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Photos of the Week



A juvenile bald eagle soars above the beach.



Fort Raleigh National Historic Site's Waterside Theatre will receive all new seating before the 2022 performance season of "The Lost Colony." Read more in a recent [news release](#).



Aerial photo taken in 2011 of the Wright Brothers Monument at Wright Brothers National Memorial.

Recent News

- The Cape Chronicle newsletter has expanded to include news and information about [Cape Hatteras National Seashore](#), [Fort Raleigh National Historic Site](#) and [Wright Brothers National Memorial](#).
- Cape Hatteras National Seashore, Fort Raleigh National Historic Site and Wright Brothers National Memorial combined to host 3,981,857 visits in 2021, the most ever recorded in a single year. Additionally, America's first national seashore welcomed over three million visitors for the first time ever. [\[News Release\]](#)
- Cape Hatteras National Seashore visitors interested in receiving off-road vehicle (ORV) updates can now sign up for ORV-specific text alerts by texting CAHAORV to 333111.
- Visitors should use caution on the beach and in the water between the villages of Rodanthe and Avon due to [debris from a collapsed house in Rodanthe](#). A contractor has been hired by the owner of the collapsed house in Rodanthe to [remove the house and all associated debris](#).
- A [new Cape Hatteras webpage was created](#) to help the public and media stay updated on vessel groundings.
- Mariners are urged to use caution around dredging equipment near Cape Hatteras National Seashore's public boat ramps and marina. [\[News Release\]](#)
- By utilizing new technology and the specialized skillset of a chainsaw crew from the North Carolina Conservation Corps, the maintenance team at Wright Brothers National Memorial is working to restore the monumental landscape of Big Kill Devil Hill. To learn more, [watch this video update](#).
- Wright Brothers National Memorial will [waive its entrance fees on five more days this year](#).

To sign up for park text alerts, text NPSOBX to 333111.

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