APOLLO DISTRICT

INTERPRETIVE PROGRAMS

August 2025

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 for program information during operating hours (9 a.m. to 5 p.m.). Visit our website at www.nps.gov/cana for more information. Entrance fees apply to all interpretive program participants. All programs meet the requirements for the Canaveral National Seashore Junior Ranger program.

Mondays, August 4 and **August 18 at 9 a.m. -- "THE SEA TURTLES ARE HERE" –** Learn about the current number of sea turtle nests on your national seashore, as well as the four different turtle species that use our shores to lay their eggs. Meet at the Apollo District Visitor Center, located at 7611 S. Atlantic Avenue, New Smyrna Beach, Fla. (Activity duration: 1 hour)

Thursdays Aug. 7, Aug. 14, Aug. 21 and Aug. 28 at 10 a.m. - "CANAVERAL HISTORY 101" -- Explore historical topics that shaped Canaveral National Seashore with a ranger at the Apollo District Visitor Center. Topics will vary on each date: (Activity duration: 30-40 minutes)

Aug. 7 – The mounds of the Timucua at Canaveral

Aug. 14 – Elliott Plantation

Aug. 21 – Aviation history at Canaveral

Aug. 28 -- Homesteading at Canaveral

Sundays, August 17 and **August 24 at 9 a.m. -- "MANATEE MANIA" –** Observe manatee in their natural environment and learn about their unique characteristics from a park ranger. Meet at the Visitor Center Pavilion in the Apollo District at 9 a.m. (Activity duration: 30 minutes)

Monday, August 25 at 9 a.m. -- BEACH WALK - Discover gifts from the sea on a walk on Canaveral's shoreline. We'll look for seashells, driftwood, seabeans and other wonderful surprises. Be sure to wear sunscreen, a hat and bring along plenty of water. (Activity duration: 1 hour)

Tuesday, August 26 at 10 a.m. – BEACH CLEAN-UP -- Help keep the beaches of Canaveral National Seashore clean. Join us to clean up your national park. Bring water, sunscreen, bug repellant and a hat. Trash bags will be provided and we will show you how keep a record of collect debris. (Activity duration: 1 hour)