



## **LETTER TO RENTERS**

Welcome to Beach Haven! We are glad you chose to spend your vacation here this year. We hope you will enjoy our beaches and the many activities we offer.

### **Recreational activities include:**

- Public playgrounds: Nelson Avenue and Taylor Avenue
- Public basketball court: Taylor Avenue
- Public boat ramp: 9<sup>th</sup> Street
- Tennis courts are located at Pearl Street, and Pickleball courts at Nelson Avenue
  - Both sports require registration and a fee during morning sessions. These are purchased at the shacks near the court.
  - Veterans can use their free seasonal passes and active-duty military and their immediate family members can use their free weekly wrist bands to play for free. These passes/bands can be acquired at the Beach Badge office with proper identification.
  - Please see the Beach Haven Borough website for more information.  
([www.beachhaven-nj.gov/departments/recreation](http://www.beachhaven-nj.gov/departments/recreation))

### **Beach Etiquette and Guidelines:**

- **Beach rules:** Please follow all beach rules posted at the street entrances and please stay off the dunes.
- **Tents:** Be advised that tents are not allowed on Borough beaches, per Borough code 55-9.
- **Guarded beaches:** 12<sup>th</sup> Street, Taylor Avenue, 5<sup>th</sup> Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Centre Street, Engleside Avenue, Pearl Street, Belvoir Avenue, Essex Avenue, between Liberty and Pelham, and between Kentford and Leeward Avenue
- **Beach badges:** required for those between the ages for 13 to 64.
  1. Senior citizen badges are available for individuals that are aged 65 and older for a one time, \$10.00 fee. They can only be purchased at the Centre Street Badge Office with proper identification. Senior citizen badges do not expire; however, a fee of \$10.00 will be charged for any replacement of such badges issued.
  2. No fees shall be charged to/collected from any person who has served, or is serving, in any of the Armed Forces of the United States; please visit the Centre Street Badge Office with proper identification.

**Borough Etiquette and Guidelines:** While you are here with us, we do ask that you be considerate of all your neighbors. We are a year-round community with families and residents who all want to enjoy the quality of life here in Beach Haven.

- **Noise control:** Please respect your neighbors and lower your noise by 10:00pm, Sunday through Thursday, and 11:00pm Friday and Saturday.
- **Bike riding:** Please be advised that, when traveling throughout Beach Haven, Beach Avenue and Atlantic Avenue (the ocean roads) are each one-way roads, with bicycle lanes.
  1. Bicyclists must ride in a bicycle lane, if one is available.
  2. If there is no bicycle lane, they must remain near the right curb or right edge of the road, moving in the same direction as traffic in the lane nearest them.
  3. Bicyclists are not permitted on the sidewalk.

- **Curfews for minors:** under the age of 18 are as follows:
  1. Beach: 9:00pm to 5:00am
  2. Borough-wide: 10:00pm to 5:00am
    - a. No loitering or remaining in or upon any public street, sidewalk, road, playground, alley, park, vacant lot, public building, place of amusement or places of business conducted for profit to which the public is invited, or unsupervised places, either on foot or upon any vehicle.
    - b. Does not apply to any minor when accompanied by parent or legal guardian.
  3. There is no vacation from parenting. We do not advise you to turn your kids “loose” to “hang out.” Although our town is very safe, problems do occur especially when large groups of unsupervised teenagers get together. We much rather you enjoy your vacation without interruptions from the police department.

Thank you! We hope you enjoy your stay here in Beach Haven. Please visit the following website for more information regarding recreational and travel information including restaurants, theatre, museums, shopping, and a full calendar of events:<https://www.visitbeachhaven.com>