NOTES FROM THE FIELD

SANDY NECK NEWSLETTER

November 2023

From the Staff,

It seems fall might finally be upon us. With the changing of the season comes many exciting things to look out for at Sandy Neck!

Rafts of thousands of scoters (sea ducks) have already been seen floating on the ocean. Now is also the time of year when snowy owls may start to show up to spend the winter on the Cape. If conditions are right, we may even have cold stunned sea turtles strand on the beach.



Upcoming Events!

- November 15th | Deer Hunt Meeting (Archery)
 7pm Centerville Recreation Building
- November 20th 25th | Deer Hunt (Archery)

Learn more about sea turtles!

Last fall, Sandy Neck had a record breaking year for cold stunned sea turtles. Check out the link below from New England Aquarium to learn more about sea turtles and see where some of the Sandy Neck turtles ended up.

https://www.neaq.org/conservation-and-research/studying-and-protecting/sea-turtle-rescue/sea-turtle-tracker/

Important!

Things to do at the beach

- Take a hike! Enjoy the remaining beautiful colors of fall and check out the wildlife. There's still time to pick cranberries!
- Participate in a beach cleanup (or start your own)!

Beginning November 1st, NO campfires allowed. ORV Beach hours are 8:00am to 4:00pm.

The Gatehouse is open by appointment only. To make an appointment, please call

(508)362-8300.