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## Barnegat Bay Festival

The Manchester Environmental Commission would like to invite all residents to the 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Barnegat Bay Festival to be held on Sunday, June 5<sup>th</sup>, 10am to 4pm, rain or shine, in the Island Heights section of the Bay.

The event will include many activities such as pontoon boat tours, music, Arts, crafts, food and more. Admission is free.

The festival is being sponsored by the Barnegat Bay Partnership. Their goal is to increase awareness of the ecological importance of the Bay by improving water quality and supplies, and restoring the natural habitat including nesting birds, fin and shell fish, marshland, and underwater vegetation.

The festival promises to be a fun and educational event for all. Come out on June 5<sup>th</sup>, not only to support the goals of the Partnership, but have an enjoyable day on the shores. Remember, all activities are free.

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