

MONTEREY BEACH SUMMER 2024 RULES & REGULATIONS

BEACHES

Ocean and Bay Beaches will open on Saturday, June 22nd. Lifeguards will be on duty seven days per week from that time and including Labor Day, September 2nd, 2024, weather permitting.

HOURS: Ocean - 9:30 AM to 5:30 PM Bay Beach - 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM. All swimming or use of rafts or floats shall be in designated areas only. Surfing and fishing is to be designated upon conditions of the beach. If swimmers are present any time off-hours, please extend them the courtesy of using the swimming area freely...even though no guards are on duty and keep surfing and fishing outside of the swim area.

NOTE: All swimming or use of any of the Club's facilities is at your own risk.

RENTALS/BEACH BADGES

During the season, beach badges must be worn by any person 12 years old and older when on the beach during swimming hours. Rentals of member properties shall be limited to one or more family groups contingent upon applicable certificate of occupancy.. A family is defined as parents, grandparents, children and extended family members vacationing in one property. Owners must confirm for all rentals that minors will not occupy the Property unless an adult is present. Completed Rental Applications & Badge Fees need to be mailed to: Monterey Beach Club, P.O. Box 288, Lavallette, NJ 08735. Cost is \$120.00 for 1 week. Seasonal: \$1050.00. Eight badges will be issued per weekly rental. If more badges are required, the cost will be an additional \$25/badge/week. Daily guest badges, if needed, may be purchased on the beach for \$10.00 each by renters or members. Members may not provide member beach badges to renters. Per the Monterey Beach Club by-laws, a fine equal to the cost of eight (8) seasonal rental badges; which is normally purchased by a tenant for the entire season, shall be imposed on the homeowner if member badges are left for tenant use. Children under 12 years of age must be accompanied by an adult, 18 years or older, at the beaches.

BEACH RESTRICTIONS

WE TAKE PRIDE IN A CLEAN BEACH...Help us keep it that way... Please don't litter. Whatever you bring to the beach, please take it home with you. There are no garbage cans located on the beach/walkways. Per NJDEP Rule, no activities/trespassing on dunes. No type of sport like games will be allowed during swimming hours and at no time on the streets. Volleyball will be allowed at the court site on the beach - see badge checker for details. No digging of holes on the beach at any time. No picnicking, eating of lunches or drinking of alcoholic beverages (Toms River Township Ordinance #1590 § 109-3). No fires or cookouts, no overnight sleeping, no dogs, cats, or pets of any kind on the beach (Local Ord. 1411). The guards and badge checkers are authorized to keep all beach activity under control while they are on duty and are authorized to order anyone in violation of any of these rules, to leave the beach. We follow the USLA Beach Flag Warning System- Yellow Flag- medium hazard, Red Flag- high hazard, and Double Red Flags- extreme hazard. On stormy days or when swimming is considered to be hazardous, a double red flag will be flown on the main flagpoles. Always swim in front of lifeguards. Keep out of water when the lifeguards are off duty. Launching and beaching of Jet Skies prohibited. ATV's are prohibited on Beach (LocalOrd.2744). Smoking, marijuana or hashish is prohibited on the beaches, entrances and bump-outs.

VEHICLES

No street parking is permitted where there are no curbs. On such streets, vehicles may be parked one behind the other in driveways as long as the second car does not protrude into the street or block the sidewalk pathways. Any form of camping or sleeping in a vehicle is prohibited by Toms River Township Ordinance. This applies to campers that may be parked adjacent to a cottage overnight. The Beach Patrol will check and report any such use of a vehicle. As we have many children playing in the area, you are urged to drive 10 MPH or slower in this development.

PETS

Renters are not permitted to bring pets. Violators may be denied beach privileges. Owners must adhere to (Toms River Township Ordinance 3-76) prohibiting pets running loose and obligation to clean up after them.

NOISE

In consideration of others, please refrain from any form of loud noise before 9:00 AM and after 11:00 PM.

LOST AND FOUND

All items reported will be posted on Bulletin Boards at the Ocean and Bay entrances.

GARBAGE & RECYCLING COLLECTIONS

All areas - Monday and Thursday morning garbage pickup. Recycling is in effect for Toms River Township. Recycled items to be placed in an adequate size separate container and are picked up on Friday morning only. All recycling is placed in one container. Please put tight lids on all garbage cans. If plastic is needed, please use heavy black plastic bags for garbage and put a few drops of ammonia in bags before sealing the bag. This will prevent seagulls from tearing bags to get at the garbage.

EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS

Toms River Township Police 732-349-0150

Ambulance or Fire 732-349-2285

[Be sure to state that you are on the barrier island in Monterey Beach so it's clear that you aren't in Toms River/mainland]

