sanctuaries/blue-hills-trailside-museum/our-work/snowy-owl-project/snowy-owl-videos>