

## Have Family Fun

### Learning the Heritage and Ecology of Barnegat Bay and what you can do to improve it... Follow the Clam Trail!

**ReClam The Bay** grows millions of baby clams and oysters to help our volunteers explain the benefits of shellfish filtering, feeding and cleaning the estuary. RCTB also encourages people to become stewards of the environment and to help improve the water quality of the bay by reducing pollution. **People clean from the top down... shellfish from the bottom up!**

**The better it is at the top... The better it is at the bottom. Learn about it on the Clam trail**

### Playing the Game

**You don't have to play the game to vote on line for your favorite clam**

**[www.reclamthebay.org](http://www.reclamthebay.org)**

The activities and locations are part of a fun, educational treasure hunt where you will learn the heritage and ecology of Barnegat Bay. The award-winning Clam Trail takes you to places of interest all around Barnegat Bay.

The game is to earn points to win awards! You can decide on the part of the trail that is of most interest to you. Explore for a day, week or the entire year. Even if you only visit a few locations PLEASE register. This helps us monitor the program. The goal is to score points by visiting locations on the Clam Trail. You will use your *Explorer Log* (below) to record the information found on a **Fact Plaque** at each location (Example: Fact #...**16**, Location...**4**, Bold word... **Filter**).

**NOTE:** Exploring is not always easy! Some addresses are general and the Fact Plaque may require some searching. Have fun and EXPLORE! Please report problems! Some Fact Plaques may be missing. If you can't find a Fact Plaque, enter the name of the Location in the "Bold Word" space and enter "Missing" across the "Location #" and "Fact #" spaces.

#### There are 3 ways to Register:

1. Fill in the Explorer Log below, detach it from the map, fold it and use it as a self mailer (address is on the reverse side, be sure to affix proper postage)
2. Fax the completed Explorer Log to 732-505-8941.
3. Record the information on the Log and then enter it online at [www.reclamthebay.org](http://www.reclamthebay.org).

### Awards

- **30 points** "Certificate of Summer Study" presented by Rutgers Cooperative Extension of Ocean County
- **40 points** you will receive the certificate and the special 'Sam the Clam' stickers
- **100 points** you will receive a beautiful pewter metal clam or oyster pin.

Fun activities all summer long

### Location Listing

The activities and locations listed below are part of a fun, educational *treasure hunt* where you will learn the heritage and ecology of Barnegat Bay. The award winning Clam trail takes you to points of interest all around Barnegat Bay as part of a game where you earn points to win awards! (See *Playing the Game* for details)

**Numbered green type denotes Eco-Friendly Fun Activity.**

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**Legend - Use this guide to enter points in your Explorer Log. The letters behind the location tell the kind of place and this legend tells the number of points earned by visiting: PI = Place of Interest (3 points), CF = Clam Friends (3 points), UP = Upweller - Shellfish Nursery, (5 points), GC = Giant Clam (7 points)**

#### **Barnegat Light**

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Barnegat Light State Park - 206-208 Broadway and the Bay **PI, GC**

Barnegat Light Museum - 5th & Central **PI**

**±± Operation Hours: Jun & October 10 AM – 4 PM on Weekends**

**±± Jul & Aug: Daily 10 AM – 4 PM, Tuesday evenings 6 – 8 PM**

**±± The Edith Duff Gwinn Garden is open during daylight hours**

Van's Rowboat Rental - 8th St. & Bayview **GC**

Barnegat Light Post Office - West 10th St. **GC**

Barnegat Light Upweller - Municipal Boat Ramp, 10th & Bayview **UP**

**±± Fridays 11:00 AM Meet the friendly volunteers and ask questions about growing and caring for shellfish**

Cassidy's - 18th & Dock **CF** 39.750 -74.113

Viking Outfitters - 19th and Bay **CF**

Viking Village - 19th and Bay **GC**

**±± Fridays 10:00 AM starting July 2 to Sept 3 - Free Dock Tours - Then stop over at the upweller on 10th Street at 11:00 AM**

**±± Antique & Collectible Show – August 8, 9 AM – 5 PM & Sept. 19 at 9 AM – 5 PM**

Off the Hook - 1905 Bayview Ave. **GC, CF**

**Take a picture with your face in the clam!**

### **Loveladies**

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Robbie's Loveladies Marina - 9 Lighthouse Way **GC, CF**

**±± Kayak rentals include self-guided tour maps and bird watching guide. Reservations for guided tours 609 494 4801 THESE PEOPLE REALLY KNOW THE BAY!**

LBI Foundation for the Arts and Sciences - 120 Long Beach Blvd. **GC, PI**

**±± Visitation; June Through September - Monday to Friday 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Weekends 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM**

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**±± Thursday July 8 – 4th Annual Barnegat Bay Day & Go Green Expo 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM**

**±± Wednesdays July 14 to August 18 11:00 AM – Hands On – Learn about shellfish, local birds, a coastal rain garden, alternative energy and terrapins. Call 609-494-1241 for details**

### **Harvey Cedars**

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Harvey Cedars Shellfish Company - 7904 Long Beach Blvd. **CF**

### **Surf City**

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Boulevard Clams - 20th and the Blvd. **CF**

Callahan's Restaurant and Liquor Store - 1500 Long Beach Blvd. **CF**

Just Bead It - 1616 Long Beach Blvd. **CF**

Blue Claw Seafood - 11th and the Blvd. **CF**

Surf City Yacht Club - 9th St. and the Bay **UP**

**±± Thursdays 5:00 PM - Meet the friendly volunteers and ask questions about growing and caring for shellfish**

Surf City 5 & 10 - 5th and the Blvd. **CF**

### **Ship Bottom**

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Southern Ocean County Chamber of Commerce - 265 West 9th St. **GC**

**±± Alliance for a Living Ocean ALO 27th & Central Ave PI Mondays 10:00 AM Bay and Sea Critter Puppet Show**

Surf City Fishery - 10th and the Blvd. **CF**

Ship Bottom Seafood - 1721 Long Beach Blvd. **CF**

Greenhouse Café - 605 Long Beach Blvd. **GC**

Surf Unlimited – 1820 Long Beach Blvd **CF**

**(Surf Contest call for dates - 609-494-3555)**

### **Brant Beach**

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St. Frances Center - 4700 Long Beach Blvd. **UP**

**±± Clam fact is in the main lobby**

Brant Beach Yacht Club - Dock C Bay View Ave. **UP**

Bay View Park, opposite LBT Municipal Center - Meade Ave. and L.B. Blvd. **PI**

**±± Thursdays - Hands On - 10:00 AM July 15 to August 26 Secret Lives of Clams and Oysters**

### **Haven Beach**

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Haven Beach Club - Kentucky Ave. and Long Beach Blvd. **GC**

Spray Beach Yacht Club - North Bay Avenue & Bay Ave **GC**

### **Beach Haven: Terrace and Gardens**

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**±± October 2 & 3 – Chowderfest Weekend – Taylor & Boat Ramp Drive**

California Grille - 13308 Long Beach Blvd. **CF**

Just Bead It - 1305 Long Beach Blvd. **GC**

Islandsurf – 1301 Long Beach Blvd. **CF**

Country Kettle Chowda and Fudge Shop - Bay Village, 9th and Bay **GC**

**±± Take a picture with your face in the clam!**

Bistro 14 - 9th and Bay Ave. **CF**

Long Beach Island Historical Association - Engleside & Beach Ave. **PI**

**±± Visitations: May – June Sat & Sun: 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM**

**±± June 28 – Sept 5: Daily 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM; Wed Evenings 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM**

**±± Sept 11 – Oct 3: Sat & Sun 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM**

**±± Historic District Walking Tours: Tues & Fri 10:00 AM at Museum**

**±± Aug 12 – Chocolate Fair 10:00 AM**

**±± More Information – call Linda (609) 492-3988**

Museum of New Jersey Maritime History, Inc - 528 Dock Rd. **GC, CF**

**±± Visitations: June – Daily: 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, July to August– Daily: 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM, September through May – Fri, Sat Sun 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM**

**±± Other Activities - Call for list (609) 492-0202**

**±± Friday - Hands On - 10:00 AM June 18 to August 27 Secret Lives of Clams and Oysters**

**±± July 23, 24, 25, 26, 27 AJ Meerwald New Jersey's Tall Ship**

**±± You can sail on her - Call for reservation and details 856 785 2060 extension 100**

Black Whale Bar and Fish House - 100 N. Pennsylvania Ave. **CF**

Polly's Dock - 112 West Ave **CF**

**±± Guided and self-guided Kayak tours – boat rentals**

**±± \_Great jumping off place to paddle around Mordecai Island – Lots of birds**

Surf Light Theater – Engleside & Beach Avenue **PI**

**±± Concerts throughout the summer for both kids & adults!**

Mordecai Island **PI**

**±± View the island from street ends on South West Avenue from Dolphin Avenue to Holyoke Avenue**

**±± Information at <http://www.mordecaimatters.org/>**

Old Coast Guard Station - Pelham Ave. and the Bay **UP**

### **Waretown**

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Sally's-Ahearn's - 158 Wells Mills Rd. and State Highway No. 532 **CF**

Holiday Harbor Marina - 115 Admiral Way **UP**

### **Bayville**

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Ocean Gate Yacht Basin - 65 Bayview Ave., Bayville **GC**

### **Forked River**

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The Inn At Rivers Edge Marina - 223 East Lacey Rd. **CF**

### **Mantoloking**

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Mantoloking Yacht Club - Bay Ave. & Downer Ave. **UP**

**±± Friday 10:30 AM - Meet the friendly volunteers and ask questions about growing and caring for shellfish**

### **Lavallette**

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The Borough of Lavallette Welcome Center - 1300 Route 35 North **GC**

The Crabs Claw Inn - 601 Grand Central Ave. **CF**

### **Seaside Park**

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Grumpy's Tackle - 906 NE Central Ave **GC**

Bum Rogers - 2207 SW Central Ave **GC**

Betty and Nick's Bait & Tackle - 8th and Central **CF**

Island Beach State Park - Rt. 35 **PI**

Island Beach State Park House Marina - 24th Ave. **UP**

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### **Toms River**

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Toms River Seaport Society - Hooper Ave. and E. Water St. **PI, GC**

±± **Giant Clam sponsored by Urner Barry Printing & Mailing**

±± **Visitation: Tues, Thurs & Sat 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM**

±± **Friday July 16 – BBQ and A-Cat races at Island Heights Yacht Club**

±± **Sunday July 18 – 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM - Wooden Boat Festival at Huddy Park, Toms River**

### **Manahawkin**

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Mud City Crab House - 1185 E. Bay Ave. **GC**

Manahawkin Shell - Mill Creek Rd. and Rt. 72. **GC**

Marine Academy of Technology and Environmental Science - 195 Cedar Bridge Rd **GC**

### **Tuckerton**

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Cape Horn Marina - 507 Great Bay Blvd. **GC**

Parson's Seafood - 468 South Green St. **CF**

Tuckerton Seaport Museum - 120 W. Main St. **PI, CF, GC**

**Visitations Daily 10:00AM to 5:00 PM**

**(Admission fee – call 609-296-8868)**

±± **Friday July 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 - Meerwald Week End Special tours and activities. Call for details.**

±± **Saturdays – June through Sept 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM Farmers Market**

±± **Thursdays - \$5 after 5:00 PM – Evenings at the Tuckerton Seaport**

±± **Fridays – Free Friday Night Concerts! Starting at 6:30 PM**

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±± **Friday August 6 - Sunday August 8, 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM - Annual NJ Maritime Heritage Festival**

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±± **Saturday & Sunday, Sept 25- 26, 7:00 AM to 5:00 PM - 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Ocean County Decoy & Gunning Show**

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or Southern Ocean County Chamber of Commerce 609-494-7211.

***Visit "Clam Friendly" (CF) merchants.  
They support us so we ask you to support them!***

***Please help !  
Register even if you only visit a few locations.  
Your registration will help us monitor the program!***





## **Giant Clam Locations**

- 1. Van's Rowboat Rental** - 8th St. & Bayview, Barnegat Light
- 2. Barnegat Light Post Office** - West 10th St., Barnegat Light
- 3. Barnegat Light State Park - Barnegat Light**
- 4. Viking Village** - 19th and Bay, Barnegat Light
- 5. Off The Hook** - 1905 Bayview Ave., Barnegat Light
- 6. LBI Foundation for the Arts and Sciences** - 120 Long Beach Blvd., Loveladies
- 7. Robbie's Loveladies Marina** - 9 Lighthouse Way, Loveladies
- 8. Harvey Cedars "Hide & Go Seek"** - see if you can find it! (Hint: ask at Harvey Cedars Shellfish Co.)
- 9. Southern Ocean County Chamber of Commerce** - 265 West 9th St., Ship Bottom
- 10. Greenhouse Café** - 6th & Long Beach Blvd., Ship Bottom
- 11. Haven Beach Club** - Kentucky Ave & Long Beach Blvd., Haven Beach
- 12. Spray Beach Yacht Club** - North Bay Avenue & Bay Ave
- 13. Just Bead it** - 1305 Long Beach Blvd., Beach Haven
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- 22. Manahawkin Shell** - Mill Creek Rd & Rt 72, Manahawkin
- 23. MATES** - 195 Cedar Bridge Rd, Manahawkin
- 24. Cape Horn Marina** - 507 Great Bay Blvd. Tuckerton
- 25. Tuckerton Seaport Museum** - 120 W. Main St, Tuckerton

## **LBI – North to South**

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## **Sea Critter Roundup**

Come cast hand-held nets with ALO. It is your opportunity to learn about and examine the creatures living in the bay.

**Tuesdays 10:00 AM**

**July 6, 13, 20, 27 August 3, 10, 17, 24, 31**

**Arlington Bay Beach, 12th Street, Ship Bottom**

**Thursdays 10:00 AM**

**July 8, 15, 22, 29 August 5, 12, 19, 26**

**Bay Beach, 25th Street, Barnegat Light**

## **Wonders of the Wetlands**

**Wednesdays 11:00 AM**

**Learn about shellfish, local birds, a coastal rain garden, alternative energy and terrapins LBI Foundation for the Arts and Sciences - 120 Long Beach Blvd.**