

The BHI Conservancy Barrier Island Botanist Program is back for 2025, and nearly a thousand sixth graders from Brunswick County Public Schools will visit Bald Head Island for hands-on learning about the maritime forest, salt marsh, and coastal dunes through the school year. The program relies on volunteers to make these field trips engaging, educational, and safe. Volunteers help at learning stations, guide students between areas, and greet students at the ferry. If you can assist, please drop an email to programs@bhic.org. Availability is requested from 9:30am-1:30pm on the day of the trips.

Barrier Island Botanist (BIB) Field Trip Dates

9/22, 23 and 25- BIB: South Brunswick Middle School
9/30-10/2- BIB: Town Creek Middle School
10/20-10/23- BIB: Leland Middle School
10/27-10/30- BIB: Shallotte
11/3, 5-6-10/30- BIB: Cedar Grove