

CULTURE & COMMUNITY



JUNETEENTH

Boston Harbor Islands Welcome Center

June 18th & 19th 9:30AM - 6:00PM

Join us to commemorate Juneteenth and learn more about Black history in Boston. Visit Georges Island & the Boston Harbor Islands Welcome Center for live music, story time, history tours, and an exploration of Black history in Boston.

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INNOVATION ISLANDS

Various locations, dates & times

In recognition of the Boston Harbor Islands National & State Park Anniversaries, Boston Harbor Islands Partnership has awarded 12 local nonprofits micro-grants to support the development of new experiences that meet the unique needs of their community. Hop on the ferry to enjoy community organized events on the Islands!

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RECREATION

HARBORFIT

Spectacle Island, Peddocks
Island, and Boston Waterfront

Various dates & times

Get active on and around Boston Harbor this season! Come join us and thousands of other motivated members of the waterfront community this season by signing up for one (or all) of our HarborFit programs! Whether you attend a yoga class or a forest bathing experience, you'll feel fresh and energized as you get active on the water.

Highlights include:

- Weekly Island Yoga at Spectacle Island
- Weekly Wellness Yoga at Charlestown Navy Yard
- > Weekly Tai Chi at Castle Island
- Weekly Sunset Yoga at Piers Park
- Weekly Latin Cultural Dance at Piers Park
- TRILLFIT's Cardio Dance classes at Carson Beach
- > Wellness Retreat on Peddocks Island
- Monthly Forest Bathing at Peddocks Island

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FISHING FESTIVALS

Deer Island

June 4 11 AM - 3PM

Come to Deer Island to help celebrate two very special Boston Harbor Islands National & State Park anniversaries with a day of fishing and fun! Learn how to fish, enjoy activities and food trucks, and become an *official* Boston Harbor Islands Junior Ranger!

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VINTAGE BASEBALL

Georges Island

June 18, June 25, July 23, & August 28 11:30AM - 2:30PM

Step back in time and watch a Civil War-era base ball game with original rules and uniforms. Arrive early to receive a special souvenier pennant!

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PEDDOCKS NIGHT SKY

Peddocks Island

July 16 - 17 & August 12 - 13 11AM - 11AM / July 4PM - 11AM / August

Grab your camping gear and join a Park Ranger for an unforgettable night sky experience in Boston Harbor! Learn how to use a telescope, see the cosmos, read the stories written in the stars, and even write your own.

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LIGHTHOUSE TOURS

Boston Harbor

Select Fridays & Saturdays, July 1 - September 10 1pm & 3:30pm / Saturdays 5:30pm / Friday Sunset Tours

Experience the historic lighthouses of Boston Harbor on a special two-hour narrated cruise!

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MUSIC



SOUNDS OF FORT WARREN

Georges Island

Saturdays / July 2, July 24, July 31, August 6, & August 28 Various times

Come to Georges Island this summer and let music fill your ears as you explore Fort Warren and the history of the island. From swing dance and big bands to a hip hop fiddler, there's something for everyone to enjoy!

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SPECTACLE SUNDAY JAZZ

Spectacle Island

Sundays / July 3 - August 28 2PM - 5PM

Relax to the sounds of jazz standards and original music performed by musicians from Berklee College of Music and Education Through Music Massachusetts on Spectacle Island.

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FOOD & DRINK

BRATO ON SPECTACLE

Spectacle Island

Fridays, Saturdays, & Sundays June 17 - September 4 12PM - 4:30PM

Enjoy delicious bites & delectable drinks during your island adventures, available for purchase from Brato Brewhouse + Kitchen near the Visitor Center.

SPECTACLE SUMMER NIGHTS

Spectacle Island

July 16, August 13, August 27, September 17, & October 1 4:30PM - 8:30PM / July & August 2:30PM - 6:30PM / September & October

Enjoy a spectacular summer night on Spectacle Island! Spectacle Island will stay open for an after-hours experience - an evening of relaxation, fun, and music in partnership with Night Shift Brewing and BRATO.

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SUNSET LOBSTER CLAMBAKES

Spectacle Island

June 23, July 14, August 18, August 25, & September 1 5:45PM - 8:45PM

Grab your friends and family and cruise to Spectacle Island for a classic New England clambake!

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FREE AND REDUCED-COST ACCESS PROGRAMS

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Boston Harbor Islands National and State Park is for everyone! The Boston Harbor Islands Partnership is committed to providing free and reduced-fare opportunities for groups and individuals.

Opportunities include:

- Community Cruises
- Island Pass group access
- Library Pass 2-for-1 access
- > WIC and EBT Card Discounts





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