



OCEAN CITY BEACH PATROL

WEEKLY BULLETIN

WEEK OF JUNE 7, 2015 to JUNE 14, 2015



SUNDAY, JUNE 7, 2015

WEEKLY MEETING: CONVENTION CENTER – 40th STREET-Southwest corner on steps

OFFICERS' MEETING: 0730hrs

CREW CHIEF MEETING WITH AREA SERGEANTS: 800hrs

FULL CREW CHIEF MEETING: 0815hrs

SEMAPHORE TEST: 0820hrs—REQUIRED TO PASS PROBATIONARY STAGE

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

USLA ANNOUNCEMENTS: 0845hrs

GENERAL MEETING: 0850hrs

LIEUTENANTS' MEETING: 0945hrs

OCBPSRA CERTIFICATION: Resumes June 9th with the 200M Sprint & Landline

Workout: Run Day

Surfing Beaches: Inlet (Conditional) / 11th St. / 79th St.

Tides: High: 1156hrs

Low: 1805hrs

Special Events: *Play It Safe Karaoke- Dorchester St- 1800hrs to 2000hrs*

Play It Safe Trimmer's Roller Coaster- Boardwalk- 2000hrs to 2200hrs

Beach Lights Spectacular- N. Division St.- 2130hrs, 2200hrs, & 2230hrs

**Don't forget that NEXT WEEK the Weekly Meeting moves
to Monday, June 15th at 0830hrs unless otherwise
indicated**



SPECIAL NOTES ABOUT CONVENTION CENTER MEETINGS

1. Do not park on Convention Center Drive
2. Do not park in the loading dock of the Convention Center
3. Meetings begin promptly at 0830hrs
4. Always be in uniform
5. Clean up your trash before leaving
6. Drive responsibly to your assignment

	Monday 6/8/2015	Tuesday 6/9/2015	Wednesday 6/10/2015	Thursday 6/11/2015	Friday 6/12/2015	Saturday 6/13/2015	Sunday 6/14/2015	Crew
Daily Assignment								
								Totals
Rescues								
Preventative actions								
First Aids								

MONDAY, JUNE 8, 2015

Officer in Charge: Lt. Ward Kovacs

OCBPSRA CERTIFICATION: Resumes tomorrow, June 9th with the 200M Sprint & Landline

Workout: Swim Day- Crew Chief determines specific workouts.

Opportunity to Compete: None

Surfing Beaches: Inlet / 9th St. / 77th St.

Tides: High: 1252hrs
Low: 0651hrs

Special Events: OCBP Public Education Outreach: Beach Safety Presentation- S.H.E.S.

Play It Safe Stand-up Paddle Boarding - 48th St. Water Sports Center - 1000hrs to 1200hrs

Play It Safe Kayaking- 48th St. Water Sports Center- 1630hrs to 1800hrs

Beach Wedding- 100th St.- 1830hrs

Play It Safe Moonlight Bowling- Ocean Lanes - 72nd St.- 2100hrs

Play It Safe Miniature Golf -Old Pro Golf- 68th St - 2100hrs to 2400hrs



TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 2015

Officer in Charge: Lt. Ward Kovacs

OCBPSRA CERTIFICATION: 200M Sprint- 130th St.- 0800hrs & Landline@ 0815hrs

Mandatory Daily Workout: Run Day- Crew Chief determines specific workouts.

Surfing Beaches: Inlet / 7th St. / 75th St.

Tides: High: 1353hrs
Low: 0746hrs

Special Events: *Play It Safe Beach Volleyball Tournament- 3rd St.- 1630hrs*

Play It Safe Karaoke on the beach- 3rd St.- 1730hrs

Play It Safe Dance Party- Blue Ox- 127th St- 2100hrs

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 2015

Officer in Charge: Lt. Ward Kovacs

OCBPSRA CERTIFICATION: 2 Mile Run- 130th St.- 0800hrs & 2 Person Rescue@0830hrs

Mandatory Daily Workout: Swim Day- Crew Chief determines specific workouts.

Surfing Beaches: Inlet / 5th St. / 73rd St.

Tides: High: 1456hrs
Low: 0841hrs

Special Events: *Play It Safe Miniature Golf- Maui Golf- 57th St- 1200hrs- 1500hrs*

Play It Safe 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament- Northside Park- 1900hrs

Movies on the Beach- Big Hero 6- Carousel Hotel- 118th St.- 2030hrs

THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 2015

Officer in Charge: Lt. Ward Kovacs

OCBPSRA CERTIFICATION: Beach Safety Training- HQ Training Room- 1815hrs-Required for SRT II (Basic)

Mandatory Daily Workout: Run Day- Crew Chief determines specific workouts.

Surfing Beaches: Inlet / 3rd St. / 71st St.

Tides: High: 1559hrs
Low: 0936hrs

Special Events: **OC Air Show Practice Day- 14th St.- 1000hrs to 1600hrs**

Beach Wedding- 117th St.- 1600hrs

Play It Safe Dodgeball- Northside Park- 125th St.- 1900hrs to 2100hrs

Play It Safe Laser Tag/Mini Golf- Planet Maze- 33rd St.- 2200hrs to 2400hrs

OCBPSRA Opportunities

6/9/15- 200M Sprint- 130th St.- 0800hrs

6/9/15- Landline- 130th St.- 0815hrs

6/10/15- 2 Mile Run- 130th St.- 0800hrs

6/10/15- 2 Person Rescue- 130th St.
0830hrs

6/11/15- Beach Safety Training- H.Q.
1815hrs

6/12/15- Run-Swim-Run- 130th St.
1815hrs

6/13/15- Quad Cert. & Recert- HQ
1815hrs



FRIDAY, JUNE 12, 2015

Officer in Charge: Lt. Ward Kovacs.

OCBPSRA CERTIFICATION: Run-Swim-Run- 130th St.-1815hrs

Mandatory Daily Workout: Swim Day— Crew Chief determines specific workouts.

Surfing Beaches: Inlet / 1st St. / 69thSt.

Tides: High: 1657hrs

Low: 1032hrs

Special Events: Breeches Buoy Reenactment- Test Shot in the Inlet- 0800hrs to 1130hrs

Play It Safe Tennis Tournament- OC Tennis Center- 61st St.- 1300hrs to 1500hrs

Play It Safe Jurassic Miniature Golf- 146th St.- 1300hrs- 1500hrs

SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 2015- Flag Day

OCBPSRA CERTIFICATION: Quad Cert. & Recert- HQ- 1815hrs

Opportunity to Compete: Captain Schoeph Memorial Relay Run-Swim-Run-7th St- 1000hrs

Mandatory Daily Workout: Run Day- Crew Chief determines specific workouts.

Surfing Beaches: Inlet / Caroline St. / 67th St.

Tides: High: 1751hrs

Low: 1126hrs

Special Events: KGBA Volleyball Tournament Series- 2nd St to 5th St.- 0800hrs to 1800hrs

Beach Bash for 130-150 participants- Caroline St.- 1000hrs to 1500hrs

OC Air Show- 14th St.- 1000hrs to 1600hrs

Beach Weddings- 15th St.- 1100hrs & 109th St.- 1500hrs & 91st St.- 1700hrs & 47th St./94th St - 1800hrs

Flag Day Tribute- 16th St.- 1200hrs

Play It Safe Pizza Eating Contest- Pizza Tugos- 116th St.- 1400hrs- 1st 25 guys & girls

SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 2015- Father's Day & End of the Pay Period!

Surf Rescue Academy II: Day 1- Drug Test; Registration; Policies & Procedures; Equipment Issue

OCBPSRA CERTIFICATION: Resumes June 18th

Mandatory Daily Workout: Swim Day— Crew Chief determines specific workouts.

Opportunity to Compete: None

Surfing Beaches: Inlet / 66th St. / 146th St.

Tides: High: 1843hrs

Low: 1219hrs

Special Events: KGBA Volleyball Tournament Series- 2nd St to 5th St.- 0800hrs to 1800hrs

OC Air Show- 14th St.- 1000hrs to 1600hrs

Flag Day Tribute-16th St. & Boardwalk- 1200hrs

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Beach Lights Spectacular- N. Division St.- 2130hrs, 2200hrs, & 2230hrs

2015 Officers

Unit 2- Captain Butch Arbin
Unit 3- Lt. Mike Stone
Unit 5- 1st Lt. Skip Lee
Unit 6- Lt. Ward Kovacs
Unit 7- Sgt. Ryan Cowder
Unit 8- Sgt. Tim Uebel
Unit 10- Sgt. Rick Cawthern
Unit 11- Sgt. James McVey
Unit 12- Sgt. Brent Weingard
Unit 13- Sgt. Jamie Falcon
Unit 14- Sgt. Mark Muller
Unit 15- Sgt. Colby Phillips
Unit 17- Sgt. Jeff Brabitz
Unit 18- Sgt. Ben Davis
Unit 19- Sgt. Mat Postell
Unit 20- Sgt. Jason Konyar

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Ocean City Beach Patrol Lifeguard Competition

All local beach patrols are invited to kick-off the summer competition season!

Monday, June 22nd, 2015- 130th Street Registration begins at 05:30hrs

Competition starts at 6:30pm

Events Include

One Mile Soft Sand Run

In & Out Relay

Paddle Apex Relay

Ironman Relay

4 x 150 Sprint Relay



MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2015

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Surf Rescue Academy II: Day 2- Sgt. Muller- Coordinator of Surf Rescue Academy

Featured Training: Crew Organization, Rules of Conduct; Search & Recovery Victim ID; City Ordinances

OCBPSRA CERTIFICATION: Resumes tomorrow, June 17th

Workout: Swim Day

Opportunity to Compete: Next Monday, June 24th

Surfing Beaches: Inlet / 64th St. / 144th St.

Tides: High: 0701hrs

Low: 1310hrs

Special Events: MD State Firemen's Association Convention—0900hrs to 1600hrs

Play It Safe Stand-up Paddle Boarding- 48th St. Water Sports Center-1000hrs to 1200hrs

Play It Safe Kayak Relays- 48th St. Water Sports Center- 1600hrs

Play It Safe Moonlight Bowling- Ocean Lanes- 72nd St.- 2100hrs

Play It Safe Miniature Golf- Old Pro Golf- 68th St- 2200hrs

UPCOMING 2015 BEACH PATROL EVENTS

June 13	Captain Schoepf Relay Swim
June 14	SRA II Registration- HQ- 0900hrs
June 15-22	Surf Rescue Academy II
June 15	Weekly Meeting Moves to Mondays- Convention Center
June 18 & 25	JBP Instructor Training- HQ-1830hrs
June 19	Pay Day
June 20	Crew Chief Recertification-0830hrs
June 22	Weekly Meeting Moves to Northside Park (Firemen's Convention)
June 23-June 28, July 1 & 2	Veteran Re-certification
June 24	Women's Dinner
June 26	SRA II Supper Seminar- Training Room--1830hrs
July 2	Rookie Graduation- 0730hrs
July 15	USLA Mid-Atlantics-Spring Lake, NJ
July 11	OCBP Group Picture Day
July 11	Captain Craig Swim
July 25	Crew Comps

Upcoming Town of Ocean City Special Events

Play It Safe Events	thru June 16	Various Times and Places	www.playitsafeoceancity.com
4x4 LAX at the Shore	June 6	1000hrs	Dorchester St.
Sun Run	June 12		
Sand Duels Beach Soccer Challenge	June 13-14		
OC Air Show	June 13-14	1200hrs	16 th St & Boardwalk
ESA Surf Series	June 20 or 21	Dawn to Dusk	37 th St.
Beach 5 Sand Soccer	June 20-21	0800hrs	Dorchester St.
Breeches Buoy Re-enactment	June 20	Inlet Jetty	1000hrs
MD Firemen's Parade	June 24	1300hrs	Inlet to 9 th St.
ESA Surf Series	July 18 or 19	Dawn to Dusk	8 th St.

Important Reminder

As representatives of the Town of Ocean City, the Ocean City Beach Patrol members are committed to upholding the highest standards of employee conduct. Therefore, you are reminded that as a representative of our organization, you must conduct yourself as a model citizen at all times. This includes, but is not limited to, following all ordinances and laws at all times and not taking advantage of your position as a civil servant.

Stats To Date Week 2	5/25/15-5/31/15	5/26/14-6/1/14	5/27/13-6/2/13 2013
Action			
Preventions	2006	1242	371
Rescues	44	87	3
Minor First Aid	23	28	40
Ambulance Calls	1	0	1
Police Calls	1	5	5
USCG/MDNRP	0	5	0
Lost/Found Persons	0	1	5
Beach Wheelchairs	1	9	12

OCBPSRA Events



June 9	200M Sprint- 130 th St.- 0800hrs
June 9	Landline- 130 th St.- 0815 hrs.
June 10	2 Mile Run- 130 th St.- 0800hrs
June 10	2 Person Rescue- 130 th St.- 0830hrs
June 11	Beach Safety Presentation Training- HQ.-1815hrs
June 12	Run-Swim-Run- 130 th St.-1815hrs
June 13	Quad Certification & Recert- HQ- 1815hrs
June 18	JBP Instructor Training- HQ- 1815hrs
June 19	1 Mile Swim- 130 th St.- 1830hrs
June 20	Crew Chief Recertification- HQ- 0830hrs
June 20	Jet Drive Certification & Recert.- HQ- 1815hrs
June 24	Paddleboard- Dorchester St.- 0830hrs
June 25	JBP Instructor Training- HQ- 1830hrs
June 30	Beach Safety Presentation Training- HQ.- 1815hrs

Crew	2015 Crew Chiefs	2015 ACCs
1	Kevin Johnson	Will Gray
2	Liz Vander Clute	Cate Calogero
3	Tom Mechling	Adam Payne
4	Emmanuelle Clouser	Claudine C. Godmaire
5	Paul Vassalotti	Caroline Oakey
6	Tommy Lurie	Shelby Stang
7	Travis Sevier	Kevin O'Malley
8	Jon Clouser	Abbey Shobe
9	Bryan Clark	Addie Stang
10	Harrison Fisher	Karen Hessler
11	Damien Sanzotti	Emily Stang
12	Steve DeKemper	Josh Wilder
13	Dave Haight	Tim Jackson
14	AJ Smith	Rob Leszczynski
15	Travis Wagner	Dave Krabbe
16	Kelly McGrath	Emiy Gartrell
17	Jake Foy	Ryan Latgis

USLA / SCLA 2015 COMPETITION SCHEDULE

JUNE 30 - SEA COLONY (OCEAN SERIES)

JULY

8	USLA REGIONALS (REHOBOTH)
13	DEWEY BEACH (OCEAN SERIES)
15	USLA REGIONALS (LONG BRANCH, N.J.)
20	FENWICK ULTIMATE (OCEAN SERIES)
23	REHOBOTH LIFEGUARD OLYMPICS
27	BETHANY BEACH (OCEAN SERIES)
27	USLA REGIONALS JUNIOR LIFEGUARD (Sea Girt, N.J.)
29	ALL WOMEN'S (SANDY HOOK, N.J.)

AUGUST

3	REHOBOTH JUNIOR LIFEGUARD
6-8	USLA NATIONALS (DAYTONA BEACH, FL)
12	MIDDLESEX (OCEAN SERIES)

OCBP Surf Rescue Association – Price List

Whistles	\$6.00
Lanyards	\$6.00
Buoy Key Chains	\$4.00
Car window sticker Ocean City Beach Patrol	\$2.00
OCBP Stickers—Small—\$2.00 or 3 for \$5.00/ Large—\$3.00 or 2 for \$5.00	
Grey or white Short-sleeve T-Shirt	\$10.00
Grey Long-sleeve T-shirts	\$15.00
Grey Sweatshirts	\$25.00
Grey Sweatpants	\$20.00
Tie-Dyed T-shirts	\$15.00
Swim Caps	-\$5.00
OCBP Big White Towels	-\$11.00/2 for \$20.00
OCBP Socks	-\$11.00/2 for \$20.00



Keep your feet in the sand,
until the lifeguard's in the stand!





OCBP Question of the Week for The Worcester County Times

The Ocean City Beach Patrol is a division of the Department of Recreation and Parks in Ocean City, MD. The OCBP consists of over 200 men and women dedicated to ocean rescue and maintaining a safe and orderly environment along 10 miles of Ocean City's beautiful beaches. The Surf Rescue Technicians (SRTs) guard the beach seven days a week from 10 a.m. –5:30 p.m. While on duty they often get questions from beach goers. The following is our "Question of the Week." We hope sharing these questions and answers will help make your stay in Ocean City as safe and enjoyable as possible. Always remember, "Keep Your Feet in the Sand until the Lifeguards in the Stand." If you would like to submit a question, simply ask a lifeguard at his or her stand or email your question to ocbp@ococean.com.

Last Week's Question of the Week: What exactly is an SRT? Are they like pool lifeguards?

SRT stands for surf rescue technician. Ocean/surf rescue is significantly more challenging than pool or lake guarding. The job has far more responsibility and entails much more than a regular lifeguard. Because of the uniqueness of the job's demands, beach patrol lifeguards receive specialized testing, training and certifications. Only after they have successfully completed a paid (\$12.99 Hr) Surf Rescue Academy (much like a police officer or fire fighter) and have passed all certification requirements will they begin safeguarding your family and receive certification as an SRT. The SRT is an important part of the beach environment. They are strong swimmers, familiar with their areas, and are able to respond if someone is in danger. Additionally, every SRT is drug tested, meets annual re-qualification standards, participates in weekly in-service training, is currently certified in First Aid, CPR and use of an automatic external defibrillator (AED), and has current information on tides and local events. They also receive training in enforcement of laws and local ordinances, search and recovery as well as perfecting their skills in management of suspected head or neck injuries. It is important that you cooperate with the SRT in the performance of his/her duties. **IMPORTANT:** Whenever you hear a whistle blast, even if you don't think it is for you, locate the SRT to see what they may need. Don't be afraid to ask for help and remember to wave your arms when in danger.

To get current information about the beach patrol as well as daily stats and current beach conditions, you can follow the beach patrol on Twitter or "like us" on the Official OCBP Facebook page.

This Week's Question Week 4- Why do the lifeguards make people leave the beach when it is just thundering or a little bit of lightning?

The Ocean City Beach Patrol is in constant contact with the weather service and is aware of the current weather situation at all times. Recent developments in lightning detection and monitoring technologies give us more accurate and timely information on potentially dangerous developing cloud to ground lightning and we use this information to help assure you and your families safety. Many times weather conditions vary from one end of Ocean City to the other. It can be sunny and mild in the south by the boardwalk and lightening and showers just 9 miles north. In fact, there are many documented cases throughout the country of people being hit by lightning while the sun is shining (called a bolt from the blue).

The beach patrol is not only in constant contact with the weather service, but they have constant communication with each other up and down the beach as well. The beach patrol, like other modern emergency services, relies on two-way radio systems. However, they still use two systems that do not rely on any technology: whistle blasts and semaphore. The beach patrol's primary concern is your safety and will clear the beaches if it is not safe. There have been at least 10 documented cases of people who have been struck by lightning while on the beach (not in the water) in Ocean City with several resulting in death. While vacationing on the beaches in OC you may or may not notice the lifeguards communicating with each other, but please heed their warnings and leave the beach if asked to do so even if you do not see lightening. By complying with the directive of your Surf Rescue Technician to leave the beach immediately, you not only protect yourself but also allow our personnel to take safe cover without being delayed while trying to convince adults that it is unsafe to remain on the beach.

Due to constant monitoring of the weather and their communication systems, they are aware of dangers that you might not be able to see. A beach is listed as one of the most vulnerable places to be during an electrical storm, according to weather researchers.

To get current information about the beach patrol as well as daily stats and current beach conditions, you can follow the beach patrol on Twitter or "like us" on the Official OCBP Facebook page. We can't wait to be a part of your wonderful experiences in Ocean City, because we are glad you are here, and always remember to "Keep your feet in the sand until the lifeguard's in the stand!"

Meet the lifeguard: Crew Chief Tom Mechling

The lifeguard's of the Ocean City Beach Patrol are glad to answer any of your beach and water safety questions.

Tom Mechling has been with the Beach Patrol for five years. He is the Crew Chief for Crew 3 and sits the stand at Surf Avenue. His crew covers 4th – 10th Street. He is an active member of the USLA, the OCBP Competition Team and a Junior Beach Patrol Instructor.

For recreation Tom likes swimming, laughing, and spending time with great friends. He graduated from Edinboro University of PA with a Bachelor degree in psychology. In the off season he coaches two different swim teams.





**OCBP Employees
Come get ready for your re-test
at our indoor Sports Core Pool
located on Cathell Road in
Ocean Pines.**

**June 2nd through June 26th
7-9pm ONLY
Monday through Thursday
\$3 a visit with your Beach
Patrol ID.**

Pick Up Softball

Pick up softball will begin Monday, June 1st at Northside Park.

Games will be played every Monday right after work. If you have your own glove, please bring it. If you have extra equipment please bring it.



Quad Certification-Part 1*- 5/30/15

First Name	Last Name	Crew
Paige	Rebstock	19
Adam	Payne	3
Abbey	Shobe	8
Adelaide	Stang	9
Shelby	Stang	6
Emily	Stang	11
Caroline	Oakey	5
Tim	Jackson	13
Chris	Barton	5
Rob	Leszczyski	14
Emily	Gartrell	16
Kevin	O'Malley	7

Quad Recertification-5/30/15

First Name	Last Name	Crew
Diana	Theobald	19
Dave	Krabbe	15
Paul	Vassalotti	5
Joe	Keefe	3
Liz	Vander Clute	2
Josh	Wilder	12
Tom	Lurie	6
Karen	Hessler	10
Travis	Sevier	7
Andrew	Padley	10
Kevin	Johnson	1
Thomas	Mechling	3
Emmanuelle	Clouser	4
Dan	Pogonowski	14
AJ	Smith	14
Dave	Haight	13
Steve	DeKemper	12
ryan	Clark	9
Kelly	McGrath	16
Travis	Wagner	15
Pat	Hagar	12
Damien	Sanzotti	11

1 Mile Run-6/5/15

First Name	Last Name	Crew	Result
Mike	Brockmeyer	15	6:33
Zach	Collette	6	6:24
Dakota	Wilhelm	15	7:09
Joshe	Remaniak	15	6:23
Matthew	Dennis	10	6:35
David	Hood	1	5:57
Lauren	Reck	1	8:42
Cate	Calogero	2	7:17
Omar	Harmon	5	6:54
Kevin	Thompson	3	6:03
Jordan	Johnson	4	7:08
Will	Gray	1	6:41
Kevin	Johnson	1	7:37
Trent	Bergman	12	7:27
Raphael	Dubois	2	6:15
Emmanuelle	Clouser	4	7:30
Kevin	Johnson	1	7:37
AJ	Smith	14	5:53
Thomas	Mechling	3	7:22
Grayson	Sipes	14	6:05
Zach	Wyatt	8	6:56
Paul	Vassalotti	5	8:42
Sarah	Morin	17	7:37

Special Notes About Quad Certification

***Part 2 is a scheduled ride along with instructors and area supervisors.**

A copy of your driving record must be given to Captain Arbin annually and will be kept on file. Certification is not complete without this record.



OCEAN CITY BEACH PATROL MARYLAND CHAPTER OF THE UNITED STATES LIFESAVING ASSOCIATION

The United States Lifesaving Association (USLA) is America's nonprofit, professional association of beach lifeguards and open water rescuers. The USLA works to reduce the incidence of death and injury in the aquatic environment through public education, national lifeguard standards, training programs, promotion of high levels of lifeguard readiness and other means.

BENEFITS TO MEMBERS OF THE USLA INCLUDE:

- A one-year subscription to *American Lifeguard Magazine*... A \$12.00 value.
- Eligibility to compete in USLA Regional, National and World Lifeguard Competitions.
- Eligibility for USLA Regional, National, and International Lifeguard Exchange Programs.
- Membership in the only United States open water lifeguard association.
- Access to USLA regional and national programs and conferences.
- Access to USLA MD OCBP Chapter, USLA Regional and National Board of Directors meetings.
- Access to free USLA public educational materials, i.e. posters, bookmarks, stickers, etc.
- All members of the chapter can vote in annual chapter elections and professional members can run for office.
- Membership kit, including T-Shirt, Patch, and other items.
- Discounts at major USLA sponsors. See <http://www.usla.org> for a complete list.

The cost of membership is \$30.00.

Make checks payable to **OCBPMO USLA Chapter**.

Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____ - _____

Permanent Address: _____

Male / Female

Date of Birth: ____/____/____

E-mail: _____@_____

Membership: (circle one) PROFESSIONAL* ALUMNI ASSOCIATE JUNIOR

(circle one) RENEWAL or INITIAL

Agency: Ocean City Beach Patrol Maryland

Chapter: Ocean City Beach Patrol Maryland

Region: Middle Atlantic



A PROFESSIONAL member is an employee of the Ocean City Beach Patrol and has worked a minimum of eight hours with the Ocean City Beach Patrol in the calendar year.

Payment Options

<p><u>Current OC Beach Patrol employees:</u></p> <p>_____ (Initial) Yes, I would like to have \$30 deducted from my pay so that I may join the Ocean City Beach Patrol Maryland Chapter of the United States Lifesaving Association.</p>	<p><u>By Mail with a check to:</u></p> <p>OCBPMOUSLA President c/o Ocean City Beach Patrol 109 Dorchester St. Ocean City, MD 21842</p>	<p>Office Use</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Paid</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Entered</p>
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