



OCEAN CITY BEACH PATROL

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Week of July 26, 2010 to August 1, 2010

MONDAY, JULY 26, 2010

WEEKLY MEETING: CONVENTION CENTER - 40TH STREET

AREA MEETING WITH SERGEANTS: 800hrs

CREW CHIEF MEETING: 0815hrs

SEMAPHORE TEST: 0820hrs—Required to pass probationary stage

CREW MEETING: 0830hrs (Turn in individual stats, get schedule and assignments, information from Crew Chief)

OFFICERS' MEETING: 0830hrs

GENERAL MEETING: 0845hrs

LIEUTENANTS' MEETING: 0945hrs

OCBPSRA: Beach Safety Seminar Training—Headquarters—1830hrs—Required for Basic Certification

Opportunity to Compete: Bethany Beach Ocean Series—Garfield Pkwy—1730hrs—See p. 6 for details.

Workout: Swim

Surfing Beaches: Inlet/23rdSt./92nd St.

Tides: High: 0849hrs and 2116hrs

Low: 0247hrs and 1434hrs

Special Events: Beach Safety Seminar—OC Lifesaving Museum—1000hrs

Free International Students Dinner—OC Baptist Church—N. Division St.—1900hrs

Jesus at the Beach— N. Division St.—1900hrs to 2200hrs

Movies on the Beach—*Harry Potter & the Half Blood Prince*—27th St.—1930hrs

JBP Instructor Training This Week

Required for OCBPSRA Advanced

Tuesday, July 27, 2010

HQ Training Room—1830hrs

OCBPSRA Round 2 Events

See p. 5 for complete schedule

Notice: Participation in activities that include the use of equipment not issued or authorized by the OCBP while on duty is strictly prohibited. This includes time on your break i.e: surfing, bodyboarding, fishing, etc.

Special Note: Allowing non-employees to use our equipment without the permission of an officer is also prohibited.

S.R.T. Name:	Monday 7/26/2010	Tuesday 7/27/2010	Wednesday 7/28/2010	Thursday 7/29/2010	Friday 7/30/2010	Saturday 7/31/2010	Sunday 8/1/2010	CREW
Daily Assignment								
Rescues								
Preventative actions								
First Aids								
								Totals

TUESDAY, JULY 27, 2010—OIC-Lt. Stone

JBP Academy IV: A.M. Session—Day 1—0800hr –1130hrs (Instructors report at 0730hrs)
P.M. Session—Day 1—1300hr –1630hrs

OCBPSRA: JBP Training—HQ Training Room—1830hrs—Required for Advanced Certification

Opportunity to Compete: OCBP Triathlon Club—27th St.—Bike-0700hrs/Run-0800hrs
OCBP Floor Hockey—Northside Park—1900hrs--\$5.00 per person

Workout: 3 rounds of (20 leg raises each leg; followed by 25 body squats; followed by 25 tuck jumps)

Surfing Beaches: Inlet/21st /90th St.

Tides: High: 0930hrs and 2154hrs
Low: 0320hrs and 1514hrs

Special Events: Free Lunch—His Praise Place—Worcester St.—1200hrs to 1300hrs

Free Lifeguard Dinner—OC Baptist Church—1900hrs

Family Beach Olympics—27th St.—1830hrs

Jesus at the Beach—N. Division St.—1900hrs to 2200hrs

Sunset Park Part Night—*Kevin Poole & the Gang*—S. Division St.—1900 hrs

Equipment Issues

Sgt. Kauffman will not be available for equipment issues this Wednesday.

Please call HQ for your equipment needs.

OCBP Floor Hockey

Northside Park
Tuesdays--1900hrs
\$5.00
Wear Your Athletic Shoes—No Blades

July 27, Aug. 3, Aug. 10,
Aug. 17



WEDNESDAY, JULY 28, 2010—OIC-Lt. Kovacs

JBP Academy IV: A.M. Session—Day 2—0800hr –1130hrs (Instructors report at 0730hrs)
P.M. Session—Day 2—1300hr –1630hrs

OCBPSRA: Starts Tuesday, Aug. 3

Scamper Camp: N. Division St.—0945hrs—1145hrs (Instructors report to HQ at 0900hrs)

Camp Horizon: N. Division St.—1145hrs—1515hrs

Opportunity to Compete: All Women's Tournament—Sandy Hook, NJ

Workout: 3 Rounds of (20 Buoy Axe Chops with Lunge, 20 Long Lever Crunches, and 20 Dead Rock)

Surfing Beaches: Inlet/19th/88th St.

Tides: High: 1010hrs and 2231hrs
Low: 0354hrs and 1554hrs

Special Events: Jesus at the Beach—N. Division St.—1900hrs to 2200hrs /Baptism in the Ocean—40th St.—1300hrs
Movies on the Beach—*Astro Boy*—Carousel Hotel—1845hrs

THURSDAY, JULY 29, 2010

JBP Academy IV: A.M. Session—Day 3—0800hr –1130hrs (Instructors report at 0730hrs)
P.M. Session—Day 3—1300hr –1630hrs

JBP One-Day Clinic: 1300hrs-1700hrs

OCBPSRA: Starts Tuesday, Aug. 3

Opportunity to Compete: OCBP Triathlon Club—27th St.—Bike-0700hrs/Run-0800hrs

Workout: 3 rounds of 25 burpees followed by 25 Sumo Pulse Ups

Surfing Beaches: Inlet/17th/86th St.

Tides: High: 1050hrs and 2308hrs
Low: 0429hrs and 1635hrs

Special Events: Beach Wedding—10th St.—0900hrs

Free Lunch—His Praise Place—Worcester St.—1200hrs to 1300hrs

Free Dinner—His Praise Place—Worcester St.—1700hrs to 1900hrs

Beach Wedding—139th St.—1800hrs

Movies on the Beach—*Cloudy w/ a Chance of Meatballs*—Princess Royale—92nd St.—2045hrs

Bonfire Story Hour on the Beach—**The OCBP**—N. Division St.—2100hrs

JBP One Day Clinic **Thursday afternoons** **July 29** **August 5, 12** **1300hrs to 1700hrs**

Spread the word to kids 10-17 who hang around the stand. This weekly one-day activity is perfect for kids who are interested in lifeguarding.

There is an additional 4-day JBP session this week (as well as the week of Aug. 3-6).

This afternoon session runs from 1300hrs to 1630hrs.

FRIDAY, JULY 30, 2010

JBP Academy IV: A.M. Session—Day 4—0800hr –1130hrs (Instructors report at 0730hrs)

P.M. Session—Day 4—1300hr –1630hrs

OCBPSRA: Starts Tuesday, Aug. 3

Opportunity to Compete: Iron Guard Championship—130th St.—1815hrs

Workout: TABATA SQUATS: (20 seconds fast as possible, 10 second recovery) x 8
2 rounds of 5 x 10yd BEAR CLIMB SPRINTS

Surfing Beaches: Inlet/15th/84th

Tides: High: 1130hrs and 2346hrs

Low: 0504hrs and 1718hrs

Special Events: Greek Festival—Convention Center—1200hrs to 2300hrs

Free Coffeehouse—His Praise Place—Worcester St.—2000hrs to 2200hrs

Movies on the Beach—*Madagascar 2*—27th St.—1930hrs

Free International Students Coffeehouse—OC Baptist Church—N. Division St.—2100hrs

SATURDAY, JULY 31, 2010

OCBPSRA: Starts Tuesday, Aug. 3

Opportunity to Compete: None

Workout: 3 rounds of 50 lunges followed by 10 broad jumps

Surfing Beaches: 13th/82nd St.

Tides: High: 1211hrs

Low: 0541hrs and 1804hrs

Special Events: ESA Chauncey's Surfabout—30th St. or 54th St.—0700hrs

Greek Festival—Convention Center—1200hrs to 2300hrs

SUNDAY, AUGUST 1, 2010—End of Pay Period

OCBPSRA: Starts Tuesday, Aug. 3

Opportunity to Compete: OCBP Sprint Distance Triathlon and Relay—142nd St.—1830hrs

Workout: 3 rounds of (25 V-Ups, 50 push ups, 50 body squats)

Surfing Beaches: 11th/80th St.

Tides: High: 2424hrs and 1254hrs

Low: 0620hrs and 1853hrs

Special Events: ESA Chauncey's Surfabout—30th St. or 54th St.—0700hrs

Greek Festival—Convention Center—1200hrs to 2100hrs

Radio Disney Road Crew Event—N. Division St.—1500hrs

Sundaes in the Park—Salisbury Community Band—Northside Park—1800hrs

The OCBP Triathlon Club

The OCBP Triathlon Club will meet on Tuesday,
Thursday, & Sunday

Tuesday--27th St. -0700hrs—Bike
0800hrs--Run

Thursday—130th St.-0700hrs—Bike
0800hrs--Run

Sunday—66th St.-Long Bike—0700hrs



MONDAY, AUGUST 2, 2010

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CREW CHIEF MEETING: 0800hrs

SEMAPHORE TEST: 0820hrs—REQUIRED TO PASS PROBATIONARY STAGE

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OFFICERS' MEETING: 0830hrs

GENERAL MEETING: 0845hrs—Chris Larmore, Fire Chief Ocean City Fire Department, Guest Speaker

LIEUTENANTS' MEETING: 0945hrs

OCBPSRA: Starts Tomorrow!

Opportunity to Compete: Delaware Jr. Guard Competition—Rehoboth

Workout: Swim

Surfing Beaches: Inlet/9th/78th St.

Tides: High: 0106hrs and 1342hrs

Low: 0703hrs and 1947hrs

Special Events: Beach Safety Seminar—OC Lifesaving Museum—1000hrs

White Marlin Open begins.

Movies on the Beach—*Planet 51*—27th St.— 1930hrs

UPCOMING BEACH PATROL EVENTS

July 27-30	JBP Session D—A.M. & P.M.
July 28	All-Women's Tournament—Sandy Hook, NJ
July 29	Rehoboth Olympics
July 30	Iron Guard Championship—130 th St.
Aug. 1	OCBP Sprint Triathlon
Aug. 2	JBP Rehoboth Olympics
Aug. 3	OCBPSRA 2 Mile Run-Dorchester St. 0830hrs
Aug. 3-6	JBP Session E—A.M. & P.M.
Aug. 4	OCBPSRA 1 Mile Swim- Dorchester St. 0800hrs
Aug. 5	OCBPSRA 2 Person Rescue- Dorchester St. 0830hrs
Aug. 6	OCBPSRA Paddleboard/Landline- Dorchester St. 0830hrs
Aug. 7	Crew Comps—1830hrs
Aug. 10	OCBPSRA 1 Mile Run- Dorchester St. 0830hrs
Aug 11	OCBPSRA Run-Swim-Run- Dorchester St. 0830hrs
Aug 12	OCBPSRA 200m Soft Sand Sprint- Dorchester St. 0830hrs
Aug. 14	OCBP Pre-Employment Qualifying Skills Test for the 2011 Season
Aug. 21	Beach Day—Camp Ocean Pines
Aug. 21	OCBP Awards Banquet
Sept. 4	OCBP Pre-Employment Qualifying Skills Test for the 2011 Season

Upcoming Town of Ocean City Special Events

Jesus on the Beach	July 26-28	N. Division St.	1900hrs
ESA Chauncey's Surfabout	July 31- Aug. 1	0700hr to Dusk	30 th or 54 th St.
Greek Festival	July 30- Aug. 1	1200hrs	Convention Center
White Marlin Open	Aug. 4-6		
Dub Custom Car Show	Aug. 8	1000hrs	Convention Center
OC Antiques Show	Aug. 14	1000hrs	Convention Center
Kids Crab Round-Up	Aug. 14	0900hrs	Northside Park
Sunfest	Sept. 23-26		Inlet

<u>Stats.</u>	<u>Week 8</u> 7/12/10 to 7/18/10	<u>Week 8</u> Year- To-Date 2010	<u>Week 8</u> 7/13/09 to 7/19/09	<u>Week 8</u> Year-To- Date 2009	<u>Week 8</u> 7/14/08 to 7/20/08	<u>Week 8</u> Year- To-Date 2008
Action						
Preventions	6703	29626	5091	33755	13935	43001
Rescues	180	1235	162	1688	1032	2845
Minor First Aid	171	833	107	627	316	1170
Ambulance Calls	19	99	27	122	45	117
Police Calls	6	38	5	31	13	49
USCG/MDNRP	3	6	1	4	2	7
Lost/Found Persons	64	270	53	298	32	288
N. Surf Beach Population	589	589	46	478	NA	NA
S. Surf Beach Population	1863	1863	205	2655	NA	NA
Inlet Surf Beach Population	299	1189	81	221	NA	NA
Beach Wheelchair Usage	44	165	41	183	24	175

OCBP Question-of-the-Week for The Worcester County Times

The newspaper is published on Thursdays; these weekly questions are a new addition for the summer.

Last Week's Question: What kinds of bodyboards are allowed on the beach during the "day". Are there any regulations on this?

Bodyboards or "Boogieboards" as they are commonly called are restricted by size, composition, use of skegs, and may not be used on the designated surfing beaches. Additionally, if used like a skimboard (riding in a standing position on the shoreline) they are considered a skimboard by definition and may not be used between 10:00 and 5:30

For clarification, the ordinance that regulates bodyboards as it is defined in the official Code of Ocean City appears below:

Boogie board (bodyboard). A flexible, semi-soft, buoyant, semi-curved object, no longer than 3 1/2 feet and no wider than two feet and no thicker than four inches, made of a closed-cell polyethylene foam and possibly but not always having a smooth plastic layer attached to the bottom and without rigid or semi-rigid attachments or protrusions for aid in steering or movements which serve as a rudder and commonly referred to as "skegs."

Additionally, for safety reasons, these bodyboards should not serve as a flotation device for anyone with poor swimming ability. In water that is over the users head they may slip off or be knocked off by wave action and then they are in a sudden desperate drowning situation. Another consideration is the proper use of the bodyboard. Anyone using a bodyboard should ride on the rear half of the board with the board extended out in front. Failure to keep the board out in front of the body may result in being flipped by a wave or being thrown headfirst into shallow water with the possibility of striking the bottom with the rider's head resulting in a possible severe head/neck injury. You should always check with the lifeguard about conditions for the day. Enjoy the ocean and enjoy the beach but know how to remain safe no matter what your activity is. Always remember our slogan, "Keep your feet in the sand until the lifeguard's in the stand!" It could save a life, yours.

This Week's Question: Does the Beach Patrol provide any activities for children vacationing at the beach?

Yes, we have our **Junior Beach Patrol Program**. This program offers children ages 10-17 the opportunity to experience the training and daily routine of real "Lifeguards" We call them "Surf Rescue Technicians" (SRTs) The program models itself after the duties and responsibilities of the SRT and focuses on the development of skills associated with the enjoyable and safe use of the beach environment. It is designed to instruct boys and girls in the skills and techniques of beach safety, water safety, surf rescue and physical fitness. Registration for these programs begins in early March and is ongoing until all slots are filled. Registration question maybe be directed to the Ocean City Recreation & Parks Department 410-250-0125. Many SRTs made their start in lifesaving in the Junior Beach Patrol.

This program is offered in two types of sessions. We offer a four-day academy from Tuesday through Friday from 8:00 until 11:30 as well as a one-day introduction session, which takes place on Thursdays from 1:00- 5:00 pm. The four-day academy consists of four levels that children can advance through having new skills introduced at each level. Due to the popularity of the program we have now added an afternoon four day session during several weeks (1:00 – 4:00). The programs are repeated each week for six weeks so there should be a JBP academy that will work during your stay here in Ocean City.

In addition to the Junior Beach Patrol Program (JBP) the Beach Patrol also provides special activities, programs, speakers and seminars to various groups such as scouts, church groups, camps, schools, and civic organizations. They conduct these water safety seminars both in Ocean City and throughout the region. The safety training focuses primarily on drowning prevention and safety around the water. They also provide many helpful tips on how to keep children safe at the beach. These presentations and hands-on activities are critical in allowing the Beach Patrol to fulfill their 3-part mission of education, prevention, and intervention. If you have a group that is interested in a beach safety program or a speaker, contact the Beach Patrol at 410 -289-7556 or email ocbp@ococean.com. There is no charge to the organization for these presentations.

Although not sponsored by the beach patrol, the Town of Ocean City, through its Recreation and Parks Department has added additional beach activities for children and families. On Monday and Friday nights there are free family movies and games on the beach starting at 7:30 p.m. on 27th street with Family Olympics taking place at the same location and time on Tuesday evenings. For this summer we have also added Movies on the beach on Wednesday night at **The Carousel Hotel**, 11800 Coastal Highway and on Thursday nights at **Princess Royale Hotel**, 9100 Coastal Highway. Movies start at 8:30 p.m. rain or shine on the beach.



OCBP Surf Rescue Association – Price List

- Water Bottles \$10.00
- Travel Coffee Mugs \$10.00
- Whistles \$5.00
- Lanyards \$6.00
- Buoy Key Chains \$4.00
- Car window sticker "Ocean City Beach Patrol" \$2.00
- Beach Patrol Logo Tattoos \$.25
- Grey or White Ringer T-Shirts \$10.00
- Sweatshirts Adult \$30.00
- Child \$25.00
- Captain Craig T-shirts \$10.00
- Long-sleeved T-shirts \$15.00
- Hats – 1 for \$6.00 or 2 for \$10.00
- Swim Cap 1for \$8.00/ 2 for \$15.00



OCBPSRA Round 2 Events

- 2 Mile Run—Tuesday, August 3rd – 0830hrs
 - 1 Mile Swim—Wednesday, August 4th –0800hrs -
 - 2 Person Rescue—Thursday, August 5th – 0830hrs -
 - Paddleboard / Landline—Friday, August 6th – 0830hrs -
 - 1 Mile Run—Tuesday, August 10th – 0830hrs -
 - Run-Swim-Run—Wednesday, August 11th – 0830hrs -
 - 200 m Soft Sand Sprint—Thursday, August 12th – 0830hrs -
- All events will take place at Dorchester St.

Tides for the Ocean City Fishing Center starting with July 26, 2010

Day	Tide	Time	Height Feet	Sunrise Sunset	Moon Time	% Moon Visible
M 26	Low	2:47 AM	0.2	5:58 AM	Set 6:27 AM	99
26	High	8:49 AM	2.0	8:16 PM	Rise 8:32 PM	
26	Low	2:34 PM	0.0			
26	High	9:16 PM	2.6			
Tu 27	Low	3:20 AM	0.2	5:58 AM	Set 7:26 AM	99
27	High	9:30 AM	2.1	8:15 PM	Rise 8:58 PM	
27	Low	3:14 PM	0.1			
27	High	9:54 PM	2.6			
W 28	Low	3:54 AM	0.2	5:59 AM	Set 8:24 AM	96
28	High	10:10 AM	2.1	8:14 PM	Rise 9:22 PM	
28	Low	3:54 PM	0.1			
28	High	10:31 PM	2.5			
Th 29	Low	4:29 AM	0.2	6:00 AM	Set 9:21 AM	92
29	High	10:50 AM	2.2	8:13 PM	Rise 9:46 PM	
29	Low	4:35 PM	0.3			
29	High	11:08 PM	2.4			
F 30	Low	5:04 AM	0.3	6:01 AM	Set 10:18 AM	87
30	High	11:30 AM	2.2	8:12 PM	Rise 10:10 PM	
30	Low	5:18 PM	0.4			
30	High	11:46 PM	2.3			
Sa 31	Low	5:41 AM	0.4	6:02 AM	Set 11:16 AM	80
31	High	12:11 PM	2.3	8:11 PM	Rise 10:35 PM	
31	Low	6:04 PM	0.5			
Su 1	High	12:24 AM	2.1	6:03 AM	Set 12:15 PM	72
1	Low	6:20 AM	0.5	8:10 PM	Rise 11:03 PM	
1	High	12:54 PM	2.3			
1	Low	6:53 PM	0.6			
M 2	High	1:06 AM	2.0	6:04 AM	Set 1:16 PM	63
2	Low	7:03 AM	0.5	8:09 PM	Rise 11:35 PM	
2	High	1:42 PM	2.3			
2	Low	7:47 PM	0.7			

USLA Mid-Atlantic Regional Crafts in Long Branch, NJ

7/21/10

OCBP scored 127 points!

Surf Ski

Miller, D. - 6th
Lagace' - 5th
Cowder - 2nd (Masters)

Rescue Board

Frey - 2nd
Miller, D. - 5th
Cawthern - 6th
Sakell - 7th
Kleman - 8th
Desy - 12th
Rowe - 6th
Bachman - 10th
Irwin - 11th

International Iron Man

Miller, D. - 4th
Cowder - 1st (Masters)

International Iron Woman

Lagace' - 5th

American Iron Man

Smith, AJ - 4th

American Iron Woman

Rowe - 1st
Bachman - 3rd
Irwin - 6th
McGrath - 8th

Surf Boat

J. Irwin & A. Bachman-5th

Tapelin Relay

OCBP Team A - 1st-Sakell (OCBP), Oboyle(NBBP), Frey(OCBP), Jay Kleman(OCBP)

OCBP Team B - 3rd-Hause (NBBP), M.Oboyle(NBBP), Miller(OCBP), Jack Kleman(OCBP)

OCBP Girls Team - 1st-K.Rowe, Lagace', A.Bachman, K.Mcgrath

BETHANY BEACH PATROL / MANGOS

Surf Rescue Challenge 2010

DATE: Monday, July 26, 2010 **TIME:** Registration 5:45 – 6:15 / Start 6:30

*Registration will take place on the bandstand on Garfield Parkway, and the competition will be on the beach right out in front.

ENTRY FEE: \$10.00 per competitor: Includes entry, t-shirt (limited supply – first come, first serve), and after party at Mangos

EVENT 1—Main Beach Melee Relay: Team of 5 guards (any gender) competing in a series of sprint running, swimming, and paddling legs. **BIG RED PADDLE BOARDS**

EVENT 2—Run-Swim-Run Relay (5 competitors, 1 female)

EVENT 3—Rescue Dash with can (5 competitors)

EVENT 4—Swim / Run Suicide (4 competitors, 1 female)

EVENT 5—Water Flags: Team (team of 2 competitors) beach flag concept (alternating runs). Upon the command, competitors will execute a beach flag start, turn, and sprint/swim a short distance to the flags out in the water.

EVENT 6—6 x 200 soft sand sprint relay (1 female)

Parking: Wellington Parkway from 5:30 – 8:30, which is 3 blocks south of Garfield Parkway (main street). Put something from your patrol in the dashboard. Guards may park at the meters and in permit parking along that street. Parking will also be available on **Atlantic Ave** should space run out on Wellington Pkwy. Do not park at any BLUE colored meter.

After Party: Mango's will be hosting a party afterwards with a light appetizer buffet and drink specials. The championship belt will be awarded to the winning team during the after party.

Again this year, Alex and Mangos will be hosting an after party with appetizers, pizza, drink specials, and their wing eating contest. For the wing eating contest, it is helpful to have an idea of how many patrols will be participating. If you could let me know if your patrol plans on entering a "wing team" I would greatly appreciate it.

North & Mid- North Iron Guard—7/23/10

Competitor Swim Run Paddle Finish

Sakell	7:20	17:40	30:13:00	1st
Seaman	7:54	18:24	30:28:00	2nd
Fraleay	8:47	20:00	32:45:00	3rd
Snee	8:07	20:47	34:37:00	4th
McVey.	9:00	21:13	34:44:00	5th
AJ Smith.	9:40	21:30	35:10:00	6th
P. McElvaney	9:40	22:29	37:48:00	7th
H. Fisher	8:37	22:15	38:35:00	8th
Posner	9:00	22:29	38:35:00	8th
Rowe	8:20	22:14	39:48:00	9 th 1st Place Female

The top 5 finishers will move on to the championship on 130th Street on July 30th.

All who participated are welcome to come watch and enjoy a free dinner and music.



- July 14th Mid-Atlantics Non-Crafts-Ocean City
- July 16th "South" Iron-Guard 8th Street- (Mid-South & South)
- July 19th Dewey Beach Patrol Beach Competition
- July 21st Mid-Atlantics Crafts-Long Branch, N.J.
- July 23rd "North" Iron-Guard 65th Street- (Mid-North & North)
- July 24th Mitch Maiorana Run-Swim-Swim 6pm. Surf Ave.
- July 25th Rehoboth Olympics Try-outs-130th 6pm
- July 26th Bethany Beach Patrol Competition
- July 28th All-Women's Competition Sandy Hook, N.J.
- July 29th Rehoboth Olympics
- July 30th Iron-Guard Championship 130th Street
- August 2nd DE Jr. Guard Competition - Rehoboth Beach
- August 5-7 -USLA Nationals - Huntington Beach, CA

For Sale

Purple 1999 SeaDoo Bombardier Jet ski
 Newly upholstered seat covers (June 2010)
 Recently serviced and running very well (July 2010)
 Waterways, OC MD
 Comes with cover and trailer
 Has only had 1 owner. Garage kept during the winter
 \$2500.00
 Call Kristin: 301 751 3021



OC Express Café
Discount for the OCBP

Sandwiches, Salads, Smoothies, Espresso Bar, and more.
 Visit the new OC Express Café on 4 Somerset St. for a 15% discount. Must be in uniform or show ID to qualify.

Organizers seeking artisans and poster contest entries for annual Harbor Day

The Art League of Ocean City is seeking entries for the third annual Harbor Day at the Docks poster contest. The event, sponsored by the Ocean City Chamber of Commerce, celebrates the history and heritage of local maritime traditions, including both commercial fishing and sport fishing.

Every year, a commemorative poster, featuring an image that captures the essence of the commercial harbor, is made and sold at the event.

Artists 18 and older are invited to submit a painting or photograph that celebrates the theme, "Harbor Day at the Docks." The winning image will be used for the poster and a prize of \$300 will be awarded to the artist/photographer. The artist will also be invited to the event to sign the posters. Last year's winner was Robin Harrison for her image "Harbor Moon."

There is no cost to enter and artists may submit as many images as they wish. Entries will be accepted until Aug. 1. Entries must be submitted digitally and e-mailed in jpeg format to ocart@verizon.net.

Images should be identified with the artist's name, title of work, medium and a contact phone number. Winners will be announced Sept. 1. For more information, contact the Art League of Ocean City at 410-524-9433.

Organizers are also accepting applications from artisans who would like to be part of the festival. Maritimelated arts are preferred but not required.

The fee to exhibit is \$175 (with peddler's license fee) and includes a tented, 10-foot by 10-foot space. Artisans interested in exhibiting can download an application online at www.ocharborday.com or call 410-289-6733 for more information.

Harbor Day at the Docks will take place Oct. 2, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., along the working harbor docks, adjacent to Sunset Avenue, in West Ocean City.

For Sale: 9'2" Robert August Longboard

Good condition and ready to surf. Dings have been professionally repaired. \$300.00 or Best Offer
 Contact Justin at 607-425-6060 or hjplane@aol.com



Attaboys!!!

WOCM 98.1 Customer Service Award Winner



From: Brian Judd
Sent: Sunday, July 18, 2010 1:45 PM
To: Butch Arbin
Subject: Lifeguard at Princess Royale

Hello Captain Arbin,

I am sending you an email on behalf of lifeguard Samantha McElvaney.

My family and I have owned a condo at the Princess Royale since it was built. We spend our Summer vacation at the Princess Royale. The last couple of years we have had the pleasure of meeting Samantha McElvaney, who is the lifeguard at the Princess Royale.

My wife and I have 6 children and we always put our chairs and umbrella next to Samm's chair for safety. This past week we watched Samm alertly watch her beach area. In one day she went into the water to pull people out of trouble around twenty times throughout the day. During the whole week she was in total control of the situation. She is a very hard worker and she takes her responsibilities very serious. Even on her day off Samm came to the beach and played with our children for most of the day. My children keep talking about her and that they miss her.

Ocean City Beach Patrol is very fortunate to have Samantha McElvaney on their team!

We all hope to see her next Summer and my children cannot wait.

Sincerely,
Brian Judd



Fontainebleau Hotel Interoffice Memo

To: Jason Baines, Eric Leatherbury, Food & Beverage Pool Bar staff, and OC Beach Patrol
From: Mark Elmer, General Manager
CC: OC Beach Patrol
Date: 7/16/2010
Re: Recognition of Outstanding Employee Service

Thank you and congratulations for the outstanding service you extended to one of our guests. Breck Taylor, his mother Mrs. Cardone, and their entire family thank you for your tremendous response and caring attitude you sincerely provided while responding to his medical emergency.

It is because of efforts such as yours that we, as a group, are able to accommodate our guests with such superior service. Your actions set an excellent example for the rest of our staff, for which I am truly grateful. Your continued commitment to guest satisfaction can ensure that our high standards will bring guests back to our establishment time and time again, as proven by this guest' comments.

You are truly an exceptional employee and your efforts are very much recognized and appreciated.

Thank you!

FYI, I sent the following email to The Dispatch news organization. Thank you all for making our annual vacation safe!
Charlie Williams
Laurel, MD

Mr. Soper,

I read your article

(<http://www.mdcoastdispatch.com/article.php?cid=30&id=9220>) with great interest. My family was vacationing in Ocean City July 4th week, and one day I found myself in a rip current while boogie boarding. Fortunately I have heard the lectures the life guards periodically give to the beach visitors. The life guard will blow his/her whistles and gather everyone around who wants to listen. Among other things, they explain what a rip current is and its effect, and tell you how to get out of it. As soon as I realized I was caught in a rip current, I turned and started moving parallel to the beach. Soon the waves were pushing me toward the beach again, no holding me out. I knew what to do because of those quick lectures the Beach Patrol instituted; there was no need to panic. The life guards also talk about wave riding techniques that help avoid/minimize injury if you happen to get a good knock by a shore breaking wave, and more. It's very informative, and I highly recommend that everyone stop and listen to the lectures every chance they get.

I am very impressed with the Ocean City Beach Patrol. They are a very professional and well trained organization, and visitors are much safer because of their efforts.

Thanks,
Charlie Williams
Laurel, MD