

Wellesley Conservation Council Fall Lecture
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Dinosaurs, Dunes, and Drifting Continents:

The Amazing Geologic History of Massachusetts



Professor Richard Little, Prof. Emeritus

Tuesday, October 22nd, 2019 – 7:00pm
Wakelin Room, Wellesley Free Library

Professor Richard Little, recognized authority on the geologic history of the Connecticut River Valley, will provide a fast-paced and illustrated program on the geologic processes that built our region. Specific topics will touch on Wellesley's notable pudding stones (like "Problem Rock") and focus primarily on the amazing geologic history that has resulted in a landscape unlike the rest of New England. Wellesley's geologic journey from a tropical location on a super-continent to our current mid-latitude location through tectonic plate collisions and continental drifting that continue to this day will be examined.

Kid friendly and fossils to touch will be on hand. For more information, see wellesleyconservationcouncil.org/upcoming-events or <https://www.facebook.com/events/907162052991795/>



The **Wellesley Conservation Council**, Wellesley's 501(c)(3) non-profit land trust, protects 14 sanctuaries across more than 45 acres of natural land in Wellesley and bordering lands in Needham and Weston. More information about our mission, the sanctuaries, and membership can be found: www.wellesleyconservationcouncil.org and info@wellesleyconservationcouncil.org.