



# Monmouth County Park System

## I Want to Be a Marine Biologist Camp

*Bayshore Waterfront Park, 719 Port Monmouth Road, Port Monmouth*

**Program #IK423A, Tuesday-Friday, August 2-5, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.**

Thank you for registering for I Want to Be a Marine Biologist Camp.

We look forward to providing your child with an enjoyable and safe experience.

*Please Note: If you have signed up children other than your own, please call us at 732-842-4000, ext. 4312, with the child's information so we can be sure their parents receive important information on camp forms.*

### CAMP INFORMATION

Camp information should be completed through the ePACT Network and submitted to the Monmouth County Park System. Please watch for an email invite from Monmouth County Park System via ePACT Network to create your account. If you attended camp with us last year and you have an account, please watch for an email to review and update your account information.

Camp information, as well as special accommodation forms (if needed), must be completed and returned prior to attending camp. If you have questions regarding camp forms, please visit [www.MonmouthCountyParks.com](http://www.MonmouthCountyParks.com) and click on "Camp Forms", or call 732 842-4000, ext. 4312.

### DROP-OFF/PICK-UP

Please drop off your child at the Seven Presidents Oceanfront Park Activity Center. Staff arrives 15 minutes before your camp's start time. Each day campers will need to be signed in and out. Campers cannot be released to anyone not listed on the Parent Pick Up list. A valid photo ID is required by all authorized individuals at the time of pick up. Campers should be picked up promptly at the end of camp.

### DRAFT SCHEDULE

Please note that activities listed below may change or be canceled due to weather or circumstances beyond our control. An updated schedule will be emailed prior to the start of camp.

#### TUESDAY: 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Activities for the day include looking for microscopic critters as we use a casting net to look for life along the edge of the bay. Plus, we will start to look for cool shells and unique coastal rocks. Please dress to get wet and dirty. Don't forget lunch and water.

#### WEDNESDAY: 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Activities for the day include seining, looking for wetland wildlife, and making coastal crafts. Please dress your camper to get wet and dirty. A change of clothes might be preferred for when activities are done. Don't forget lunch and water.

#### THURSDAY: 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Activities for the day include visiting Seven Presidents Oceanfront Park, Long Branch, for a swim in the Atlantic Ocean and to explore the coast. We will also look for endangered species that call the Jersey Shore home. Please dress to get wet. Please provide a change of clothes. Don't forget lunch and water. *Important: If time allows, we will visit a local ice-cream shop. Please provide money (no more than \$5.00) to your child so she/he can purchase what they want.*

**FRIDAY: 9 a.m.-3 p.m.**

Activities for the day include seining and crabbing the bay to look for fish, crabs and other sea creatures. Along the way we will collect shells to take home. Dress to get wet and dirty. *Important: If time allows, we will visit a local ice-cream shop. Please provide money (no more than \$5.00) to your child so she/he can purchase what they want.*

**DO NOT BRING TO CAMP**

Any foods containing nuts, nut oils, or nut byproducts.

Valuables or electronics - the Park System cannot be held responsible for lost or stolen items

**INCLEMENT WEATHER**

If at any time you are unsure as to whether your camp will be held, please call the Weather Cancellation Number at 732-842-4000, ext. 6. A recorded message will be in place at least ONE HOUR prior to your camp's starting time.

If your camp is not listed on the message, it is running as scheduled.

**QUESTIONS?**

Please contact Joe Reynolds at 732-264-7277, ext. 1, or email [jreynolds@monmouthcountyparks.com](mailto:jreynolds@monmouthcountyparks.com).