

Soundside Learning

This Week On The Sound

Core Sound Welcomes School Group!

Beaufort's Tiller School visits Core Sound!

Both the Core Sound Waterfowl Museum and Tiller School's fourth grade celebrated a monumental "first" this past week. For Tiller school, it was their first field trip since COVID-19 brought our world to a halt in early 2020. For the Core Sound Waterfowl Museum & Heritage Center, our first official school visit since the emergence of the virus.

Our education program partnered with retired Carteret County educators to offer three separate lessons, each focused on aspects of heritage, science, mathematics, and arts; all while learning about tales of Christmas past on Core Sound.

The fun-filled day concluded with the only thing that would seem logical during a December visit to Core Sound... a photo in front of our famous crab pot Christmas tree to mark the occasion!



A student displays his model of the *Pet*, made while learning about how Christmas used to come to Core Sound's residents.

Photo: CSWM&HC Collection



Sound Reading Material For You & Your Child

Rescue on the Outer Banks

By: Candace Ransom

On October 11, 1896, 10-year-old Sam Deal and his horse, Ginger, watch as the brave surfmen of Pea Island struggle to save the lives of nine people stranded on a shipwreck. Sam has dreamt of becoming a surfman just like the all-African-American crew, and this is his chance. Can he and Ginger help the crew rescue the victims, or will they be lost forever?

Did You Know?

In 1915 the U.S. Lifesaving Service merged with the Revenue Cutter Service to create the U.S. Coast Guard.

Christmas Through A Child's Eyes

Kid's Night At Core Sound

The return of kid's night at Core Sound was a wonderful time for all in attendance as we welcomed Mr and Mrs. Clause, enjoyed some sweet holiday treats, and painted our very own Christmas ornaments to hang on our trees!



Children gather for a picture with Mr. and Mrs. Clause,
Kid's Night 2021
Photo: CSWM Collection

This event was a wonderful reminder of the magic of this season, especially through the eyes of a child as they eagerly anticipate the arrival of Christmas morning.

Seeing the joy on each child's face as they see our outdoor light display, sit in Santa's lap, and listen to old time Core Sound Christmas stories are the things that drive us here at the Core Sound Waterfowl Museum & Heritage Center to do all that we can to truly make this special season as magical as possible. We hope that you and your family, if you have not already, will take the time to come out to one of our many holiday events this season and share in the magic of our Core Sound Christmas.



Core Sound Christmas, Kid's Night 2021
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