



## Event for November 2023

### Wilderness First Aid Class and Christmas Parade Workshop



**Date:** Saturday, November 11, 2023

**Time:** Wilderness First Aid: 10 AM to 11 AM

Christmas Parade Workshop: 11 AM to 12 PM

**Meeting point:** Assateague Coastal Trust office

**Address:** 10959 Worcester Hwy in Berlin, MD

#### Wilderness First Aid

Did you ever ask yourself what you would do if a family member or friend was injured somewhere away from quick access to emergency services? This class gives a kid-friendly and fun overview of how to recognize and care for common outdoor emergencies. Learn to treat hypothermia, heat exhaustion, and common injuries such as blisters and scrapes. You can even try to bandage a "broken" limb. However, please do not expect this to be a class to get officially certified in Wilderness First Aid. This class will be held outdoors if the weather is dry, and indoors if the weather is rainy.

#### Christmas Parade Workshop

After the Wilderness First Aid Class, we will work on the Christmas Parade decorations. This year, each participant will create a beautiful whale lantern to display at the Berlin Christmas Parade and/or to take home. The lanterns will be made from reeds and paper mâché. I promise they will look beautiful and are much easier to make than the owls two years ago! The Christmas Parade is held on Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 7pm (rain date is Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>). Meet us at the lineup at 6:30pm. The parade is usually done by 8pm.



Detailed parade information including the line up position will be published soon.

**Number of spaces available:** No limit! Please sign up for the event at [www.actforbays.org/coastkids](http://www.actforbays.org/coastkids). The Wilderness First Aid class is free for Coast Kids members and costs \$5 per child for non-members. The whale lantern workshop is also free, but only open for current and former Coast Kids members as well as summer camp participants.

#### Directions:

**From Berlin/OC:** If you are coming from South or West Ocean City go on Rt. 50 W toward Salisbury. Turn onto Rt. 113 N toward Dover. After about ½ mile exit onto Worcester Highway. Turn left at 10959 Worcester Highway (Victory Ln) immediately after the Rt. 90 underpass.

**From Ocean Pines:** Take Rt. 589 N (Racetrack Rd) toward Rt. 113. Just before entering Rt. 113, turn left onto Rt. 575 (Worcester Highway). Turn right at 10959 Worcester Highway (Victory Ln).

**From Salisbury:** Take Rt. 50 E toward Ocean City. Turn east on Rt. 90 E towards Ocean City. Exit Rt. 90 onto Rt. 113 N toward Dover. Take the first exit toward Ocean Pines and turn right onto Worcester Highway. Turn right at 10959 Worcester Highway (Victory Ln).

If you have any questions, please email to [coastkids@actforbays.org](mailto:coastkids@actforbays.org), or call the ACT office at 410-629-1538.