



OCEAN CITY BEACH PATROL

WEEKLY BULLETIN

WEEK OF JUNE 29, 2020 to JULY 6, 2020

MONDAY, JUNE 29, 2020

WEEKLY MEETING FOR OFFICERS, CREW CHIEFS, & ACCs- Masks & Social Distancing Required

CONVENTION CENTER – 40th STREET-Southwest corner on steps- 08:00hrs

Rookie Meeting & Semaphore Test -Convention Center -08:30hrs -Mandatory!

Surf Rescue Academy II: Supervised Probation-Week 2- PSRTs Assigned to Crews

PSRT Week 1 Evaluations due at 09:30hrs **Find the Week 2 evaluation in your crew packs.**

Veteran Recertification: Resumes tomorrow, June 30 and July 3

OCBPSRA CERTIFICATION: SRT II & III/Session 2 starts July 8

Opportunity to Compete: Battle of the Areas Competition tomorrow, June 30 -130th St. -18:30hrs

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

Surfing Beaches: Inlet/ 45th St. / 125th St.

Tides: High: 15:19hrs

Low: 08:58hrs

Special Events: OCBP Dive Team- OCBP HQ-18:30hrs

Beach Wedding -59th St. -20:00hrs

TUESDAY, JUNE 30, 2020

Surf Rescue Academy II: Supervised Probation-Week 2- PSRTs Assigned to Crews

Veteran Recertification: Session VI- Inlet- 10:00hrs- 17:30hrs- Participants will be notified. Minimal equipment includes buoy, flags, whistle, goggles, and first aid kit. Bring your fins if you have them. Syllabus includes run, swim, physical skills review, special topics, First Aid certification, and spinal cord management. **Note: Arrangements have been made for parking in the Inlet lot. You will be given a one-day validation code. See p. 6 for details.** Do not park at OCBP headquarters. The training room will be open from 09:30hrs to 09:45hrs to secure your belongings.

OCBPSRA: SRT II & III/Session 2 start July 8

Opportunity to Compete: Battle of the Areas Competition -130th St. -18:30hrs

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

Surfing Beaches: Inlet / 43rd St. / 123rd St.

Tides: High: 16:19hrs

Low: 09:52hrs

Special Events: OCBP Beach Safety Presentation: OC Lifesaving Museum- 10:00hrs

Family Beach Olympics- 27th St.- 18:30hrs to 20:30hrs

OCBP Floor Hockey

This week, floor hockey has been moved to Wednesday, July 1st

OC Bayside Tennis Courts-61st St.

18:30hrs- Free

Wear Your Athletic Shoes. No Blades



See Sgt. Weingard for more details.

	Monday 6/29/2020	Tuesday 6/30/2020	Wednesday 7/1/2020	Thursday 7/2/2020	Friday 7/3/2020	Saturday 7/4/2020	Sunday 7/5/2020	Crew
Daily Assignment								
								Totals
Rescues								
Preventative Actions								
First Aids								
Smoking Enforcement								

WEDNESDAY, JULY 1, 2020

Surf Rescue Academy II: Supervised Probation-Week 2- PSRTs Assigned to Crews

Veteran Recertification: Resumes Friday, July 3 & concludes Saturday, July 11

OCBPSRA CERTIFICATION: JBP Instructor Training -HQ -18:30hrs to 19:30hrs

Opportunity to Compete: OCBP Floor Hockey- OC Bayside Tennis Courts -61st St. -18:30hrs

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

Surfing Beaches: Inlet / 41st St. / 121st St.

Tides: High: 17:16hrs

Low: 10:47hrs

Special Events: Beach Wedding -72nd St. -18:30hrs

Movies on the Beach - Carousel (118th St.) -18:30hrs

THURSDAY, JULY 2, 2020

Surf Rescue Academy II: Supervised Probation-Week 2- PSRTs Assigned to Crews

Veteran Recertification: Resumes tomorrow, July 3 & concludes Saturday, July 11

OCBPSRA CERTIFICATION: SRT II & III/Session 2 start July 8

Camp Horizon: 127th St. beach -Two Groups: 10:30hrs-12:30hrs & 13:00hrs-15:00hrs
(Instructors report to HQ at 10:00hrs)

Opportunity to Compete: Annual Captain Craig Swim -July 11th at 14th St. -18:00hrs

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

Surfing Beaches: Inlet / 39th St. / 119th St.

Tides: High: 18:10hrs

Low: 11:42hrs

Special Events: Thursday Night Fireworks -Talbot St. -22:30hrs

FRIDAY, JULY 3, 2020

Surf Rescue Academy II: Supervised Probation-Week 2- PSRTs Assigned to Crews

Veteran Recertification: Session VII- Inlet- 10:00hrs- 17:30hrs- Participants will be notified. Minimal equipment includes buoy, flags, whistle, goggles, and first aid kit. Bring your fins if you have them. Syllabus includes run, swim, physical skills review, special topics, First Aid certification, and spinal cord management. **Note: Arrangements have been made for parking in the Inlet lot. You will be given a one-day validation code. See p. 6 for details. Do not park at OCBP headquarters. The training room will be open from 09:30hrs to 09:45hrs to secure your belongings.**

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Opportunity to Compete: Annual Captain Craig Swim -July 11th at 14th St. -18:00hrs

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

Surfing Beaches: Inlet / 37th / Fountain Head (117th St.)

Tides: High: 06:28hrs

Low: 12:35hrs

Special Events: Movies on the Beach -27th St. -20:30hrs

Movies on the Beach -27th St.- 20:30hrs

SATURDAY, JULY 4, 2020 **HAPPY INDEPENDENCE DAY!!!**

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

Surfing Beaches: 35th St. / High Point North (114th St.)

Tides: High: 07:20hrs

Low: 13:26hrs

Special Events: Beach Wedding -Dorchester St. -17:30hrs

OCBPSRA Courses- 2020



SRT II Round 2 -Required for ACC next summer

July 8, July 9, July 10 -70th St. 08:00hrs

July 11 -70th St. -18:00hrs

SRT III Round 2 -Required for CC next summer

July 8, July 9, July 10 -70th St. -08:00hrs

Jet Drive Cert./Recert. -For 2nd year & above SRTs

July 8 -HQ -18:00hrs

Quad Recert. -Required for current quad operators

July 7 – Dorchester St. -18:00hrs



SUNDAY, JULY 5, 2020-End of Pay Period

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Opportunity to Compete: Annual Captain Craig Swim -July 11th at 14th St. -18:00hrs

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

Surfing Beaches: 33rd St. / Capri (111th St.)

Tides: High: 08:11hrs

Low: 14:15hrs

Special Events: Beach Weddings -Inlet beach -08:30hrs & 59th St. -19:30hrs

Sundaes in the Park -Northside Park- 125th St.- 19:00hrs to 21:00hrs



MONDAY, JULY 6, 2020

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

Surfing Beaches: Inlet / 31st St. / Mid Atlantis (102nd St.)

Tides: High: 09:00hrs

Low: 15:02hrs

Special Events: TOC Rec & Parks Surf Camp- 38th St.- 17:30hrs

UPCOMING 2020 BEACH PATROL EVENTS

June 30	Area Crew Competition -130 th St. -18:30hrs
July 1	JBP Instructor Training -HQ -18:30hrs
June 30/July 3	Veteran Recertification
July 7-10	JBP Camp Session I
July 8	Jr. Fire Camp -15 th St.
July 11	OCBP Group Picture -Cambria -1 st St. & the Bay -07:30hrs
July 11	Annual Captain Craig Swim -14 th St. -18:00hrs
July 14-17	JBP Camp Session II
July 15	Little Lambs Learning Center New Wave – N. Division St. -10:00hrs
Aug. 8	Crew Comps -Caroline St. -18:45hrs

Upcoming Town of Ocean City Special Events

Movies on the Beach	July 1, 8,	118 th St.	20:00hrs
Thursday's Downtown Beach Fireworks	July 2, 9	Talbot St. beach	22:30hrs
Movies on the Beach	July 3,10	27 th St.	20:00hrs
Sundaes in the Park	July 5	Northside Park	19:00hrs
Endless Summer Surfing Camp	July 6-7	38 th St.	17:30hrs-19:30hrs
Jr. Fire Camp -	July 8	15 th St.	09:00hrs
Sunset Park Party Nights	Thursdays, July 9-30	S. Division St.	19:00hrs
Endless Summer Boogie Board Camp	July 13-14	38 th St.	17:30hrs-19:30hrs
Endless Summer Surfing Camp	July 20-21	38 th St.	17:30hrs-19:30hrs

Mid-Summer Evaluations

Mid-summer evaluation date-ranges are approaching.

**NOTE TO CREW CHIEFS: Please be on the look-out for the evaluation folders.
Please have all evaluations completed and turned in by Monday, July 20, 2020**



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



<u>Stats.</u>	<u>Week 5</u> 6/15/20 to 6/21/20	<u>Year-To-Date</u> 2020	<u>Week 5</u> 6/17/19 to 6/23/19	<u>Year-To-Date</u> 2019	<u>Week 5</u> 6/18/18 to 6/24/18	<u>Year-To-Date</u> 2018
Action						
Preventions	6344	21611	9069	29856	12890	28763
Rescues	225	659	10	364	145	466
Minor First Aid	111	347	122	2070	132	407
Ambulance Calls	5	24	4	25	7	22
Police Calls	1	21	3	15	6	17
USCG/MDNRP	1	2	0	0	1	1
Lost/Found Persons	9	48	12	43	18	55
N. Surf Beach Population	3	263	28	211	39	166
S. Surf Beach Population	100	118	210	705	422	639
Inlet Surf Beach Population	46	51	106	162	3	34
Beach Wheelchair Usage	14	35	28	69	34	68
Smoking Enforcement	623	2560	615	3003	872	2955
Lost Work Days -Injured -On the Job Related	0	0	0	22	14	17
Lost Work Days -Sick/Injured -Non-Job Related	1	14	0	15	1	6

OCBP DIVE TEAM



This summer, the PADI Open Water Certification course will run on Monday evenings, meeting in the classroom at headquarters or at the pool at Harrison Hall at 6:00. **Orientation is Monday night, June 29, at headquarters at 6:30.**

2020 Prices:	Course, Book	**Check-out dive	Equipment
Open Water	\$295	\$203	**Mask, fins, snorkel
Advanced	\$175	\$203	**Mask, fins, snorkel
Rescue Diver	\$175	\$203	**Mask, fins, snorkel
Skin Diver	\$145	\$60	**Mask, fins, snorkel

(new offering for Coronavirus-year)

*If you have all of your own equipment, the check out dive is only \$50.

**Equipment is discounted through the instructor (about \$200).

Certification is for life.

Check-out dives: Departing Ocean City Saturday, July 18. Diving Sun., Mon. Return to work Monday July 20.

**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE CONTACT UNIT 13, 9113, SERGEANT FALCON.
Text: 302 584 1839**

OCBP Question-of-the-Week

This Week's Question: Are we allowed to have tents or canopies on the Ocean City beach; I heard they are banned in Delaware?

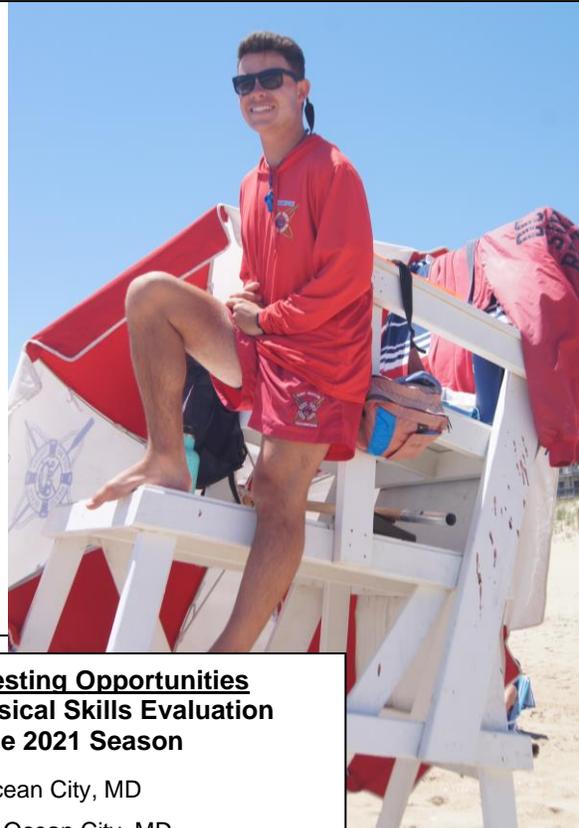
Yes! You are allowed to have tents or canopies on the beach; however, they may not be fully enclosed. The health and safety of all beach patrons is the top priority of the Ocean City Beach Patrol, and protecting yourself from the sun is a big part of that. Renting or bringing your own portable covering to the beach creates a space where you are protected from harmful Ultra Violet radiation from the sun, not to mention a cool space on the hot sand to keep your feet from burning. In addition; Tents, Umbrellas, or other types of portable coverings are great for keeping all your family and beach gear together. However, there are some important rules to remember when using your beach accessories. In accordance with Ocean City Town Ordinance Section 106-93 part 1, '...No beach umbrellas or ball paying shall be permitted eastward of [the lifeguard stands], and any other beach accessories located east of said line shall be removed at the direction of the respective patrolman if, in said patrolman's opinion, the location of said other beach accessory is such as to interfere with the duties of said Beach Patrolman.' In other words, any beach accessories, other than a towel or blanket, are not allowed anywhere in front of the lifeguard stands. The reason this rule is important is because the lifeguards need to have a clear line of sight between each stand so they can see what the guard next to them is doing as well as a clear running path in case of a water rescue. It also creates a safe place at the water's edge for everyone to walk, run, and enjoy the beach. Sometimes the beach can become windy due to sudden changes in the weather. No matter what type of beach accessories you bring to the beach, they are your responsibility, so make sure they are well secured in the sand, so they don't blow away and injure someone. If you leave the beach, please collapse umbrellas and secure tents and canopies. A lifeguard can explain how best to secure your tent or umbrella to keep it from blowing away, however, the beach patron is responsible for all their beach gear and making sure the gear does not harm any other beach patron. New this year due to Covid 19 is the recommendation to maintain physical distancing from other groups on the beach. Since we are talking about tents, it's important to note that there is no camping on the beach. In fact, Ocean City Town Ordinance Section 106-113 prohibits anyone from being on the beach between midnight and 5:00am. So feel free to bring your umbrella, tent or canopy. But please, be a good beach neighbor and do not take up more space than your family needs so that others may also share a piece of the beach. Always remember to remove anything you bring to the beach, leaving only your footprints, so everyone can enjoy our clean safe beach.

Meet the Lifeguard: SRT Chase Kipke

Surf Rescue Technician (SRT) Chase Kipke has been with the Beach Patrol for three years. He is in Crew 12, which covers the beach from 81st Street to 94th Street. .

In his free time, Chase likes to go Body Surfing and take long runs on the beach. In the off season he is a 2nd LT in the Army and recently graduated from Salisbury University.

SRT Kipke and the other lifeguards of the Ocean City Beach Patrol are glad to answer any of your beach and water safety questions. If you think you would like a position with the Patrol like Chase's, ask any of our guards or visit our website at www.ococean.com/ocbp. We have our next Pre-Employment Physical Skills Evaluations for positions for the 2021 season, scheduled in August.



2020-2021 OCBP Testing Opportunities Pre-Employment Physical Skills Evaluation (testing) for the 2021 Season

August 1, 2020 (Saturday)- Ocean City, MD
August 5, 2020 (Wednesday)- Ocean City, MD
August 8, 2020 (Saturday)- Ocean City, MD
August 15, 2020 (Saturday)- Ocean City, MD
Registration at 09:00hrs; test begins at 10:00hrs



Inlet Lot Parking Validation Process

Give yourself plenty of time to enter the required information (you must know your plate information) into the Pay by Plate Kiosk and to be on the inlet beach and ready for the start of your activity.

- Go to a Kiosk-hit the yellow button-put your tag number in, then the provided validation code for that day and activity.
- Make sure that you ask for the printed receipt which you need to keep.
- That receipt-will be needed to void any ticket that you *might* get.
- These validation codes are only good for a specific date, time and activity.

This year's validation code is OCBP20



Veteran Re-Qualification\ Re-certification

Tuesday, June 30, 2020 – 09:00hrs–19:00hrs

Friday, July 3, 2020 –09:00hrs–19:00hrs

Saturday, July 11, 2020 –09:00hrs –19:00hrs

2020 OCBP Officers

Unit 2- Captain Butch Arbin- 9102
 Unit 3- Lt. Mike Stone- 9103
 Unit 5- 1st Lt. Skip Lee- 9105
 Unit 6- Lt. Ward Kovacs- 9106
 Unit 8- Sgt. Tim Uebel- 9108
 Unit 9- Sgt. Steve DeKemper- 9109
 Unit 11- Sgt. Travis Wagner- 9111
 Unit 12- Sgt. Brent Weingard- 9112
 Unit 13- Sgt. Jamie Falcon- 9113
 Unit 15- Sgt. Colby Phillips-9115
 Unit 16- Sgt. Damien Sanzotti- 9116
 Unit 17- Sgt. Jeff Brabitz- 9117
 Unit 18- Sgt. Ben Davis- 9118
 Unit 19- Sgt. Mat Postell- 9119
 Unit 20- Sgt. Jason Konyar-9120
 Training Officer- Dan Pogonowski- 9114

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Crew	Street	Radio	2020 Crew Chiefs	2020 Assistant Crew Chiefs
1	S. Pier	9201	Greg Gordon	JD Rogers
2	2.5	9202	Adam Payne	Zach Bennett
3	10	9203	Josh Wilder	Hannah Cope
4	17.5	9204	Alex Siegel	Kali Dawson
5	25	9205	Paul Vassalotti	Connor Mull
6	32.5	9206	Tom Lurie	Grady DiPeso
7	40	9207	RJ Hayman	Aaron Abrams
8	47.5	9208	CJ LaCasse	Andrew Rath
9	56	9209	Bryan Clark	Olivia North
10	66	9210	Christian Becker	Garrett Bavosa
11	76	9211	Dustin Whittles	Donald Medtart
12	86	9212	Matt Wojciechowski	Luke Bunke
13	Pyramid	9213	Jon Clouser	Luke Ramina
14	G. Sands	9214	Rob Flynn	Chris Sanders
15	Carousel	9215	Sam Bingaman	Tyler Khounsacknarath
16	127	9216	Tim Jackson	Alex Hufnagel
17	134.5	9217	Dan Curry	George Schreiner
18	142	9318	Jake Foy	Nicholas Monteferrante
19	Surf Beach	9218	Alysha Holmes	Kiernan Furness
SRA			AJ Smith & Emily Stang	

From: sar42811@

Sent: Thursday, June 25, 2020 10:35 PM

To: Edward Kovacs; Butch Arbin

Subject: Message from the Town website

I just want to give a huge shoutout to the guards that always keep Me and my family safe they do a wonderful job guarding Me and my siblings really look up to them and my family trusts them to keep us safe Taylor Braude Bobby Johnson DR Medtart Max Mariner Dustin Whittles Matt Slomba Jacquelyn Walker Demi Schmitt Cierra Kopecky Grace Stang Jack Hodos Olivia North Elaine Watts Graceann and Grady Dipeso Emily Hegarty Kali Dawson Chris Dillon Kate Gibson Joanna Kulp Jackie Pickering Jason Konyar Rick Krause Dominick Whittles




THANK YOU

Ocean City Beach Patrol

➔ Recover
➔ Relax
➔ Regenerate

Monthly Membership includes:
 60 minute Float session
 45 minute Salt Room session
 20 minute Infrared Sauna session
 20 minute Personal Music Journey session
 15 minute Shiatsu Foot Massage









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Ocean City Beach Patrol
Request for Special Duties: Junior Beach Patrol and Camp Horizon 2020

Name: _____ Crew _____ Assignment _____

Junior Beach Patrol is a four-day program that runs from Tuesday to Friday; in addition, a one-day clinic is offered on Thursday afternoons during each week of the program. This year, there are three afternoon sections. Participants for all sections are 10-17 years old.

Are you willing to work your day off for Junior Beach Patrol? YES ____ NO ____
Are you willing to work JBP on a day that you are already scheduled to sit a stand? YES ____ NO ____
Are you willing to work all four days of the Junior Beach Patrol? YES ____ NO ____
Are you willing to work the one-day seminar on Thursday afternoons? YES ____ NO ____

Circle each four-day academy session that you are willing to work. Thursday's duties include the afternoon clinic session, which is run from 13:00hrs to 17:00hrs.** Check the days of the week that you prefer to work. No day is guaranteed but efforts will be made to accommodate all requests. Actual work hours extend past the camp and clinic hours to allow for cleanup.

JBP Four-Day Morning- (08:00hrs- 11:30hrs) and Thursday One-Day Academies –(13:00hrs- 16:30hrs)

Academy (A) July 7 – 10	Tues. _____ Wed. _____ Thurs. (2 sessions) _____ Fri. _____
Academy (B) July 14 – 17	Tues. _____ Wed. _____ Thurs. (2 sessions) _____ Fri. _____
Academy (D) July 21 – 24	Tues. _____ Wed. _____ Thurs. (2 sessions) _____ Fri. _____
Academy (E) July 28 – July 31	Tues. _____ Wed. _____ Thurs. (2 sessions) _____ Fri. _____
Academy (F) Aug. 4 – 7	Tues. _____ Wed. _____ Thurs. (2 sessions) _____ Fri. _____
Academy (F) Aug. 11 – 14	Tues. _____ Wed. _____ Thurs. (2 sessions) _____ Fri. _____

JBP Four-Day Afternoon Academy—13:00hrs- 16:30hrs

Academy (A) July-21 – 24	Tues. _____ Wed. _____ Thurs. (2 sessions) _____ Fri. _____
Academy (B) July 28 – 31	Tues. _____ Wed. _____ Thurs. (2 sessions) _____ Fri. _____
Academy (B) Aug. 4 – 7	Tues. _____ Wed. _____ Thurs. (2 sessions) _____ Fri. _____

Camp Horizon beach days are for participants in the Ocean City Recreation and Parks day camp program. Camp Horizon will take place on Thursday mornings at the 127th St. beach. There will be two sessions each Thursday: 10:30hrs to 12:30hrs and 13:00hrs to 15:00hrs. Each camp will include an emphasis on beach safety.

Are you willing to work your day off for Camp Horizon? YES _____ NO _____

Check each day that you are willing to work.

Thurs. July 2 _____
Thurs. July 9 _____
Thurs. July 16 _____
Thurs. July 23 _____
Thurs. July 30 _____
Thurs. Aug. 6 _____
Thurs. Aug. 13 _____

Requested By _____ Date _____
Reviewed By Crew Chief _____ Date _____
Reviewed By Sergeant _____ Date _____