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APOLLO DISTRICT JR RANGER PROGRAMS JUNE 2017

PLEASE NOTE: *all programs are subject to cancellation and/or rescheduling* due to staff limitations, weather conditions, or other factors. Some programs require reservations, a minimum age, or a cost-recovery fee. Call 386-428-3384 ext. 0 or go to the **Visitor Information Center at 7611 S. Atlantic Ave. NSB, FL 32169** for program information during operating hours (9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.). Visit our website at www.nps.gov/cana. Entrance fees apply to all interpretive program participants. All programs meet the requirements for the Canaveral National Seashore Junior Ranger program.

“JUNIOR RANGER PROGRAM”

Please join us on these days for the programs listed below. Completing one set of programs and picking up a bag of litter will allow you to complete Canaveral National Seashore’s Junior Ranger Program. Junior Ranger patch and certificate will be awarded when the assigned activities are completed. **All programs will be one hour in length unless otherwise mentioned below.**

WEDNESDAY 7th & 14th – 10:00 AM - “CANAVERAL’S WILD OLYMPICS” We will discuss some of the animals that live in the park, and then you will have the chance to compare your ability with theirs. Meet at the Visitor Information Center at 9:45 AM.

WEDNESDAY 21st & 28th – 10:00 AM “ENDANGERED SPECIES OF THE PARK” We have more endangered and threatened species than the vast majority of National Parks. Learn about these amazing organisms. Meet at the Visitor Information Center at 9:45 AM.

WEDNESDAY 7th & 14th – 11:00 AM - “APOLLO BEACH ARTS AND CRAFTS” Make a unique shell necklace, learn about the animals that once inhabited the shell. Learn about some sea critters and make a sand “painting” and more. Meet at the Visitor Information Center at 10:45 AM.

WEDNESDAY 21st & 28th – 11:00 AM “ESTUARIES: SEEING THE UNSEEN” Explore the unseen world of microscopic plankton from Mosquito Lagoon. Learn about the importance of Estuaries and the role of plankton within the Estuary. Capture plankton samples with a plankton net, and view them through a microscope inside the Visitor Center. Meet at the Visitor Information Center at 10:45 AM. (2 hours)

FRIDAY 9th & 23rd – 10:00 AM “SEA TURTLES OF THE PARK” Learn about the sea turtles that nest in the park. You will also learn what the Turtle Scouts and the Turtle Survey Team does. Meet at the Visitor Center at 9:45 AM.

FRIDAY 23rd & 30th – 10:00 AM “TIMICUAN INDIANS ARTS AND CRAFTS” We will learn about the Timucua Indians, the original inhabitants of this area. You will have a chance to make and keep some of their arts and crafts. Meet up at the Visitor Information Center 9:45 AM. (2 hours).

FRIDAY 9th, 7th & 23 – 11:00 AM “RELAXING AND LEARNING AT THE BEACH” Bring your chair or towel and we will sit on the beach and discuss beach ecosystems. This is a perfect time to bring any questions that you may have. Meet at the Visitor Information Center at 10:45 AM.

