



What the Osprey Said

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2005 Marina of the Year,
Myrtle Beach Herald

2001 Marina of the Year,
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Dates to Remember

September 1

Labor Day

Be safe on the water this weekend.

September 7

Grandparent's Day

Take Grandma and Grandpa for a relaxing boat ride on the Intracoastal Waterway.

September 20

River Sweep

Volunteer to clear trash from the river during South Carolina's largest waterway clean up effort.

September 23

First day of autumn

September Hours

Sun. - Sat. 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Volunteer Instructors Sought for New Family Fishing Clinics

Experienced anglers are sought by the S.C. Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Aquatic Education Section to volunteer for a new family fishing instruction program.

The Family Fishing Clinics are designed to introduce the basics of freshwater fishing to all ages. Participants will learn how to tie fishing knots, rig rods, cast and fish.

Volunteers must attend a volunteer training session and undergo a SLED background and driving record check. Once trained, the Certified DNR Fishing Instructors will be expected to host at least two clinics a year for 15 to 25 participants and turn in the required reporting documents.

If you are interested in becoming a Certified DNR Fishing Instructor contact Lorianne Riggan (803-737-8483 or RigganL@dnr.sc.gov) to attend the upcoming Certified DNR Fishing Instructor Training to be held Sept. 6 in West Columbia.

The intention of the Family Fishing Clinics is to introduce participants with little or no angling experience or those who need a refresher to the basics of fishing to increase their future participation in the sport. Participants will learn how and where to fish and have someone to fish with to become confident anglers.

Join DNR to hook kids and families on fishing.

Source: www.SC.DNR.gov

DNR Asks Public to Report Sightings of Banded Wood Storks

During 2014, the S.C. Department of Natural Resources (DNR) banded 100 wood stork chicks with field-readable bands. The bands used are orange with black numbers. Several other color combinations are being used for other projects. Researchers throughout the southeast are banding storks as part of a collaborative project to learn more about their movements, demography and longevity.



The banded chicks have learned to fly and are dispersing as they search for food. Young storks are vulnerable to starvation as they are learning to feed efficiently. It is particularly important not to disturb groups of wading birds that are feeding in impoundments during the fall. Please do not disturb birds to read band codes.

Please report any sightings of banded wading birds to DNR at wadingbirds@dnr.sc.gov. DNR often can provide information about where and when the bird was banded.

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Marina Notes

- Cold sandwiches and biscuits are for sale inside.
- Acquire boat insurance and towing service before leaving the dock.
- If you need any boat maintenance done we will gladly put your boat on a workrack.