

Keep Onslow Beautiful

Annual Environmental Awareness and Volunteering Opportunities

NC Arbor Day / Living Tribute Tree Ceremony

1st Friday following March 15
9am Onslow Discovery Gardens

Hammock's Beach State Park Cleanup

March - Call HBSP for info.

Earth Day – Call for Details (910) 937-1442

April 22nd

Robert L. Franck Environmental Awards

1st Thursday following April 22nd
Onslow Senior Center (RSVP)

NC Big Sweep Beach Cleanup North Topsail Beach

2nd Saturday in May 9-11am NTB Town Park @
Picnic Tables

- We offer SAT Credit Hours for High School Students!

Earth and Surf Fest

1st Saturday in July 5am-5pm NTB Onslow Beach
Access #2

www.earthandsurffest.com - Now seeking Enviro Edu Booths (free space). Please contact, Lisa_Rider@onslowcountync.gov for more info.

Great American Cleanup

MARCH - MAY Annually

Pick a public space to clean and/or green, pickup supplies from Keep Onslow Beautiful, clean, and report back. For more info, contact Lisa_Rider@onslowcountync.gov.

- We offer SAT Credit Hours for High School Students!

Beach Cleanup and Meeting Space

ALL SPRING AND SUMMER

The Keep Onslow Beautiful Committee is encouraging businesses to bring their meeting to the beach this spring and summer and participate in a free, fun, team skill building, and in support for our community environment, Beach Cleanup. The beach cleanup will act as a great start to a regular business meeting. Arrangements will be made to reserve meeting space at the sheltered picnic tables at the North Topsail Beach town park with the beach cleanup to take place at the Onslow County public beach access #4 (across the street). Beach cleanups will last 20-30minutes and all supplies (bags, gloves, water, and sunscreen) will be provided by KOB. If your business is interested in taking part in a beach cleanup this spring and summer, please contact Lisa_Rider@onslowcountync.gov for more details and to reserve a date.

- Each Participating Business will be nominated for an RLF Environmental Award in 2013-14.

Beach Litter Index Volunteering

ALL SPRING AND SUMMER

The Keep Onslow Beautiful Committee encourages citizens to help participate in the Beach Litter Index. We are seeking groups or individuals to track data and pickup trash along several sections of Onslow County beaches. For more info, please email Lisa_Rider@onslowcountync.gov.

- We offer SAT Credit Hours for High School Students!
- Each volunteer that covers at least 5 miles and reports data will be nominated for an RLF Environmental Award in 2013-14.

National Night Out in Downtown Jacksonville

1st Tuesday of August – KOB is seeking folks to hand out recycle and waste reduction info at a booth during the event.

- We offer SAT Credit Hours for High School Students!

NC Marine Debris Symposium

3rd Week in September – Locations Change Each
Year

New River Palooza

NewRiverFoundation@embarqmail.com

NC Big Sweep Beach Cleanup North Topsail Beach

2nd Saturday in October 9-11am NTB Town Park @ Picnic
Tables near tennis courts.

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Environmental Elves Program

Jacksonville Holiday Parade – Walk in the Parade to help encourage recycling and litter prevention. Must pre-register at Lisa_Rider@onslowcountync.gov

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