

# Summer 2019

## Coastal Discovery Museum

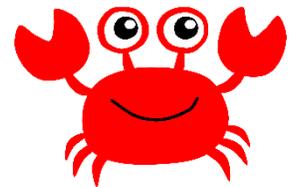


### Experiences for Children's Groups

Participate in fun educational experiences this summer with the Coastal Discovery Museum. Children's groups (camps, daycares, scouts, etc.) can participate in a variety of summer activities onsite, offsite, or at your site. Please contact Dawn Brut at 843 689-6767 x228 if you have any questions or want to make arrangements for your group to participate in an educational experience.

#### Marsh Critters

Explore the salt marsh! Get an up close look at this unique and important habitat. Observe crabs, mussels, snails, shrimp, and more while learning about their biology and behavior. We can also bring this experience to your site. Cost is \$5 per child.\*



#### A Day at the Beach

Experience life on the beach...without actually going to the beach. Discover a wide variety of fascinating beach critters, learn about what lives in those shells, and investigate the lives of beach visitors like sea turtles and horseshoe crabs. Discover why the beach is such an important habitat and learn how to protect it. We can also bring this experience to your site. Cost is \$5 per child.\*

#### Horseshoe Crab Craziiness

Horseshoe crabs are one of the most intriguing and misunderstood marine invertebrates. Explore the fascinating life cycle and adaptations of this amazing animal. Act like shorebirds and play a fun interactive game to discover the importance of horseshoe crabs. Designed for 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and up. We can bring this experience to you! Cost is \$5 per child.\*

#### Sea Turtle Adventures

From egg to adult, the life of a loggerhead sea turtle is fascinating. Use hands-on activities and games to learn about the life cycle of sea turtles and experience the difficulties they face from hatchling to adulthood. Make a small craft to take home and help you remember how easy it is to help protect sea turtles. We can bring this experience to you! Cost is \$5 per child.\*



#### Reptile & Amphibian Encounters

Alligators, snakes, and turtles oh my! Decipher the difference between reptiles and amphibians. Take a closer look at some live reptiles and amphibians and discover their special and unique survival adaptations. We can bring this experience to you! Cost is \$5 per child.\*

### **Wonderful Wings**

Experience the amazing lives of these incredible insects by examining eggs, live caterpillars, chrysalises, and adult butterflies in our outdoor butterfly habitat. Learn about the different plants butterflies rely on for survival and create a “seed bomb” to take home and plant. We can bring an adapted version of this experience to you! Cost is \$5 per child.

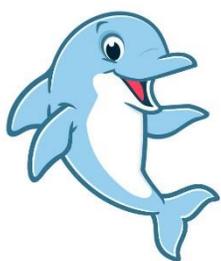


### **Indigo Tie Dye**

Investigate the history of indigo in South Carolina and create your own indigo-dyed t-shirt as you explore the process of making indigo dye. Designed for 1<sup>st</sup> grade and up. We can bring this experience to you! Cost \$5 per child. Participants provide their own white t-shirt to dye.

### **Discovery Time**

Explore the Coastal Discovery Museum’s Discovery Lab. Get a closer look at some live Lowcountry animals like fish, horseshoe crabs, hermit crabs, frogs, lizards, snakes, and an alligator. Discover and learn through games, hands-on activities, and crafts. Cost is \$5 per child.



### **Dolphin Cruise**

The Bottlenose Dolphin is an amazing marine mammal that is commonly seen along our coast. Look, listen, and learn as we cruise Broad Creek in search of Bottlenose Dolphins. Cost is \$9 per child and \$12 per adult. This cruise is 1.5hrs and meets at Broad Creek Marina.

### **Critters Meet and Greet**

Alligators, snakes, turtles, and more!! Interact with a variety of Lowcountry critters during this casual animal “Meet and Greet.” This is a great opportunity to see these animals up close and learn more about these fascinating critters that share Hilton Head Island with us. (There is no formal presentation...Museum volunteers will share fun facts and help participants handle animals...adult chaperones will be responsible for supervising and visiting the critters with the children).

\$5 per participant. Reservations required.

Every Wednesday and Friday from 10am-1pm in June, July, and August.

**\*Large group presentation rate might apply to this program.**

**Many experiences can be adapted and brought to your site for small or large groups.**

**Most experiences are 30-45min for younger groups and 45-60min for older groups.**

*All program experiences and group visits to the Museum require reservations.*

*Call Dawn Brut at 843 689-6767 x228 or email [dbrut@coastaldiscovery.org](mailto:dbrut@coastaldiscovery.org) to make reservations.*

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