



ABOUT MANASQUAN BEACH- 2017



WELCOME TO THE 2017 MANASQUAN SUMMER BEACH SEASON!! THE STAFF AT MANASQUAN BEACH HOPES YOUR VISIT IS AN ENJOYABLE ONE!

HERE IS SOME INFORMATION THAT WE HOPE YOU ALL FIND USEFUL AS FAR AS ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS THAT MAY ARISE DURING YOUR VISIT:

Beach Office Hours of Operation- The Manasquan Beach Department located at Main Street and Beachfront will be open for business each weekend in May from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Memorial Day Weekend May 26 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and May 27-29 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and June weekends from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The beach department will be open daily from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. through Labor Day beginning on Saturday, June 17th.

Beach/ Recreation/ Emergency Contact Information: Guests are directed to call the Manasquan Beach Department during business hours at #732-223-2514 to speak to a beach staff member. For updated beach information and general questions during non-business hours, guests are invited to call our beach information line at #732-223-1221. Have a question about summer recreation offerings? Please call our Manasquan Recreation Department at #732-223-0544 extension 260 or visit our website at www.warriorrec.com . Emergency? Please call 911 or the Manasquan Police Department direct at #732-223-1000 for police, fire or EMS services.

Lifeguard and First Aid Office Hours- All of Manasquan's 17 beaches are manned by lifeguards. Lifeguards will be on duty beginning on weekends starting on May 27th from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and each weekend that follows until the beach officially opens for daily operation on Saturday, June 17th. The Manasquan Beach First Aid Office located at Beach Headquarters follows the same schedule as lifeguards. The office offers basic first aid and is manned by trained EMT's. Our EMT's have the capability of going mobile to tend to an injured guest on their medically equipped ATV.

Lifeguard Flag System: Green, Yellow and Red flags indicate swimming conditions: Green= Safe, Yellow = Use Caution and Red= No Swimming Permitted. Blue flags= areas for floatables/rafts and White flags= swimming area only.

Public Transportation: The NJ Transit Manasquan Train Station is located on Main Street just east of Route 71 (across from 7-11). The NJ Transit Bus Stop is located on Route 71 at Main Street. Please visit their site at www.njtransit.com for scheduling information. There are several taxi services in the Manasquan area that can service your needs as well.

Beach Bathroom locations/ operating hours: Manasquan Beach has four restroom locations along our almost 1 mile of beachfront. Restrooms are located (from north to south) at Elks Beach, Main Beach, Brielle Road Beach and Inlet Beach. Restrooms are open from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. during the beach season. Hours may be extended during special events

Manasquan Tourism/Special Events: Manasquan is home to a very active tourism commission. For information about special events to include fireworks, concerts, flea markets etc. and to find out more about what the Manasquan Tourism Commission has to offer year-round, visit their website at www.squantourism.com or call them at #732-223-0544 extension 412. A special events calendar is also available on the Borough of Manasquan's website: www.manasquan-nj.com. Simply click on "Community" then "Calendar of Events."

Beach Badge Prices: Manasquan Beach offers adult season badges for \$80, Senior season badges for guests 65 and older for \$25, Junior season badges for guests between 12 and 16 years old for \$35. Proof of age is required for Junior and Senior badges. Weekly badges for adults are \$40 and daily badges are sold at each of our 17 beach access locations for \$9. Active US Military personnel and their families are admitted to all our beaches free of charge (ID required). Those guests with a handicap are admitted at ½ price. Manasquan Beach Department is not responsible for lost or stolen badges. All seasonal badges are also available for purchase online at Viplly. Visit www.viplypass.com or the Manasquan Beach link at www.manasquan-nj.com .
BADGES WILL BE REQUIRED BEGINNING ON SATURDAY, MAY 27th.

Municipal Parking- Manasquan offers free on-street parking but also has four municipal lots that require a fee. The lots are located at 2nd and Stockton Avenues, 3rd Avenue at Main Street (next to Star of the Sea Chapel), 4th Avenue at Main Street and 3rd Avenue at Pompano Avenue. Weekday parking is \$7 per vehicle. Weekend and Holiday parking is \$12 per vehicle. Vehicles who leave their cars in any municipal lot overnight will be required to pay the daily fee if the car is not removed by 9 a.m. the following

day. Manasquan Beach Patrol will leave a “violation” notice on the windshield of cars found in any of the municipal lots after 9 a.m. Drivers will be required to turn in the violation notice with their payment. Failure to pay the violation may result in a summons being issued **Note:** Parking at Sea Watch Beach is by permit only- an attendant is on site daily to ensure only permit holders are admitted. Thanks for your understanding.

Bicycle Parking- Bicycling is a popular way for residents and guests alike to get around town year-round. Those who choose to ride their bikes to the beach have plenty of places to park! Bicycle racks are available at the Manasquan Inlet by the comfort station, Whiting Avenue access ramp, Brielle Road Beach, Main Beach, Riddle Way Beach access ramp and Elks/Ocean Avenue Beach. To prevent theft, cyclists are strongly encouraged to lock their bicycles. Cyclists are also asked not to block the access ramps or lock their bikes on the fence along the beachfront. Thanks for your cooperation!

Beach Access for Handicapped Guests: Manasquan’s Elks Beach located on First Avenue at Ocean Avenue offers easy access for those guests who require assistance. Handicap parking is available as is a drop off/pick up area in close proximity to the beach! Years ago, Manasquan Elks Lodge #2534 graciously donated 5 surf chairs that allow our guests with physical challenges to access the beach. These chairs are available daily and are free of charge. The chairs are for Elks Beach guests only. Our beach walkway is also handicap accessible from several locations to include Inlet Beach, Whiting Avenue, Pompano Avenue, Brielle Road, Main Street and Riddle Way.

Beach Use/Park Use for Special Events: Manasquan is home to a beautiful beach and several parks that are available to for special events. Anyone wishing to rent space for a special event or a program that an individual or group would like to run is asked to email the Manasquan Beach and Recreation Superintendent Erik Ertle at eertle@manasquan-nj.com. All use requests require a permit and a completed application. All beach permits are granted after the application is approved by the Manasquan Mayor and Council.

ATM Machines: There are several ATM locations on or near the Manasquan Beachfront- Gee Gee’s at Main Street and Beachfront, Leggett’s Sand Bar on 1st Avenue between Main Street and Brielle Road, Sandy Seagulls at 1st and Ocean Avenue, Osprey Liquor Store on Main Street between 1st and 2nd Avenues, Surf and Sand on the corner of 1st and Main Street and Paddle Out Kayak on Main Street between 2nd and 3rd Avenue.

Surfing, Beach Sports and Junior Guard- If surfing is your thing look no further than Inlet Beach! Inlet Beach offers some of the finest surfing on the East Coast. Locals and tourists alike can be found catching waves year-round. Inlet Beach is also home to several surf competitions throughout the summer season and is the beach of choice for surf lessons offered by some of our local businesses. Beach guests interested in playing volleyball, wiffleball or other beach related games can do so at Softball Beach located at Manasquan Beaches North End. The extremely popular Junior Guard program is offered on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays during the month of July. Email manasquanjuniorguards@gmail.com for more information.

Beach Locker Rentals: Interested in renting a beach locker for the season? Please call the Manasquan Borough Clerk’s Office at #732-223-0544 extension 235. Our lockers are located at the Sea Watch Building at 1st and Ocean Avenues. Pricing for the season (May 15th-September 15th) is as follows: 21x31- \$170, 21x64- \$325, 22x78- \$325, and 35x78 \$410.

Beach Rules and Regulations: Here’s a quick overview of some general rules as they pertain to Manasquan Beach-

- Bicycles, skateboards, rollerblades or similar devices are not permitted on the beach walk for the period between the Friday preceding Memorial Day and Labor Day, EXCEPT during the hours of 6 a.m. to 9 a.m.
- Dogs are only permitted on Manasquan Beach between November 1st and March 31st of each year.
- The possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages on the beach or beach walk is prohibited. Anyone who violates this ordinance is subject to a fine in the amount of \$400.
- Surf fishing is prohibited in bathing areas during bathing hours.
- Fires are prohibited on the beachfront unless permit is approved and obtained from the Manasquan Borough Council.
- All Manasquan Beach visitors shall bathe only on beaches protected by on duty lifeguards.
- Manasquan Inlet Jetty- Although the inlet jetty is governed by federal law, it is highly recommended that guests of Manasquan Beach refrain from jumping or diving from the jetty.
- For additional information on beach rules and regulations please visit www.manasquan-nj.com and click on “Manasquan Code Book” and reference Chapter 12 “Beaches and Beachfront.”

FROM THE ENTIRE MANASQUAN BEACH STAFF- HAVE A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE SUMMER!!