

**Summer 2018**

*Last Updated: 12/6/2017*

*Weekly Itinerary\**

## **Week 2 – Seniors Mysterious Ocean**

**July 16 - 20**

**Focus On: Research Techniques in the Aquarium and Out in the Field**

- Monday: 7/16 Registration (arrive 8:45 am – 9 am)  
Introductions & Games  
Expectations for the Week  
Behind the Scenes at the Aquarium  
Dock Study – Invasive Species  
Introduction to Nature Journals (entries made daily)  
Pick-up 4:45 – 5pm
- Tuesday: 7/17 Arrive 8:45 am – 9 am  
Harbor Study onboard UMass Research Boat  
Bathymetric Mapping  
Pick-up 4:45 pm – 5 pm
- Wednesday: 7/18 Arrive 8:45 am – 9 am  
Field Trip to Spectacle Island  
Ethological Studies: Animal Behavioral Studies  
Fish Dissections  
Pick-up 4:45 pm – 5 pm
- Thursday: 7/19 Arrive 8:45 am – 9 am  
Field Trip to Peddocks Island  
Salt Marsh Study  
Camping Overnight on Peddocks Island
- Friday: 7/20 Return to Aquarium  
Wrap-up  
Early Dismissal: Pick-up 12:45 pm – 1 pm

*\*This overview gives brief highlights of what are to be action-packed days of fun and adventure! All schedules are subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances such as weather, exhibit availability, awesome opportunities that arise last minute, etc.*

*Specific instructions, if necessary, of what to bring will be provided no later than the day before any trip. Please refer to the information packet available through your Parent Dashboard once registered for details of what to bring for a typical day.*