

Town of Topsail Beach

Newsletter

April 2022



Upcoming Events

• Parks and Recreation Board Meeting • Tuesday, 4/5 @ 10:00AM

- Board of Commissioners Regular Meeting • Wednesday, 4/13 @ 6:00 PM
- Budget Workshop • Tuesday, 4/19 @ 9:00 AM
- BIS Committee Meeting • Thursday, 4/21 @ 2:00 PM
- Planning Board Meeting
 - Wednesday, 4/27 @10:00 AM

Visit the Town Website for more information on upcoming events, including locations, agendas, and any date changes or additions.

New Website

The Town of Topsail Beach recently transitioned to a .gov domain. Our new website is now topsailbeachnc.gov. But don't worry, if you visit the old site, you'll be redirected!

Please note that all Staff and Board email addresses now end in @topsailbeachnc.gov. You can find full email addresses on our website.

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Updated Credit Card Fees

As the Town moves forward with a new system, effective April 1, 2022, the Topsail Beach Fee Schedule has been updated to include a 3% Fee of the Total Charge for use of credits cards through any online or in-person credit card transactions and will remove the Website Utility Processing Fee of \$3.00 - outlined below.

Website Utility ProcessingFee\$3.00Credit Card ConvenienceFee3% of Total Charge

The Town will accept Visa, Mastercard, and Discover and customers will continue to be able to pay with cash or check. Customers will still be able to pay their Utility Bill as normal. Staff is also working to have other Town services available for online payment options in the future as well.



Paid Parking



At the March 9th Board of Commissioners meeting, Commissioners voted unanimously to implement paid parking ONLY for the South End parking lot (between Shore Line Dr and Inlet Dr.) from March 1st through October 31st (starting on **Friday, April 8th in 2022**) annually and will be enforced from 9:00AM to 5:00PM daily with free parking before and after that time. <u>Cost for parking will be \$5.00/hr with a \$25 maximum</u> <u>daily rate</u>. All parking permits will use license plates for verification and enforcement personnel will scan them multiple times a day to confirm a valid parking permit, and issue parking citations to those who have not paid for their parking.

Topsail Beach will use the "SurfCAST by Otto Connect" parking solution. This is a mobile app downloadable for Apple ("App Store") and Android ("Google Play") mobile devices. Users will setup their account, enter their license plate details, and pay for parking directly on the app.



SurfCAST by otto Otto Connect, Inc.

Topsail Sounds 2022 Summer Concert Series

Topsail Beach and Pender County Parks and Recreation are excited to announce this year's Topsail Sounds Summer concert Series line up. Concerts will be held on the 4th Tuesday of the month at 6:30 PM at the Topsail Beach Town Center in May.

Concert Dates and Bands

- May 24 The Cruise Brothers Band
- June 28 Revolution
- July 26 Randy Knight & Parrot Party
- August 23 Bacon Grease
- September 27 The Mango Band

