

CHERRY POINT'S SINGLE MARINE PROGRAM

NOVEMBER



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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29 NFL TAILGATE SUNDAYS	30		NEW BERN CIVITAN CLUB CHRISTMAS 11-21 THRU 12-6	SMP BASE CLEANUPS SEE FRONT DESK	VIRTUAL VOLUNTEERING AVAILABLE 24/7 SEE SMP DESK!	MCCS YOUTH SPORTS COACHES NEEDED!

We continuously update our website with NEW activities!

Roadhouse Hours - Monday - Sunday 11am-Midnight

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SMP NOVEMBER 2020 CALENDAR INFORMATION SHEET

Please visit <http://smp.mccscherrypoint.com>, call (252) 466-3027, or see our SMP staff at the front desk at the Roadhouse for more information and to sign up!

Authorized Patrons of ALL abilities are welcomed. Please contact SMP Staff if reasonable accommodations are necessary or with any questions.

[HAPPY 25th ANNIVERSARY, SMP!!!](#)

IMPORTANT SMP VOLUNTEER NOTES:

SMP Important Volunteer Notes!!!

- **Thank you for your generous donation of time and support to our Community! ☺**
- SMP Volunteer Events are open to ALL Active Duty, Dependents, DoD, and their guests.
- LOA's are typically available for all SMP Volunteers within 5 business days **at the SMP Front Desk**.
- Due to COVID-19 guidance, SMP is not authorized to transport personnel at this time. All activities are POV only.
- We update our website often with additional volunteer opportunities that are not on this calendar! Please also ensure to check our website for any changes in event details.
- Please pick up an SMP POV Volunteer Log at the SMP Front Desk, available anytime! Please turn in your completed SMP POV Log to the Front Desk within 14 days, so we can start processing your LOAs. LOAs will be processed once confirmed.
- Please dress for weather and please bring a water source!
- Please check our website for any specific COVID instructions for each event you are interested in. Please note that depending on the event, registration on our website is highly encouraged or required. During this time, most activities have a strict personnel limit. **Masks are required at all events.**
- Due to the ever changing COVID-19 environment, the Cherry Point Single Marine Program is committed to the welfare and morale of our Service Members. Our staff has found it in the best interest of its team and volunteers to not currently offer transportation to volunteer events to mitigate any potential risk exposures. With current state restrictions and other safety measures in place, those wishing to volunteer are still encouraged to do so and may contact the SMP front desk at 252-466-3027 or our website at smp.mccscherrypoint.com. If participating in volunteer events promoted by the SMP, please take note that our program does not and will not assume any liability or responsibility for potential to COVID-19 hazards.
- No USMC, Federal or SMP endorsement implied.

NOVEMBER VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

SMP Featured Volunteer Events of the Month!!!

Please make sure to fill out SMP POV Volunteer Log at Front Desk for LOA's!!

- **Beaufort Lions Club Beaufort Bridge 5k and Mile Dog Strut (11/7).** Assist at this great Diabetes Awareness race event, in which humans and four-legged friends participate! Help direct human and puppy race participants on the course. Meet at the corner of Turner St and Front St in Beaufort NC (411 Front St. Beaufort NC 28516 at former First Citizens Bank parking lot) at 0700; will be completed around 1030. POC on site will be Ms. Cindi Davia.
- **Craven County Clean Sweep (11/7).** Help clean up roadsides, streams, parks, and other sites in need. All supplies will be provided. You can meet at one of two locations at 0900 based on your preference: Havelock City Hall Parking Lot (1 Governmental Ave, Havelock NC 28532) OR at the Craven County Admin Building parking lot (406 Craven St, New Bern NC 28560).
- **Veterans Organic Garden (Wednesdays and Fridays! 11/4, 11/6, and 11/13). POV only.** We will be assisting the Veterans Employment Base Camp and Organic Gardens with a variety of construction and planting projects! POV only. Meet at the Roadhouse at 0815 for paperwork and directions. Will be completed around 1230. POC on site will be Ms. Lovay. Please note that the address has changed!
- **Craven County Habitat for Humanity (Fridays! 11/6, 11/13, 11/20, 0800-1200, but also available other days of the week!). POV only.** Assist with Habitat's newest builds, Restore, and Purple Heart Homes projects in New Bern (0800-1200). No experience necessary. All tools and instruction provided. Advance registration required by going to <https://cravencountyhabitat.org/>. Click on green volunteer tab. Click on blue volunteer sign up. Create an ID, password, and answer a few questions. You do not need a join code. This will take you to the calendar of events where you can sign up for whichever day best suits you! You do not need to attend the volunteer orientation before signing up – you will be briefed day of. Opportunities provided multiple days per week; please see Habitat calendar. Please wear closed toed shoes and weather appropriate civilian attire. Long pants are recommended. Hand sanitizer, gloves, PPE, and sanitized tools will be provided. Please bring a water source and your mask. POV only (New Bern). Thank you! Please feel free to contact Michelle at mhooper@cravencountyhabitat.org with any questions!
- **Carteret County Humane Society Animal Shelter (Saturdays! 11/7, 11/14, 11/21, and 11/28). POV only.** Help with walking dogs, cleaning equipment, and other projects with the dogs, cats, and facility. Max of 10 volunteers. Meet at the Animal Shelter located at 853 Hibbs Rd, Newport NC at 0800 on Saturday mornings. (252-247-7744). Please see additional instructions on our SMP website.
- **Ft Macon State Park Special Projects (11/20). POV only.** Assist with cleaning up Ft. Macon Beach and Trails and other special projects! POV only. Meet at the Roadhouse at 0800 for meeting place directions/brief; will be completed by 1400. Please bring closed toed shoes or boots, warm clothes, hat, bagged lunch (or \$ for lunch), and water source. POC on site will be Ranger on duty.
- **New Bern Civitan Club Christmas Season Volunteering (various dates from 11/21 to 12/6).** Assist the New Bern Civitan Club with unloading Christmas Trees, making wreaths, and loading Christmas Trees. A variety of dates and times available.
 - Tree unloading: Saturday, 21 November from 0800-1100. 8 volunteers requested.
 - Wreath Making: Sunday through Wednesday, 22-25 November: 0900-1200.
 - Tree loading: Friday through Sunday, 27-29 November. 3 hour shifts from 0800-2000 available.
 - Tree loading: Saturday and Sunday, 5-6 December. 3 hour shifts from 0800-2000 available.
 - POV only. Additional details will be on our website.
- **SMP Base Clean-ups.** Information on unit SMP base clean-ups is available; please contact SMP Coordinator (252-720-7351 or MerloJL@usmc-mccs.org).
- **Virtual Volunteering with the residents at Riverpoint Crest Nursing and Rehabilitation Center (locally, in New Bern). Available 24/7.** Volunteer by shooting a short and positive picture or video on your phone! Please keep file size to 5MB or less (you can scale size down with free apps such as Compress). Email to SMP Coordinator at MerloJL@usmc-mccs.org. Please keep OPSEC in mind ☺ As with ALL SMP Volunteer events, LOA's will be provided. Please call Jen or SMP Front Desk with any questions: 252-720-7351 or 252-466-3027. Thank you!
- **MCCS Youth Sports Coaching (on-going).** Volunteer on base as a Youth Sports Coach! Please contact Youth Sports at 252-466-5493. Volunteering is 3 to 5 hours per week.
- **Outer Banks Wildlife Shelter (OWLS). (TBA). POV only.** Assist OWLS with a variety of projects including building new outdoor enclosures, assisting with fencing project, and other important projects. No experience and no tools necessary. Please check back on our website (smp.mccscherrypoint.com) for dates, times, and registration details as events are scheduled by OWLS.
- **WWII Museum Restoration (Saturdays; works around your schedule). POV only.** Learn how to restore some of the coolest artifacts and vehicles from WWII. Please contact Frank at Normandy@ec.rr.com in advance to register (required). Usually occurs on Saturdays. Love of WWII history is a must and mechanical experience is a plus! Limited number of volunteer spots (6 max).
- Please check our website for additional opportunities as well as changes that may arise due to weather or COVID.

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS:

SMP Featured Events!!!

- **Marine Corps Birthday Celebration (11/10 from 1130 to 1300).** Join us for us for cake to celebrate the Marine Corps Birthday!!!
- **SMP Council Meeting (Thursday, 11/19 at 1400 at the Station Theatre).** SMP is YOUR program, so come fill us in on your recreation ideas, volunteering ideas, and QOL concerns.
- **SMP THANKSGIVING DINNER (11/26). FREE** Enjoy the Holidays with a great (and FREE) home-cooked Thanksgiving Dinner of turkey, ham, corn bread stuffing, homemade macaroni and cheese, mashed potatoes and gravy, green bean casserole, candied yams, French rolls, cranberry sauce and desserts! For single and unaccompanied Service Members AND all of those on duty, regardless of marital status. Due to COVID and capacity guidelines we are asking everyone to make reservations please. Masks are required. Additional information on our SMP website!
 - **Dine-in reservation times: 1300, 1345, 1430 and 1515. Please call 252-466-3027 to make your reservation!**
 - **To-go's for single and unit take out plates (including those on duty): 1200-1300. Please call 252-466-3027 to place your (free) order.**
 - **Please make your reservations for dine-in or to-go by Wednesday, 25 November at 1200.**
- **Tun Tavern Bible Discussion Group!** Every Tuesday at 1900 in the Roadhouse library room.
- **Fridays! Karaoke!!** Starts at 1900! Sing your favorite songs! Choose from thousands and thousands from our special online library!
- **FOOTBALL!!** Enjoy your favorite games and Roadhouse food and beverage specials!
 - **** Monday Night Football! **** Thursday Night Football! **** College Saturdays! **** Tailgate Sundays!
- **Enjoy activities every night at the Roadhouse at 1930.**
 - Monday: Ping Pong Night Tuesday: Board Game Night Wednesday: Gamer Night Thursday: Pool Night Friday: Karaoke Night (at 1900)
- **Please check our website for new activities and events!**

UPCOMING TRIPS:

SMP TRIPS!!!

- SMP is happy to assist with unit specific on-base activities at this time. Please feel free to contact the SMP Front Desk or SMP Coordinator for more information on Devil Dog Dare, fishing, kayaking, and other outdoor recreation activities.
- **Please check back on our website for additional trips coming soon!**

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