

How you can help protect adults and hatchlings?

From March 1-November 15:



- Turn off beachside lighting or replace with certified turtle friendly lighting
- Close curtains inside all Oceanside rooms at night
- Don't use flash cameras/white flashlights on beach

-Walk along the water's edge at night, not the dune

-Don't approach, touch, or stand in front of an adult sea turtle

-Don't touch or dig out hatchlings. If you notice disoriented turtles where they shouldn't be please call 1-888-404-3922 (FWC) or 772-538-0616 (IR County)



-Fill in holes on beach

-Remove beach furniture or recreational equipment overnight

-Dispose of trash properly and recycle when possible

Want to learn more about turtles?

Reservations for nighttime guided Turtle Walks begin May 1st. All educational encounters are conducted through June and July, and space is limited.

Sebastian Inlet State Park: 772-388-2750

Sea Turtle Conservancy: seaturtlewalks.org

Friends of the Carr Refuge: Carrrefuge.org

Turtle Digs are the daytime alternative for educational sea turtle interactions. Digs are conducted in July and August after a nest hatches, and space is limited

Coastal Connections Inc.: Coastal-Connections.org

For sea turtle emergencies please call

1-888-404-FWCC (3922)



Our Focus

- Sebastian Lionfish Fest
- Turtle Digs
- Turtle Friendly Business
- Shuck N' Share
- Coastal Cleanups
- Plastic Reduction

How You Can Get Involved

Volunteer:

CCinc utilizes committed community members at the many fun events we host year-round

Set an Example:

Reduce your plastic waste, eat sustainable seafood, and encourage others to do the same

Donate:

Our organization could not be what it is without support from people like you! Visit our website to learn more and donate



Visit us at: www.coastal-connections.org