



### Spring 2024 Trainings

- Tue, March 5: 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.**  
(In Person)
- Sat, March 9: 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.**  
(In Person)
- Sat, March 9: 2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.**  
(Virtual)
- Thu, March 14: 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.**  
(Virtual)

It's almost our favorite time of year here at DNERR, it's horseshoe crab spawning season! And to kick off the season we will first train our volunteers.

- Survey training is required to volunteer with DNERR on the three beaches we coordinate (Kitts Hummock, North Bowers, Ted Harvey).
- Participants must be at least 13 years old to participate in the survey.
- Volunteers aged 13-17 must be accompanied by an adult at all times.
- Volunteers will be asked to complete a short quiz to assess their knowledge at the end. Past participants are required to attend a training every three years. Training attended in 2022 is the last eligible year.
- Trainings will be offered both virtually and in person.

Trained volunteers will be asked to select their preferred dates through an online registration system so we can fairly distribute survey night and beach assignments. After you provide us with your preferred survey dates, we will contact you to let you know which ones we will need your help with. The online registration link will be sent to the volunteer listserv in late March.

Thank you for your interest in the Horseshoe Crab Spawning Survey! We truly appreciate the help of all of our volunteers who take part in the survey each year - thank you for all the time you dedicate and all the help you provide.

See you at the trainings!

Sincerely,  
Taylor Beck and Laurel Sullivan  
DNERR Horseshoe Crab Survey Coordinators

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