From The Beaufort Garden Club Established 1959 Special Outings Edition 2021

Dear Ladies of the Club,

Rita Tomlinson has graciously planned eight (8) great hiking events for our club. This is so special that we decided to list them in a Newsbud Outings Edition for everyone's convenience. So let's get rolling!



Wed September 15 (Rain date September 22) Hikers meet at 9:45 a.m., 1800 Island Road, Harkers Island Visitor Center National Park Service. Begin at 10 a.m. Southside Loop and Willow Pond Trails for a 2.1mile roundtrip. Then add an optional ferry ride at 12:15 p.m. to Cape Lookout. \$18 roundtrip. Pack a lunch.

Wed October 6 (Rain date October 13)

Hikers meet at 9:45 a.m., 916 W. Fort Macon Rd, Atlantic Beach next to Bojangles in Atlantic Station Parking Center near Hoop **Pole Creek Trail** head. Begin at 10:00 a.m. for **1.0-mile roundtrip**.

Wed November 17 (Rain date November 24) Hikers meet at 9:45 a.m., 2303 E. Fort Macon Rd, Atlantic Beach, in the fort parking lot for the Elliott Croes Trail head at Fort Macon State Park. Begin at 10:00 a.m. for 3.2-mile roundtrip.

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Wed January 19 (Rain Date January 26) Hikers meet at 9:45 a.m. at Oyster Point Campground parking lot, Newport N.C., for Oyster Point Neusiok Trail head at Croatan National Forest. Begin at 10:00 a.m. for approx. 2 to 4 miles depending upon our group. More rustic than our other hikes.

Tues March 15 (Rain date March 22)

Hikers meet at 9:45 a.m. at 1 Roosevelt Blvd, Pine Knolls Shore, at North Carolina Aquarium, west end of parking lot near Theodore Roosevelt Nature Trail head. Start at 10:00 a.m. for **1.0-mile** roundtrip.

Tues April 19 (Rain date April 26) Hikers meet at 9:45 a.m. at John Newton Park next to the Dock House Restaurant, 500 Front St, Beaufort. Start at 10:00 a.m. for Beaufort Walking Tour using Beaufort Historic Site Map as guide. Approx. 1–1.5 miles.

Tues May 17 (Rain date May 24) Hikers meet at 9:45 a.m. at the Waystation Ticket Desk at 610 Pollock St, New Bern, for a walk though Tryon Palace Gardens. Park in the Eden Street parking lot. We will purchase tickets as a group at 10:00 a.m. (bring \$6.00 cash) and begin our walk through the gardens. Distance is your choice.

Tues June 14 (Rain date June 21) Hikers meet at 9:45 a.m. at 1501 Evans Street, Shevans Park, for a Morehead City Walking Tour. Park in Shevans Park lot. Start at 10:00 a.m. using Promise Land Heritage Walk map as a guide approx. 1–1.5 miles.



Thank you, Rita, for orchestrating these wonderful walk-a-bouts!

The Editor