

OCEAN HAZARDS AND BEACH SAFETY: SHARKS VS. RIP CURRENTS PROGRAM

ATTENTION SCHOOLS, LIBRARIES, AND COMMUNITY GROUPS IN MONMOUTH AND OCEAN COUNTY

Summer is less than 100 days away, and New Jersey Sea Grant Consortium would like to remind all beachgoers about the **importance of staying safe at the beach**. Our Rip Current Awareness Program's "Ocean Hazards and Beach Safety: Sharks vs. Rip Currents" program **educates learners of all ages about the perils of rip currents and how to stay safe when faced with one.**

We all know rip currents can be dangerous, but are they more dangerous than SHARKS? With a lively presentation and interactive "Jeopardy"-style game that compares rip current mechanics and safe practices to shark biology and ecology, participants will walk away with knowledge and insight that will keep them safe no matter which of the two they find at the Jersey Shore.



Help keep your community out of harm's way with our "Ocean Hazards and Beach Safety: Sharks vs. Rip Currents" program. These **free, hour-long programs** are available for a limited time so reserve yours today.



For more information visit our <u>website</u> or scan the QR code. Questions? Contact Mindy Voss, Education Specialist at mvoss@njseagrant.org or 732-872-1300 ext 30.

