FREE WALK-IN TOURS
12:00pm - 3:00pm
Every Tues, Wed, & Thurs
Stop in for a guided 30-45 minute tour of the Center with one of our educators!

PUBLIC PROGRAMS

Tiny Tots
Children (Ages 3-6)
Come to Jones Beach and join us for an exciting new activity every week. Your little one will get creative, get moving, and start learning about the fun of the outdoors and of science. RSVP required.

Summer Crafts
All Ages
Celebrate summer’s arrival by making some fun and beautiful crafts! Bring home a fun new decoration.

Squid Lab
All Ages
Slap on those gloves and get your dissection tools ready because we’re diving into the anatomy and survival adaptions of the squid. Join us for a guided squid dissection for a deeper understanding of these magnificent marine animals. RSVP required.

Submarine Scramble
Children (Ages 8-12)
Investigate our deep-sea Escape Room with your friends! Work as a team to solve puzzles and riddles in order to escape from our sinking submarine. RSVP required.

Discover the Dunes
All Ages
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Adults & Teens (Ages 12+)
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S.T.E.A.M. Workshop
Children (Ages 8-12)
Join an educator each week to explore a different topic in science, technology, engineering, art, or mathematics through experiments, art projects, and more. RSVP required.

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Birding & Biking
Adults & Teens (Ages 12+)
It’s migration season! Join us for a leisurely bike ride with rest stops for birding. Learn about the different habitats on Jones Beach and keep your eyes open for shorebirds, Ospreys, Warblers, Tree Swallows, and more. No experience required. Binoculars are provided—but bikes and helmets are not.

Jones Beach Energy & Nature Center is home to several educational animals—come and meet them! Learn about our reptile species, hear their individual stories, and spend time with them in person.

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West End 2
150 Bay Pkway
Wantagh NY 11793

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Mon-Wed, Fri-Sun
8:00 AM - 6:00 PM
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JUNE 2022
PUBLIC PROGRAMS & EVENTS CALENDAR
**Saturday 6/4 | 11:00am-12:30pm**  
**Communicating Rip Current Risk in English and Spanish**  
Presented by: Kathleen Fallon (New York Sea Grant) and Jase Bernhardt (Hofstra University)  
Rip currents are among the most dangerous hazards that Long Island beachgoers face. However, there are many misconceptions about what rip currents are and what they do. This event, presented in both English and Spanish, will provide an overview of rip currents and how you can protect yourself if caught in one. As part of the demonstration, attendees will have the opportunity to try out a new rip current virtual reality simulation.

**Saturday 6/18 | 9:00am-12:00pm**  
**DNA Learning Collection Event**  
Presented by: Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory’s Citizen DNA Barcode Network  
Join other citizen scientists to collect Long Island insects! In this three hour event, participants will familiarize themselves with the biodiversity of Jones Beach, with a focus on local ant, beetle, and mosquito groups. Attendees will be introduced to how DNA barcoding can be used to identify species, and will obtain, document, and preserve specimens for DNA isolation at future events. Collection and identification of these insects helps improve their range maps and can show how species are responding to environmental pressures such as global climate change.

**Multiple Dates | 7:45am**  
**Beach Cleanup**  
Help beautify our beachfronts by lending a hand on our beach cleanup. We will provide all the materials, and you will join a staff member to the parts of our environment that need the most assistance!

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