North Carolina Maritime Museum in Beaufort



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## **PLEASE NOTE**

This schedule is tentative due to changing COVID-19 restrictions.

Please call to confirm events, programs, courses and entry requirements.

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## The Harvey W. Smith Watercraft Center Courses

## **SCHEDULED COURSES**

Classes 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Advance registration required at (252) 504-7758 or online at ncmaritimemuseumbeaufort.com/events/. Friends of the NC Maritime Museum (FoM) receive a 10% discount.

## **Introduction to Wooden Boat Building**

## January 15 &16, February 5 & 6, April 2 & 3, June 11 & 12, September 10 & 11, November 12 & 13

Students explore the art of boatbuilding in this two-

day hands-on course, beginning with lofting, and moving on to the setup, steam bending and different methods of creating the backbone of small boats. They also learn planking methods, both carvel and lapstrake, and use of appropriate fasteners. After two days, students will have the knowledge, skill, and confidence to choose a design and style of boat to build on their own. (12 hours).



Fee: \$180. FoM: \$162. Minimum age: 16 yrs. old

#### **Half Model Class**

## February 26 & 27, March 26 & 27

Students learn how to read a set of plans and use the basic woodworking tools most commonly found in a boatbuilder's tool kit to shape a lift half-model of a North Carolina Shad Boat. The models are completed in a stepby-step procedure ready to start applying a finish. (12 hours).

Fee: \$120. FoM: \$108.

## **Lofting a Boat**

### March 5 & 6

Students will learn how to "loft" or the process of taking information from a boat plan and drawing it out in full scale in preparation for creating templates to build a boat. This is one of the first steps in many boatbuilding projects. For the purposes of this class, the student will draw a sixfoot boat.

Fee: \$110. FoM: \$99

## **Build a Boat in a Day**

## June 25, July 9, 15, 30, August 11, & 20

Each participating team assembles a prepared kit for a small flat-bottomed plywood boat suitable for paddling. The boat is 12' long, 32" wide, and weighs about 40 lbs. Each boat will be completed to a watertight condition and ready to take home for paint or varnish. Teams are limited to a maximum of 4 persons, at least one of whom must be an adult. (6 hours).

Fee: \$630. FoM: \$567. Minimum age: 8 yrs. old.

## **AVAILABLE COURSES**

These classes are available to be booked to fit your schedule. Minimum age; 16 yrs. old. If you are interested in scheduling a course, please call (252) 504-7758.

## **Build Your Own Stand-Up Paddle Board Course**

### Call to schedule

Participants build their own stand-up paddle board customfit to their size from cedar and plywood. Builders will be responsible for varnishing or painting their new boards at home after finishing the course. (24 hours).

Fee: \$1,040. FoM: \$936.



## Lift Half-Model Making Course

#### Call to schedule

Students learn how to read a set of plans and use the basic woodworking tools most commonly found in a boatbuilder's tool kit to shape a lift half-model of a North Carolina Shad Boat. The models are completed in a step-by-step procedure ready to start applying a finish. (12 hours).

Fee: \$120. FoM: \$108.

## Build a Stitch & Glue Kayak/Canoe

Call to schedule



Each participant in this class will use the stitch and glue method to build a boat, preselected in consultation with the instructor from a range of styles. Suitable types include performance kayaks 11-14 feet long, 17-foot sea/ touring kayaks, 12 to 14-foot canoes, or a 12-foot pram or rowboat. Participants will complete their boats to the point when they are ready to take home to be painted and/or varnished. (60-72 hours).

Fee: \$780-\$1,300. FoM: \$702-\$1,170.

### **Paddle/Oar Making Course**

## Call to schedule

Participants can choose to make a canoe paddle, stand-up paddleboard paddle, kayak paddle, or pair of oars in this two-day class. Each participant will take home a paddle or pair of oars ready for paint or varnish. (12 hours).

Fee: \$290 for paddle; or \$340 for a pair of oars. FoM: \$261 for paddle: or \$306 for a pair of oars.

For detailed course information or to register for classes, call (252) 504-7758.

To find out more about us, visit www.thewatercraftcenter.com

## **MUSEUM EVENTS**

# 11th Annual Clam Chowder Cook-Off \* Jan. 21, 6 p.m.

Four guest clam chowder cooks compete at the Watercraft Center. The event also includes a cornbread taste-off. Participants will taste samples of the chowders and cornbread and vote for their favorite. Beer and wine included. Limited tickets available.

## **Bonehenge Whale Center Open House**

## April 8, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

The Bonehenge Whale Center at Gallants Channel is complete and ready to welcome limited visitation. Work conducted at this facility includes research on marine mammals, stranded specimen collection, skeletal rearticulation, education, and conservation of North Carolina whales (including dolphins and porpoise). The Center operates as a partnership between the North Carolina Department of Natural and Cultural Resources and the Carolina Cay Maritime Foundation. Choose from specific hourly time slots and sign up for a 30-minute guided tour of the facility and current projects on this special day. Guests must be ages 12 and up, wear a mask and be vaccinated against the novel coronavirus. Free. Pre-registration required by 5 p.m. April 6. For information or to register, call (252) 504-7758 or visit ncmaritimemuseumbeaufort.com/events/.

#### **46th Annual Wooden Boat Show**

## May 7, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Events are scheduled May 5-8

Enjoy a variety of small wooden boats, historic vessels, nautical crafts, educational activities, boat models, traditional skills demonstrations and displays. It is the longest-running wooden boat show in the Southeast. Free.

**May 5-7** Go Sailing in a Wooden Boat

May 5-7 Boating Skills Virtual Trainer

**May 6** 46th Annual Wooden Boat Show Kick-off Reception

**May 7** Wooden Boat Kids Activities

May 7 46th Annual Wooden Boat Show

**May 7** Carolina Maritime Model Boat Exposition

May 7 The Art of Nautical Knot Tying

*May 7* Awards Reception

**May 8** Traditional Skiffs in Taylors Creek

# North Carolina Maritime Museum's Maritime Day June 11, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

An old fashioned, family-oriented picnic at the N.C. Maritime Museum's expansion site at Gallants Channel in Beaufort. Come and sail in the museum's fleet of traditional wooden boats, or cast a line with a cane pole, join in games or just relax and enjoy the music and spectacular view of Gallants Channel and the surrounding waterway. All Maritime Day activities are free and open to the public. There will be live music, kid's activities, and a collection of food trucks offering lunch.

## June Party Fundraiser 🛠

## June 17, 6:30 p.m.

Summer party at Gallants Channel. Fundraiser for the Friends of the Museum. Contact the Friends at (252) 728-1638 for more details.

#### **Great 4th Race**

## July 7, 9 a.m.

Traditionally-rigged sailing craft rally to celebrate the historic voyages that carried news of the signing of the Declaration of Independence to the Outer Banks. Boat registration required for participation. Free. Boats will gather in Taylors Creek between 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. Organized by the Traditional Small Craft Association, FoM Chapter.

# 15th Annual Crab Cake Cook-off \* July 22, 6 p.m.

Taste delicious crab cakes made by four volunteer guest chefs, and vote on your favorite at this museum fundraiser at the Harvey W. Smith Watercraft Center. The event also has a slaw taste-off. Space is limited.



Ticketed event for the Friends of the Museum Members.

## **Traditional Skiff Rally**

## Aug. 5, 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

Each year during the museum's August traditional skiff sailing event, boaters race around the islands for the Shanghai Trophy. Event organized by the Traditional Small Craft Association, FoM Chapter. Call (252) 728-2762.

# 32nd Annual North Carolina Seafood Festival Rally Oct. 2, 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

Traditional skiffs sail prior to the Blessing of the Fleet. Launch/rig from the Watercraft Center, sail from Beaufort to the Morehead City waterfront and enjoy shrimp burgers at 11 a.m. Sail/race to Beaufort starts at noon. Organized by the Traditional Small Craft Association, FoM Chapter.

## "First Friday" Inaugural Event

During the months of September, October and November, we will host artists at the Port of Call Museum Store with a reception and presentation of their work. The receptions are free and open to the public. The featured artists' work will be available for purchase during the reception and all month at Port Of Call.

The Fall First Friday schedule is:

**Sept. 2:** Artist Donna Robertson and candlemaker Becky Hemby. Our neighbors from the Wye Homeowners Group will provide refreshments and volunteers.

**Sept. 3:** Becky Hemby will host a candlemaking demonstration at 11 a.m. in the museum auditorium.

**Oct. 7:** Sculptor Scott Penegar, Artist Kaye Penegar and artist and jeweler Joyce Edwards

**Oct. 8:** Scott Penegar will host a sculpting demonstration at 11 a.m. in the museum auditorium.

**Nov. 4:** Artist Vicki Mann, Jeweler Amy Hughes, Greeting Cards & Gifts Artist Katie Sherman



## MUSEUM EVENTS continued...

## Why Sharks Matter: The Science of Saving Sharks

## Sep. 20, 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Sharks are some of the most fascinating, ecologically important, threatened, and misunderstood animals on Earth. Join award-winning marine biologist Dr. David Shiffman in the museum auditorium for a free presentation on how—and why—we should protect these



mysterious, misunderstood guardians of the ocean. Copies of his new book, "Why Sharks Matter: A Deep Dive with the World's Most Misunderstood Predator," will be available for purchase. FREE

# Fall In-The-Water Meet \*\* Oct. 15, 1 p.m.-4 p.m.

Traditional Small Craft Association hosts this gathering at the Gallants Channel docks. All small boats are welcome. Free boat rides for the public. Pig pickin.' Ticketed event.



## **Boo-fort Trunk or Treat**

#### Oct. 29, 4-6 p.m.

Wear your favorite costume and cruise between different ports (trunks) to gather treats or play tricks on those who are unprepared! This event will be held at the Museum's Gallants Channel property in a traditional trunk or treat atmosphere where participants walk through a safely lit area and trick or treat for candy from approved vendors. Free; pre-registration required for "trunks."

#### **Trail of Terror**

## Oct. 29, 5-7 p.m.

The Film Club from East Carteret High School and the staff of the NC Maritime Museum in Beaufort partner up to create a spooky haunted hayride at the Museum's Gallants Channel property. As the night gets darker, the ride gets spookier. \$5 per rider, children under 8 years old are free. Proceeds benefit the ECHS Film Club and NC Maritime Museum in Beaufort.

## Boatshop Bash \*

## Nov. 5, 6:30 p.m.-10 p.m.

Friends of the North Carolina Maritime Museum hosts this annual fundraising party for members and the public. This event includes music, food, and live and silent auctions.

## Crystal Coast Christmas Flotilla \*

## Dec. 3, 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.

A parade of holiday lighted boats begins in Morehead City at 5:30 p.m. and arrives in Beaufort about 6:15. All decorated boats are judged, and awards follow at the Watercraft Center. For entry fee and form call (252) 728-1638.



# Friends of the Maritime Museum Annual Membership Meeting & Holiday Open House

## Dec. 4, 2 p.m.-4 p.m.

Annual Membership Meeting 2 p.m. Holiday reception 3–4 p.m. Free. Everyone is welcome to join the Friends of the Museum. Learn more at maritimefriends.org.

## **COASTAL CULTURE PROGRAMS**

## **Maritime Heritage Series**

# Jan.-Dec.: Select days, 11 a.m. See 'Maritime Heritage Series' under 'Calendar at a Glance.'

Come learn about North Carolina's rich maritime history, coastal environment, and culture at these informal lectures. Specific topics are listed in the 'Calendar at a Glance' under 'Maritime Heritage Series' and on the museum website. Free, no registration required. Attend in person in the museum auditorium or watch online via the museum's Facebook page or Zoom. Sign up for Zoom at ncmaritimemuseumbeaufort. com/sign-up-for-virtual-programs/.

#### **Carolina Maritime Model Society**

# Jan. 22, Feb. 26, Mar. 26, Apr. 23, Jun. 4, Sep. 24, Oct. 22, Dec. 3, 2 p.m.

The Carolina Maritime Model Society exists to promote the production of high-quality ship models and encourage members and the public to participate in a craft that is as old as shipbuilding itself. The group meets in the museum auditorium. Meetings are open to the public.

## **Maritime Matinee**

**Feb. 3, Mar. 3, June 30, July 21, Aug. 11, Nov. 3, 1 p.m.**Come enjoy an afternoon matinee! Selected films engage visitors on topics of maritime history, culture, and the natural environment of coastal North Carolina. Check the 'Calendar at a Glance' or the museum website for specific film titles. Free, no registration required.

## **Heart of the Sea**

## Feb. 14, 7 p.m.

Join us for a Valentine's Day presentation about our beloved whale Echo. Learn about putting together his skeleton and



preserving his heart. This presentation also covers the story of Bonehenge Whale Center, a massive volunteer effort inspired by the skeletal display of our sperm whale and its heart. Free, no registration required.

#### **Adults Only Tour**

Apr. 22, May 20, Jun. 3, Oct. 21, 6 p.m. This program is rated R due to language, alcohol, and explicit content.

## Participants must be 21 years of age or older.

Laugh, drink, and learn during this hour-long tour designed for adults only (ages 21+). Enjoy your beverage of choice as you learn about some lesser



told stories related to maritime history. In this evening tour, tales of love triangles, indecent depictions, drugs, and more will be covered. Tickets are \$30 per person (\$25 for Friends of the Maritime Museum members). Cost includes tour, wine/beer, and souvenir cup. Pre-registration required. For information or to register, call (252) 504-7758 or visit ncmaritimemuseumbeaufort.com/events/

\* Friends of the NC Maritime Museum event tickets can be purchased in person at the N.C. Maritime Museum Store, online at maritimefriends.org or by calling (252) 728-1638.

## **COASTAL CULTURE PROGRAMS** continued...

# World Turtle Day: Sea Turtles of North Carolina May 23, 1 p.m.

Come celebrate World Turtle Day! Spending only a brief time on land, sea turtles are quite different from most other turtles we know. From hatchling to adult, a lifetime at sea is no small task for these reptiles that grow so big. Learn about the different species of sea turtles that inhabit the coastal waters of North Carolina and the trials they



face from before they even emerge from their sandy nest. Free, no registration required.

## IN THE FIELD & ON THE WATER PROGRAMS

## **Hiking and History on Shackleford Banks**

Apr. 27, May 25, June 28, Aug. 17, Sept. 7, and Oct. 5, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Experience Outer Banks history and wildlife with a guided hike on Shackleford Banks, part of the Cape Lookout National Seashore. Participants will take a ferry to an undeveloped

barrier island. This field trip requires hiking through sandy terrain for long distances. \$30. Under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Pre-registration required by noon day prior. Friends of the NC Maritime Museum



receive a 10% discount. For information or to register, call (252) 504-7758 or visit ncmaritimemuseumbeaufort.com/events/. For information or to register, call (252) 504-7758 or visit ncmaritimemuseumbeaufort.com/events/.

## Kayak the Salt Marsh

May 3, May 18, June 16, July 1, Aug. 30, Sept. 13, and Sept. 28, 9 a.m.-noon

Learn about the benefits of salt marshes while on the water. Basic kayak instruction and safety lessons on shore are followed by a two-mile paddle through the salt marsh. Under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Participants must know how to swim; some kayak experience is recommended. \$35 (\$25



with own kayak). Pre-registration required by noon day prior. Friends of the NC Maritime Museum receive a 10% discount. For information or to register, call (252) 504-7758 or visit ncmaritimemuseumbeaufort.com/events/.

#### **Exploring Coastal Habitats**

May 12, June 23, July 26, Aug. 23, and Sept. 22, 9 a.m.-noon

Discover the various plants and animals of the salt marsh and tidal flats at the Rachel Carson Reserve. A guided hike will take you through the different habitats found on Town Marsh and Bird Shoal. The terrain will be



sandy, muddy, and wet. \$20. Under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Pre-registration required by noon day prior. Friends of the NC Maritime Museum receive a 10% discount. For information or to register, call (252) 504-7758 or visit ncmaritimemuseumbeaufort.com/events/.

## **CHILDRENS PROGRAMS**

## **Ocean Infants**

Every 2nd Thursday, Jan.-Dec., 9 a.m.

Sept. 8 Cancelled

The program, designed for infants (0-2 years) and their caregivers, involves maritime items such as whale bones, shark teeth, and pirate hats! This program is designed to give the caregiver and infant the chance to bond, learn, and socialize. Each program is 30 minutes long. Pre-registration required; \$5 per participating child (Friends of the Museum members \$2). For information or to register, call (252) 504-7758 or visit ncmaritimemuseumbeaufort.com/events/.

## **Merry-time for Tots**

Every 2nd Wednesday, Jan.-May, Sept.-Dec., 10 a.m.

Preschoolers (ages 2-5) and their caregivers participate in a maritime themed hands-on experience, craft, and activity. Topics rotate between pirates, sharks, whales, and fish with a focus on both experience and exposure.

Each program is 45-60 minutes long. Caregivers are asked to stay for entire program.

Pre-registration required; \$10 per participating child (Friends of the Museum members \$5). For information

the Museum members \$5). For information or to register, call (252) 504-7758 or visit ncmaritimemuseumbeaufort.com/events.

## Spring Break Pirate Camp April 18-19, 9 a.m.-noon

Attention, first and second grade pirates! Spend a couple of days during spring break as part of a pirate crew. Choose how best to prepare for work, ready for battle, and divide prizes that come your way. Pre-registration required: \$90. For information or to register, call (252) 504-7758 or visit ncmaritimemuseumbeaufort.com/events.



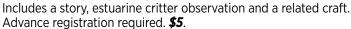
## **SUMMER SCIENCE SCHOOL**

Summer Science School offers students the opportunity to learn about the natural and maritime history of coastal North Carolina during the school break. Classes are noted with SSS on "Calendar at a Glance." Friends of the NC Maritime Museum receive a 10% discount. Registration is required; registration opens Jan 3. Call (252) 504-7758 or visit ncmaritimemuseumbeaufort.com for more information.

#### **ENTERING PRESCHOOL:**

## **Preschool Storytime and Crafts**





#### **ENTERING GRADES 1 & 2**

#### **Pirates!**

## June 6-7, July 11-12, July 28-29, 9 a.m.-noon

Young pirates and their fearless captain will work together to learn how pirates like Blackbeard lived. The pirate crew will set the rules of the ship and go on a pirate worthy hunt through the museum to locate hidden treasure! Advance registration required. **\$90**.

#### Seashore Life I

June 6-7, July 7-8, 9 a.m.-noon 🚆



Investigate coastal marine life of the tidal flats, salt marshes and sounds on local islands in this two-day class. Field-based classes include ferry ride, barrier island hiking, and animal identification. Advance registration required. **\$90**.

### **ENTERING GRADES 3 & 4**

## **Boats & Models**

## June 16-17, June 28-29, July 18-19, 9 a.m.-noon

Build a model of a sportfishing boat at the museum's Watercraft Center. Use museum exhibits and field trips to learn about boats used for offshore charter fishing and some of the fish targeted by fishermen aboard these uniquely designed vessels. Advance registration required. **\$90**.

### Fish & Fishing

## June 23-24, July 6-7, 9 a.m.-noon

Learn about coastal fish and fishing methods. Cane poles, bait, and tackle are provided for dock fishing for this two-day class. Students also use nets to catch and identify marine life in near-shore waters. Advance registration required. **\$90**.

### **ENTERING GRADES 5 & 6**

#### **Seashore Life II**

## June 8-10, August 3-5, 9 a.m.-noon

Investigate estuarine habitats, plants, and animals through field and lab studies. This three-day course includes a field trip to the Rachel Carson National Estuarine Research Reserve, water quality testing, plankton identification, and many more activities. Advance registration required. *\$120*.



## **ENTERING GRADES 7-10**

### **Coastal Adventures**

## July 18-20, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Students will learn more in depth the importance of estuaries and coastal processes in this three-day camp that includes a field trip to the Rachel Carson Reserve, plankton observing, squid dissections, bird watching, and many more hands-on scientific experiments. *\$120*.

## **JUNIOR SAILING PROGRAM**

#### **Limited Spaces Available!**

Sailing sessions for youth ages 8 to 16 use the fun of sailing to teach boat handling and seamanship, from basic to more advanced, and competitive racing during Regatta Week. The program promotes self-reliance, awareness of safety, adaptability to the forces of nature, and develops self-confidence, sportsmanship, and respect for others, boats, and the sea.

Junior Sailing is a Friends of the Museum program. Registration begins Jan. 17. The fee is \$385 per session. Members receive a \$35 discount per session. Sessions consist of one group in the morning from 8:30 a.m.-noon and another in the afternoon from 1 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

Sessions I June 13-24
Session II June 27-July

Session II June 27-July 8
Session III July 11-22

Session IV July 25-Aug. 5

## Session V, Regatta Week Aug. 8-12, 12:30-5 p.m.

The purpose of this five-day Regatta Week is to gain greater familiarity with the boats and to prepare for and race in a regatta. Participants must have prior sailing experience. Regatta registration and lunch and dinner on Friday are included in the fee.

The Junior Sailing Program brochure and registration form are available on the website. For information call the program registrar at (252) 504-7758 or the Friends (252) 728-2762.



# **BOATING SAFETY PROGRAMS 2022**



## All courses are from 6-8 p.m.

These **FREE** courses are offered jointly with

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Members of the Friends of the Museum in Beaufort receive a 10% discount on Museum Store purchases and most programs. Museum programming and events, are made possible through support from the Friends of the Museum in Beaufort.

## **Registration and Refund Policy:**

Advance registration is required for all paid programs. To register, call **(252) 504-7740**, visit the museum or sign up online at ncmaritimemuseumbeaufort.com/events. Registration is confirmed only after payment is processed. Registration cut off for programs varies; check the program description for details. For group programs, call **(252) 504-7743** for details and reservations.

Registration costs, less a 10% fee, are refunded when the Museum receives cancellation notice at least two weeks before the start of a program. There is no refund within two weeks of the start of a program. The Museum reserves the right to cancel any program that does not meet the minimum participant requirement up to one week before the program is scheduled. In the event of cancellation due to low enrollment, participants who have submitted a fee will receive a full refund. If a program is canceled due to inclement weather and unable to be rescheduled for another date, the participants will receive a full refund.

**Field trips** into coastal habitats may involve travel by boat or van, and/or hiking or wading in shallow water. **Closed-toe shoes are required for safety on field trips.**