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WIND & SEA FESTIVAL CELEBRATES THE BAYSHORE



PORT MONMOUTH— From kite flying to seining, the Monmouth County Park System's upcoming *Wind & Sea Festival* is brimming with coastal activities for the whole family to enjoy. Held on Saturday, September 16 from 11 a.m.-5 p.m., this event will take place at Bayshore Waterfront Park, Port Monmouth. Visitors are invited to try fishing, kite flying, seining, shell painting, and much more! The event also offers *Kayak Nature Tours of Sandy Hook Bay* every thirty minutes from 11:45 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. These free tours are open to ages 14 & up; under 18 with adult. (Space is limited.) Festival goers can also see sand sculptor John Gowdy at work, get their face painted, and go on *a Selfie Scavenger Hunt*.

Most activities are free but some may have a fee. Admission and parking are free. Parking is available at the Belford Ferry Terminal located at 10 Harbor Way, Belford. A shuttle bus will transport visitors to and from the ferry terminal to Bayshore Waterfront Park.

For more information regarding the *Wind & Sea Festival* or the Monmouth County Park System, visit www.MonmouthCountyParks.com or call 732-842-4000. For persons with hearing impairment, the TTY/TDD number is 711. The Monmouth County Park System, created in 1960 by the Monmouth County Board of County Commissioners, is Monmouth County's Open Space, Parks, and Recreation agency.

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