

# Sandy Hook Region 2017 Summer Fun on the Shore



# Instructions

How many of these places can you visit before the summer ends? Complete 20 activities this summer to earn the patch or an addon rocker. The Challenge begins Memorial Day Weekend & ends Labor Day. *Only registered Girl Scouts from the Sandy Hook Region may earn a patch*, but anyone can do the challenge! (Challenge may be done with troop or alone with adult supervision)

## Step 1: Decide Where to Go

- Look through this list of places to visit & events list, which you can download at <u>http://tinyurl.com/SH-SummerFun17</u>
- Complete 20 activities between Memorial Day & Labor Day. All numbered items count as 1 activity.
- Already have the patch? 2<sup>ND</sup> YEAR CHALLENGERS: Complete 20 activities this summer to earn an add-on rocker. At least 15 activities must be new. 3<sup>RD</sup> YEAR CHALLENGERS: only 15 activities/10 new are required. All events count as new.

#### **Step 2: Take Photos**

- Take photos of the girls or have the girls take photos of each other (selfies are ok) at each location
- Or take photos with Flat Juliette.

## Step 3: Post Photos #SHSummerFun17

 Create a photo collage and post it to www.facebook.com/SandyHookGirlScouts

- Or create a public online photo album and share to @SandyHookGirlScouts
- **Or** create a paper collage & send to Susan Bond-Masterson in the Farmingdale Council Office

## **Step 4: Notify Council**

- Send an email to Susan Bond Masterson <u>sbondmasterson@girlscoutsjs.org</u> with
  - Name, level and troop number (if applicable) of all the girls who have completed the challenge. Please note if they have completed the challenge previously.
  - Phone number, address and email of the leader or adult in charge who should receive the patches

## Step 5: (Optional) Make suggestions

 Post suggestions of places or events to add to the list to www.facebook.com/SandyHookGirlScouts

# Bayshore: Hazlet, Keansburg, Keyport, Union Beach

## 1. + Brunswick Zone Bowling

HAZLET 1400 Route 36 (Airport Plaza) 732-264-0800

- 2. Veteran's Memorial Park ♦ HAZLET ♦ 1776 Union Ave
  - Veteran's Memorial and a 9/11 Memorial
  - Bocce ball courts, skateboard park, playground.

## 3. <u>Natco Park</u> ♦ HAZLET ♦ <u>Various entrances</u> ♦ <u>more info</u>

- <u>Call environmental commission</u> 732- 264-1700 ext 8694 to schedule nature walks with environmental guide.
- Eagles nest by the lake.
- + There is a new entrance on Middle Road near the High School entrance

4. + <u>Kazia Rae's</u> (fast food restaurant located in 100-year-old building) ♦ **KEANSBURG** ♦ 59 Carr Ave.

5. <u>Keansburg Amusement Park & Runaway Rapids</u> <u>Water Park</u> (New Jersey's Oldest Amusement Park) **KEANSBURG** ♦ 275 Beachway Avenue ♦ 732-495-1400

## 6. + <u>Keansburg Historical Society</u> ~ KEANSBURG ♦ 59 Carr Ave. ♦ 732-471-0408

- 7. Keyport Waterfront ♦ American Legion Drive
  - Take photos by the water, mosaic sculpture @1 Broad St, butterfly light posts, mosaic garbage cans
- 8. <u>Keyport Fire Museum & Education Center</u> ~ KEYPORT ♦ 86 Broad Street ♦ 732-739-5362

## 9. Front Street UNION BEACH

Walk along Front Street and take photos by these landmarks:

- Blue Dolphin Statue
- World War I Doughboy Statue
- Memorials for Firemen, 9/11 and Sandy Hook, Connecticut
- Playground

# Hartshorne: Atlantic Highlands, Highlands, Navesink, Sandy Hook

# **1. Mount Mitchill Scenic Overlook**

- 9/11 Memorial/ Eagle Statue; Scenic Overlook; playground
- 2. Strauss Mansion & Museum ~ (Historical Society) ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS • 27 Prospect Circle

# **GATEWAY NATIONAL RECREATION AREA**

**HIGHLANDS/ SANDY HOOK ♦** 732-872-5900

3. Suggestions (each activity can count as one): nature preserve, beach, boating, kayak rentals, picnics, hiking, birding, overnight camping, sandy hook beach, rent a bike, kayak rentals

# 4. Fort Hancock ♦ 732-872-5900

- History House", Nike missile site ", gun battery, biking paths
- 5. <u>Sandy Hook Lighthouse</u> ♦ 732-872-5970
- 6. NI Sea Grant Consortium Scout Programs 732-872-1300 **schedule of events**

# Hartshorne Woods Park \*

- HIGHLANDS/LOCUST ♦ 732-872-0336 Ranger Station
- Camping, fishing, Easy to challenging hiking trails, biking trails
- 7. 1402 Portland Rd (Rocky Point Entrance) Highlands 07732
- Navesink Military Reservation; naval gun on display; Fishing
- 8. 300 Navesink Ave. (Buttermilk Entrance) Locust 07716
- Picnic Tables near entrance
- 9. 239 Locust Ave. (Claypit Creek entrance) Locust 07760

## 10. <u>Huber Woods</u> \*

732-872-2670 or 0336

- Reptile House
- Environmental center with hands-on Lenape exhibits
- take self-guided tour with safari backpack (free rental)
- walking/hiking trails, picnic area, view of Navesink river

**11.** Popamora Point Park, H. Hudson Trail \* **HIGHLANDS** ♦ 369 Shore Drive ♦ 732-495-2115

# 12. <u>Seastreak Tour of NY Harbor</u>

HIGHLANDS ♦ 326 Shore Drive ♦ ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS • 2 Simon Lake Drive

• Discount for kids 12 and under; under 5 are free

# 13. Twin Lights Lighthouse ~

**HIGHLANDS** ♦ Lighthouse Road ♦ 732-872-1814

# 14. All Saints' Memorial Church

**NAVESINK** • 202 Navesink Ave. • 732-226-6131

- Episcopal Church with active congregation
- Historic building and cemetery (Call ahead for tour)

# **15.** <u>Garvey's Pond</u> ♦ NAVESINK

# On the Jersey Shore

# **Fun on Jersey Beaches**

Beaches are a must-do on the Jersey Shore. Go to one of our many beautiful beaches and take a photo of your girls doing one of the following activities: building a sand castle; boogie boarding; fishing; crabbing; making footprints in the sand. Local Beaches include Seven Presidents Oceanfront Park, Long Branch and Sandy Hook Beach.

+new addition for 2017

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Limited hours; call before going

\* A Monmouth County Park \* Parks Calendar of Events \* Activities for Scouts \* List of trails Parents/ leaders are responsible for verifying days/hours of operation and the learn pricing where applicable for all activities