

# July 2025 PROGRAMS

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## DAILY PROGRAMS

### Mondays

July 7

July 14

July 21

July 28

### Beach Exploration 10:00 am—11:00 am

*Meet at the end of the boardwalk leading to beach (B1 on map)*

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### Tuesdays

July 3

July 10

July 24

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### Gooseberry Island Hike , 1:00 pm—2:00pm

*Meet at Gooseberry Island gravel parking lot (B2 on map).*

*Parking is limited and available first come, first served.*

Gooseberry Island has been many things. How did it end up as a state park? Join a park interpreter to understand how it came to be what it is today. A moderate 1.5-mile hike on pebbles and sand. For adults and older children.

### Wrackline: Trash or Treasure, 2:30 pm—3:30 pm

*Meet at the end of the boardwalk leading to beach (B1 on map)*

Ever stumble upon fascinating discoveries while on your hunt for shells? What stories can this stuff tell? Let's walk the high tide line, also called the wrack line, to see what can be found. All ages.

### Wednesdays through Sundays

### Life Saving Station, 1:00 pm—4:00 pm

*Located at 241 East Beach Avenue, Westport (B4 on map).*

Visit the Horseneck Point Life Saving Station, an important part of Westport's maritime history. See incredible photographs and explore exhibits from the Buzzards Bay Coalition.

Subject to staff availability.

### Saturdays

July 5

July 12

July 19

July 26

### Campfire Storytime, 7:00 pm—8:00 pm

*Meet in the campground, at the fire pit next to the bath house (B3 on map).*

Stories are a great way to understand our surroundings. Watch a park interpreter use picture books to present different environmental lessons. For young campers and their families.

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Sundays  
July 6  
July 13  
July 20  
July 27

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#### Move over for Plovers, 11:00 am—12:00 pm

*Meet on the beach between Lifeguard 6 & 7 (B3 on map).*

After traveling hundreds of miles from their winter territory, plovers have arrived at Horseneck Beach to lay their eggs. Drop by this station and see what makes these tiny birds a huge deal.

This is a drop-in program; please feel free to visit for as long as you'd like.

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July 27

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