

## TURTLE TRIATHLON

The Turtle Triathlon is a race challenging enough for the serious athlete, or perfect to team up with family, friends or co-workers to compete! For 2012 there will be both individual and team categories.

Teams of three or individuals will kayak 1.6 miles, ride bikes 2.7 miles and run/walk 1 mile, a course from the Recreation Center to Middleton Park.

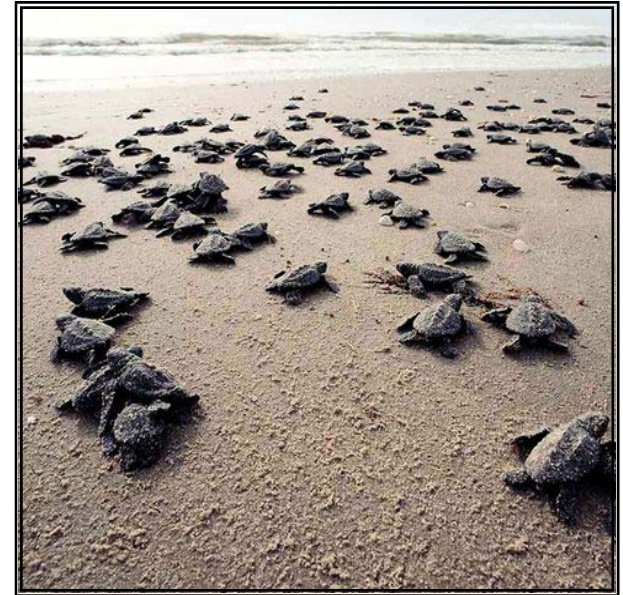
There are various age divisions along with family and business divisions. Registration fee is \$45 per team and the first 30 teams will receive a t-shirt. For more information call 278-5518 or visit [oakislandnc.com/recreation](http://oakislandnc.com/recreation).



## 1ST CRAWL ENVIRONMENTAL FESTIVAL

*"A first crawl is the first sighting of turtle tracks of the season."*

May 19, 2012  
Oak Island, NC



Oak Island Parks & Recreation Department

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# VISIT, LEARN, EDUCATE!

Oak Island Parks & Recreation Department invites you to join in this one-of-a-kind great environmental festival at **Middleton Park, Oak Island!**

Living on the coast, we face unique challenges that include the merger of development with our precious natural



resources. Learn what private, local, state, and federal groups are doing to preserve, promote, and safeguard the coastal area we call home.

The festival features live entertainment, a speakers tent with informative speakers on sea turtles, sea birds, marine rescue.



Free kids games/rides. Plus arts & crafts and food.



## FESTIVAL MISSION

Our mission for this festival is:

- *To raise awareness of the problems faced by sea turtles and other marine mammals and discuss solutions and praise achievements already made*
- *To provide environmental groups with space and opportunity to present and discuss their issues with the general public*
- *To provide the public with opportunities to get actively involved by joining and volunteering with environmental groups*
- *To have a dynamic event with multiple environmental education opportunities and practical solutions*
- *To integrate environmentally safe choices for effective use within a day- to-day lifestyle*



## FESTIVAL SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

8am – Turtle Triathlon Begins

10am – Middleton Park Opens

10:30am – Triathlon Awards on Stage

Entertainment:

10am – TBA

12pm – TBA

2pm – Festival Ends

