



Boy Scout Troop 353 – Eastchester, NY

Westchester-Putnam Council

<http://troop353.wordpress.com>

www.wpcbsa.org



Event: **14th Annual Beach Jam**
 Location: **Wildwood, NJ**
 Event Date: **9/26 (Sat) & 27 (Sun)**

Signup Deadline: **9/ 20/ 09 (Sunday)**
 Adult Event Co-Leader: Assistant Scoutmaster - Michael Occhicone Cell Phone = 914-403-4879
 Adult Event Co-Leader: Scoutmaster Tom McCandless Cell Phone = 914-572-1887
 Youth Event Leader(s): Brad M. - SPL Home Phone = 914-337-3672
 Youth Event Leader(s): **Matt S. - ASPL ??** Home Phone = 914-738-2283

Adult Transportation Coordinator: Jeff Schaeffer - Ass't Scoutmaster - Transportation Coordinator Cell Phone = 914-772-8567
 Backup Transportation Coordinator: Assistant Scoutmaster - Michael Occhicone Cell Phone = 914-403-4879

Departure: Meet @ ICS Garage 6:45am & MUST depart 7:00am sharp!

Fees: \$100/ person (\$55 camp fee + \$25 spending lunch & other) + \$80 gas fee / car (est'd at \$20/person)
 [\$80 Gas Fee divided equally among all riders per car & based on round trip, current gas prices in NJ & avg Hiwy MPG of Adult Leader's Cars]

Eat in Car? Yes, Breakfast Saturday morning.

Advanced Preparation: No prerequisites for Merit Badge classes

Driving Directions: 174 miles (one way) Begin at ICS Garage off Rt 22N.
 - Take **Rt 22 South to Cross County Pkwy West** toward Saw Mill River Pkwy 1.7 Miles
 - Take Cross County Pkwy West to **Henry Hudson Pkwy South** (left at fork) toward NYC 3.1 Miles / 4.8 Miles
 - Continue South on **Henry Hudson Pkwy** to entrance to GW Bridge (toll) 5.4 Miles / 10.2 Miles
 - Take **Exit 14/15 (left) for Riverside Dr / I-95 / GW Bridge**; Turn Rt on Riverside Dr. 0.3 Miles / 10.5 Miles
 - Turn Right to **I-95 New England** entrance; stay left at fork to **Upper Level GW Bridge** 5.5 Miles / 16.0 Miles
 - Follow signs for **I-95 South to NJ Turnpike** exit on the left 2.7 Miles / 18.7 Miles
 - Merge on to I-95 South / **NJ Turnpike South** (toll) 24.4 Miles / 43.1 Miles
 - Take **Exit 11**, merge onto **Garden State Pkwy South** (toll) 47.2 Miles / 90.3 Miles
 - Continue on **US-9 South / Garden State Pkwy South** (toll) 79.9 Miles / 170.2 Miles
 - Take **Exit 4B**, merge onto **NJ-47/ Rte 47 toward Wildwood Crest / Wildwood** 3.2 Miles / 173.4 Miles
Turn Left at New Jersey Ave, Wildwood, NJ **0.4 Miles / 173.8 Miles**

Event Itinerary: Saturday
 - 7am SHARP!!! Departure from ICS Garage
 - 10 -- 10:30am: Check into Beach Jam; Camp Setup
 - 9am -- 5pm Event Svcs Open; Good Turn for America Donation Drop Off
 - 12 noon -- 12:45pm Aviation MB Class
 - 12 noon --10 pm Amusement Rides (Mariner's Landing & Schellener Ave. Only)
 - 12 noon --10 pm Ride the Boardwalk Tram Car
 - 4 -- 8pm BBQ Dinner with strolling entertainment
 - 8:00 -- 9:30 pm Hayrides, Beach Bonfire & Sing Along
 - 10:00 pm Taps
 Sunday
 - 7:00 -- 10:00am -- Breakfast at Rendezvous Beach (coffee station opens at 6:30am)
 - 9 am -- 12 noon Event Svcs Open; Good Turn for America Donation Drop Off
 - 10 -- 10:30am Non-denominational Worship Service
 - 12 noon -- 12:45pm Oceanography MB Class
 - 12 noon -- 5pm Amusement Rides (Mariner's Landing & Schellener Ave. Only)
 - 12 noon -- 5pm Ride the Boardwalk Tram Car
 - Until 5pm -- Camp Cleanup

Personal Camping Gear: See Beach Camping Gear List

Weather Outlook: www.wunderground.com
 (zip code to enter) ==> 08260 Warm (60--70) Prob. of rain: Sat 20% / Sun 50%

Misc Useful Info: Morey's Piers www.moreyspiers.com
 Beach Jam BeachJam@moreyspiers.com
 609-522-3900, x1195

Other Event Notes:
 -- \$55 Package includes amusements, beach camping, boardwalk tram, activities and 1 breakfast and 1 dinner.
 -- Scouts need a watch!
 -- Late Registration is permissible at extra \$5 Camping Fee Charge.
 -- Parking is \$10/ day (discounted) during this weekend.
 -- Adults should bring 2-way radios if they have them.