



# OCEAN CITY BEACH PATROL

## WEEKLY BULLETIN

**Week of Monday, May 20, 2024 - Monday, May 27, 2024**

**Monday, May 20, 2024**

**OCBPSRA Certification: SRA I - Day 1 - OCBP HQ**

**Surfing Beaches:** Inlet Modified / Modified / Modified

**Tides:** High: 6:22:00 PM  
Low: 12:02:00 PM

**Special Events:** Cruisin OC

**Beach Weddings:** None

**Beach Bonfires:** None



SRT Name	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	Crew #
	5/20/2024	5/21/2024	5/22/2024	5/23/2024	5/24/2024	5/25/2024	5/26/2024	
Daily Assignment								<b>Totals</b>
Rescues								
Preventative Actions								
First Aids								
Smoking Enforcement								

**Tuesday, May 21, 2024**

**OCBPSRA Certification: SRA I - Day 2 - OCBP HQ**

**Surfing Beaches:** Inlet Modified / Modified / Modified

**Tides:** High: 7:03:00 PM  
Low: 12:41:00 PM

**Special Events: Returning Staff Check-in and Drug Testing**

**Beach Bonfires:** 139<sup>th</sup>

**Wednesday, May 22, 2024**

**OCBPSRA Certification: SRA I - Day 3 - OCBP HQ**

**Surfing Beaches:** Inlet Modified / Modified / Modified

**Tides:** High: 7:23:00 AM  
Low: 1:20:00 PM

**Special Events: Returning Staff Check-in and Drug Testing**

2024 Crew Chiefs	
Crew 1	Chris Barshow
Crew 2	Jeremy Cope
Crew 3	Hannah Cope
Crew 4	Alex Siegel
Crew 5	Torey Hurst
Crew 6	Jacob Cope
Crew 7	Everett Brown
Crew 8	Anthony Basore
Crew 9	Katie Zgorski
Crew 10	Garrett Bavosa
Crew 11	CJ LaCasse
Crew 12	Daniel Granzow
Crew 13	Matt Moscyński
Crew 14	Tyler Khounsasknarath
Crew 15	Max Coleman
Crew 16	Jack Hodos
Crew 17	Dan Curry
Crew 18	Jake Foy
Crew 19	Katie Greiser



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**Thursday, May 23, 2024**

**OCBPSRA Certification: SRA I - Day 4 - OCBP HQ**

**Surfing Beaches:** Inlet Modified / Modified / Modified

**Tides:** High: 8:05:00 AM  
Low: 2:00:00 PM

**Special Events: Returning Staff Check-in and Drug Testing,**

ACC Quad Training/Ride Along

**Beach Bonfires:** 118<sup>th</sup>

**Friday, May 24, 2024-PAY DAY**

**OCBPSRA Certification: SRA I - Day 5 - OCBP HQ**

**Surfing Beaches:** Inlet Modified / Modified / Modified

**Tides:** High: 8:47:00 AM  
Low: 2:41:00 PM

**Special Events: Returning Staff Check-in and Drug Testing,** ACC Quad Training/Ride Along

**Beach Weddings:** 73<sup>rd</sup> Street-1400hrs, 59<sup>th</sup> Street-1800hrs

**Beach Bonfires:** 133<sup>rd</sup>

**Saturday, May 25, 2024 The OCBP IS ON THE BEACH FOR THE 2024 SEASON!!!**

**OCBPSRA Certification: SRA I Re-qualification and OJT - OCBP HQ**

**Work-out:** Run Day - Crew Chief determines specific workouts

**Surfing Beaches:** Inlet Conditionally OPEN / 53rd Street / 133rd Street

**Tides:** High: 9:31:00 AM  
Low: 3:24:00 PM

**Special Events:** Prayer Service 07:00-Boardwalk/Somerset St, Management Mtg-08:00, Beach Bum Bash

**Beach Bonfires:** 74<sup>th</sup>, 87<sup>th</sup>, 100<sup>th</sup>, 114<sup>th</sup>, 115<sup>th</sup>, 130<sup>th</sup>, 132<sup>nd</sup>

**Sunday, May 26, 2024**

**OCBPSRA Certification: SRA I OJT - OCBP HQ**

**Surfing Beaches:** Inlet Conditionally OPEN / 51st Street / 131st Street

**Tides:** High: 10:16:00 AM  
Low: 4:11:00 PM

**Special Events:** Beach Bum Bash

**Beach Bonfires:** 116<sup>th</sup>, 130<sup>th</sup>

**Monday, May 27, 2024**

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

**CREW CHIEF MEETING WITH AREA SERGEANTS:** 08:00hrs

**FULL CREW CHIEF MEETING:** 08:15hrs

**SEMAPHORE TEST:** 08:15hrs- REQUIRED TO PASS PROBATIONARY STAGE

**CREW MEETING:** 08:30hrs (Turn in individual stats, get schedule, and assignments, and information from Crew Chief)

**OFFICERS' MEETING:** 08:30hrs

**USLA ANNOUNCEMENTS:** 08:45hrs

**GENERAL MEETING:** 08:50hrs

**LIEUTENANTS' MEETING:** 09:45hrs

**Work-out:** Run Day - Crew Chief determines specific workouts

**Surfing Beaches:** Inlet Conditionally OPEN / 49th Street / 129th Street

**Tides:** High: 11:04:00 AM  
Low: 5:02:00 PM

**2024 Assistant Crew Chiefs**

Crew 1	Ron Pugaczewski
Crew 2	Ethan Ritter
Crew 3	Micah Liberatore
Crew 4	Tom Powell
Crew 5	Bradley Bookwalter
Crew 6	Kyle Zgorski
Crew 7	Luke Maciarelo
Crew 8	Aiden Reilly
Crew 9	Matt Jenkins
Crew 10	Matt Slomba
Crew 11	Seth Herington
Crew 12	Atticus Silbaugh
Crew 13	Jack Kostelac
Crew 14	Jake Bunke
Crew 15	Brandon Vanschaick
Crew 16	Jane Williams
Crew 17	Anna Buonocore
Crew 18	Caitlyn Given
Crew 19	TBA

**SPECIAL NOTES ABOUT CONVENTION CENTER MEETINGS**

1. Do not park on Convention Center Dr.
2. Do not park near the loading dock.
3. Meetings begin promptly at 0830hrs
4. Clean up your trash.
5. Drive carefully to your assignment



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## UPCOMING 2024 BEACH PATROL EVENTS

May 19-26	SRA I
May 21-25	Scheduled Veteran Check-In
May 23-24	ACC Quad Training and Ride Along
May 24	<b>Pay Day</b>
May 25	0700hrs Prayer Service, 1000hrs First Day Guarding
May 25	0930 - SRA I - Run & Swim Qualification
May 25-26	Surf Rescue Academy I OJT
May 27	Weekly Meeting - Convention Center CC 0800 General Meeting 0830
May 29	Paddle Board Safety Session
June 1	Pre-Employment Physical Skills Evaluation, Ocean Test- Dorchester St.-1000hrs
June 1	SRA I - Supper Seminar - Training Room -18:00hrs
June 2	Weekly Meeting - Convention Center CC 0800 General Meeting 0830
June 7	<b>Pay Day</b>
June 9	Capt. Schoepf Relay 7 <sup>th</sup> Street 1000hrs
June 12	JBPAL Training
June 16-23	Surf Rescue Academy II
June 22	0930 - SRA I - Run & Swim Qualification
June 22-23	Surf Rescue Academy II OJT
June 17	Weekly Meeting - Convention Center- CC 08:00 General Meeting 08:30
June 17	OCBP Ocean Series 130 <sup>th</sup> Street Registration begins 1730hrs. All are welcome!
June 21	<b>Pay Day</b>
June 22	Crew Chief Requalification Run & Swim- 08:30hrs Inlet Beach
June 24	Ocean Series-130 <sup>th</sup> St.
June 24	Weekly Meeting - Convention Center- 08:00 General Meeting 08:30
June 25	ACC Re-Cert-Inlet Beach 08:00
June 25-29	Veteran Re-certification 10:00
June 27	Rookie Graduation- 07:30hrs
July 29	SRA II Supper Seminar- Training Room-18:00hrs
July 3	Weekly Meeting - Convention Center- 08:00 General Meeting 08:30
July 2-3,5-6	Veteran Re-certification
July 1	<b>Pay Day</b>
July 13	Annual Patrol Pictures 07:30hrs
July 13	Veteran Re-Certification 10:00
July 13	Captain Craig Swim- 18:00hrs 14 <sup>th</sup> Street

### Upcoming Town of Ocean City Special Events

Cruisin OC	May 16-20	0700	Boardwalk Parades
Beach Bum Bash	May 25-26	0730-1700	Talbot-N..Division.
Bull on the Beach	May 31-June 2	Daily	Inlet Parking Lot
Baltimore Ravens Parade	June 1	1000-1200hrs	Balt. Ave 15 <sup>th</sup> -27 <sup>th</sup> St.
ESA Summer Surf Series	June 1	0800hrs	Street TBD
RWO Boat Race	June 7-10	All day	Ocean
Red Bull Foam Wreckers	June 8	All Day	39th St.
Beach Bum Bash	June 8-9	0730-1700	1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> Street
Beach Lax Tournament	June 8-9	All Day	Northside Park
Sand Duels Beach Soccer	June 8-9	08:00-2000hrs	Wicomoco to N. Division St.
Beach 5 Sand Soccer Tournament 1	June 15-16	0800hrs	Dorchester St.- 3 <sup>rd</sup> Street
ESA Summer Surf Series	June 17-18	0800hrs	Street TBD
Fireman's Parade	June 19	1300	Baltimore Ave
Beach Bum Bash	June 22-24	0730-1700	1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> Street
ESA Summer Surf Series	June 28-29	0800hrs	Street TBD

### Do You Remember? A Quick Refresher!

**What do you do when a parent comes to you saying that his/her child is lost?**

*Get the child's name, age, trunk color, and tell the parent to stay with you until the child is found.*

**What do you put on an accident report?**

*Who? What? Where? When? Witness?*

**Do you need a leash when surfing is modified?**

*Yes!*

**Do we ever sit two guards to a stand?**

*Only during OJT*

**Do we ever use our cell phones to make or receive calls on the beach?**

*Never!*

**Do we ever use our cell phones to text or listen to music on the beach?**

*Never!*

**Do we ever use our cell phones to check the time?**

*Never!*



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## 2024 USLA/OCBP COMPETITION SCHEDULE

### 2024 Officers

Unit 2- Captain Butch Arbin  
Unit 3- Lt. Mike Stone  
Unit 5- Lt. Skip Lee  
Unit 6- Lt. Ward Kovacs  
Unit 8- Sgt. Tim Uebel  
Unit 10- Sgt. Josh Wilder  
Unit 11- Sgt. Travis Wagner  
Unit 12- Sgt. Brent Weingard  
Unit 13- Sgt. Jamie Falcon  
Unit 15- Sgt. Colby Phillips  
Unit 16- Sgt. Damien Sanzotti  
Unit 17- Sgt. Jeff Brabitz  
Unit 18- Sgt. Ben Davis  
Unit 19- Sgt. Mat Postell  
Unit 20- Sgt. Jason Konyar  
Unit 21- Sgt. Bryan Clark  
Unit 22- Sgt. Adam Payne  
Training Officer- Paul Vassalotti-9114

### OCBP Office Assistants

Debi Tyler  
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### Public Education Coordinator

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### JUNE

June 17-Ocean Series

OCMD-130<sup>th</sup>

June 20-Fenwick

June 24-Sea Colony

June 27-Middlesex

Women's



### JULY

July 2-DE State Parks

July 10-USLA Mid Atlantic Regionals

July 12-Sea Colony Jr Lifeguards

July 15-Dewey

July 17 Mid Atlantic Regionals-Crafts-NJ

July 18-North Shores

July 22-Bethany Beach

July 23 USLA Mid Atlantic JR Regionals-NJ

July 25-Regoboth Beach Lifeguard

Olympics

July 29-Regoboth Beach JR Lifeguards

### AUGUST

Aug 1-Middlesex

Aug 6-USLA JR/U19 Nationals-S. Padre Island, TX

Aug 7-9 USLA Nationals-S. Padre Island TX



### 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.

### Two-Way Communication Devices:

No device that allows two-way communication (transmitter) will be allowed to be used (**or powered on**) on the beach during the hours that you are working, unless issued to you by the Beach Patrol. This includes but is not limited to: walkie-talkies, cellular phones, wireless headsets, streaming media devices etc. **THIS ABSOLUTELY INCLUDES ANY FORM OF TEXT MESSAGING!** Receiving devices such as AM/FM radios, pagers, etc. are not prohibited, but must not interfere with the performance of your duties. **NO HEAD PHONES or EAR PHONES!**

\*\*\*Note: Apple watches and similar devices are also prohibited

### As stated in the PSRT Summer Survival Guide...

"Because of the serious responsibilities of the Surf Rescue Technician position and the service you will be performing, **you will not be allowed to have any two-way communication devices in your possession, unless issued by the Beach Patrol.** This includes but is not limited to cellular devices or combination cell phone media players. Devices of this type may not be powered on (not even to use as a clock), including during the time allowed for workout breaks. No hands-free devices, Bluetooth, headphones, or earphones are allowed. We recommend avoiding the temptation to use these devices by leaving your phone secured in your car. **PLEASE UNDERSTAND THAT THIS POLICY PROHIBITS ANY FORM OF TEXT MESSAGING, SENDING OR RECEIVING.** Since you will be living and driving in Maryland this summer it is important to be aware that Maryland law prohibits sending or reading text messages while operating a motor vehicle or in a driving lane (even if stopped at a traffic signal), and requires the use of a hands-free device when using the phone.



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QOW



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GOW



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