

Help make Shared Adventures Day on the Beach happen!!

What is Shared Adventures: Shared Adventures gets people outdoors and moving beyond limitation. A non-profit organization dedicated to improving quality of life for those with disabilities, we believe that recreation, fun, challenge, and access to the outdoors are essential to health and fulfillment.

What is Day on the Beach: The 32nd Annual Day on the Beach event will take place on July 11th at Cowell's Beach in Santa Cruz. Activities will include kayaking, outrigger canoeing, SCUBA diving, beach chair rides, beach games, and more! Live entertainment will be happening on the beach throughout the day.

Volunteer for the Construction Crew

What does the Construction Crew do? We build a plywood floor on Cowell's Beach & make it wheelchair accessible for one day, Saturday July 11.

Carpenters Union involved: For more than 15 years North Coast States Carpenters Union members have assisted with donations and volunteers to assist with this event. We welcome other union members to join us. We see this as a special opportunity to give back to our community.

Saturday Morning Crew, starting at 7:30 AM, we layout the Beach plan and begin spreading the panels (assembled by a small crew on Friday and trucked down from Depot Park to the head of the beach) on the sand and nail them together. Then plywood is trucked down onto the beach and spread onto the frames where it is screwed in place. Around 10 AM the event begins and folks with disabilities spend the day on the beach.

Saturday Afternoon Crew, starting about 3:30 PM we begin dismantling the tent structures, cleaning the sand off the plywood, and removing the screws. The plywood is stacked in piles on the beach for loading back into the trucks to be delivered back to Depot Park Parking Lot. The frames are brought to the head of the beach, disassembled, and the lumber loaded onto the flat bed trucks to be delivered back to Depot Park, too. Back at Depot Park, all of the plywood and lumber is stacked for storage. Then, hopefully by 6 PM, pizza arrives for a celebration of our day!!

To Volunteer for the Construction Crew

(for Saturday Morning or Saturday Afternoon or more than one)

(Saturday construction volunteer parking at Scott's Auto Body: 140 Center St)

contact Jesus at 510-410-7748 or jvegancrc@gmail.com

Recommended tools: nail bags; hammer; gloves; fully charged battery screw gun & spare battery

Find out more about Shared Adventures at www.sharedadventures.org