

EVENT SCHEDULE

All events are offered daily from Friday, July 18 through Tuesday, July 22 unless specific dates are listed below.

KICK-OFF CONCERT

Swinging Summer Nights:

The Berklee Navy Yard Concerts

Thursday, July 17

6-8:30 pm

Commandant's House Lawn

Boston National Historical Park,

Summer on the Waterfront, and

Berklee College of Music present

Charlie the Most, a 10- member rock and funk band. Food will be available for purchase. Parking is not available.

Bring a chair or blanket!

SHIPS

Charles W. Morgan

9 am - 5 pm

Pier 1

Climb aboard this 19th-century wooden whaling ship.

USS Constitution

Friday, July 18 – Sunday, July 20;

Tuesday, July 22

10 am – 6 pm

Pier 1

Experience "Old Ironsides" -- the oldest commissioned warship afloat in the world.

USS Cassin Young

10 am – 5 pm Stroll the Main Deck

Ranger Guided Tours: 10 am, 2 pm and

3 pm ; Tickets Required: FREE

Pier 1

Explore this restored World War II destroyer and meet some of its crew.

THE 38TH VOYAGE EXHIBIT

Performance & Demonstration Stage

9 am – 5 pm

Pier 1, Mystic Seaport Dockside Exhibit

- "Tale of a Whaler" interactive theater piece
- "Moby-Dick in Minutes" theater piece
- Sea music and chantey performances
- Shore side industry demonstrations: cooper, rope making, and ship smith
- "Spouter" life-size inflatable sperm whale
- Whaleboat out of the water for visitors to board
- Introduction Video: "Making History Again. The 38th Voyage of the Charles W. Morgan"

Wishes for the Whales

9 am - 5 pm

Pier 1, Mystic Seaport Dockside Exhibit

Write or draw your contribution to a humpback whale sculpture

NOAA's Stellwagen Bank National Marine Sanctuary Dockside Exhibit Booth

9 am - 5 pm

Pier 1, Mystic Seaport Dockside Exhibit

Discover how National Marine Sanctuaries interprets our maritime past, promotes ocean conservation, and are engaged in cutting-edge research through activities and multi-media displays.

ON THE WATER

Whaleboat Activities

Offered by Courageous Sailing Center

Friday, July 18 – Monday, July 21

9 am – 11 am and 3 pm – 5 pm

Pier 4

- Whaleboat demonstrations: educational talk using whaleboat and tools.
- Visitor rowing and racing opportunities.

Sailing Then and Now

Offered by Courageous Sailing Center

Pier 4

Friday, July 18, 4 pm – 6:30 pm

Saturday & Sunday, July 19 & 20, 12

pm – 5 pm

30 Minute sails in Boston Harbor

MUSEUM OFFERINGS

A Sailors Life at Sea: USS Constitution Museum

9 am – 5 pm

Pier 1 and First Ave.

Are you ready for a life of adventure?

Hands-on programs about life at sea in the early 1800s; from writing a message in signal flags to getting a sailors' tattoo!

- *All Hands on Deck: A Sailor's Life in 1812*. Explore the harsh realities of life at sea.
- *Old Ironsides in War and Peace*. The Ship's first 200 years.
- *Old Ironsides War of 1812 Discovery Center*. Find out about the War of 1812 through games and other interactive exhibits.
- *Constitution vs HMS Java*. Learn about the bloody battle between USS Constitution and HMS Java.

Performance by Boston Area Chantey & Maritime Singers

Sunday, July 20

2-5 pm

USS Constitution Museum

MORE DOCKSIDE ACTIVITIES

Whale Days

Offered by New England Aquarium

Saturday, July 19 & Sunday, July 20

9 am – 5 pm

Pier 1

Using interactive exhibits, learn about the intelligence and biology of marine mammals, and how researchers study them. The program's show-stopper is a life-sized inflatable right whale.

Boston Jigsaw Geography

Offered by Leventhal Map Center,

Boston Public Library

Monday, July 21,

9 am – 5 pm

Pier 1

History on Wheels Activity Carts

Offered by Boston National Historical Park

10 am – 5 pm

Pier 1

Maritime Related Activities for Children and Adults

- Twisted Strands: Rope Making
- Navigation Station

The 1812 Marine Guard:

Saturday, July 19 & Sunday, July 20

9 am – 3 pm

Join the 1812 Marine Guard and their special guests The Free Men of the Sea in learning the life of sailors and marines during The War of 1812.

- Visit their camp on the lawn of the Commandant's House.
- Observe authentic camp life of the period.
- Follow the fifers and drummers to Pier 4.
- Watch the gun drills and musket firing in Shipyard Park.

Put Your Name on the USS

CONSTITUTION: (Tentative)

Friday, July 18 & Monday, July 21

9 am – 3 pm

Pier 1

Sign your name to the copper sheets that will be part of USS CONSTITUTION's Hull.

Boston

National Historical Park

National Park Service
U.S. Department of the Interior



The 38th Voyage of the Charles W. Morgan



Courtesy of Mystic Seaport

The Charles W. Morgan

During her 38th Voyage, the *Charles W. Morgan* will dock at the Charlestown Navy Yard in Boston, Massachusetts, July 18-22, 2014. The last wooden whaleship in the world will be berthed next to *USS Constitution* and will be open for the public to board.

Take the opportunity to explore the 19th-century vessel, learn more about the *Morgan*, whales, and whaling in the 22,000 square-foot dockside exhibition. Find out how Mystic Seaport shipwrights restored the National Historic Landmark vessel and made her seaworthy for this voyage. Watch as Mystic Seaport interpreters demonstrate the 19th-century maritime skills of a cooper, shipsmith, and ropemaker, or interact with a costumed roleplayer from 1876 and listen to live music and sea chanteys from Mystic Seaport's chantey staff. This is an exciting, one-time event that is not to be missed!

Stop in the Boston National Historical Park Visitor Center to learn the history of the Charlestown Navy Yard, take a tour with a National Park Service Ranger, discover what it takes to be a maritime sailor with hands on activities at the USS Constitution Museum and get out on the water with whaleboat and sailing activities at Courageous Sailing Center.

Boston National Historical Park

Boston National Historical Park is a unique collaboration of federally, municipally, and privately owned and operated historic sites associated with the colonial struggle for independence and the birth and growth of the nation. These nationally significant attractions include the Old South Meeting House, the Old State House, Faneuil Hall, the Old North Church, the Paul Revere House, the Bunker Hill Monument, the Bunker Hill Museum, Dorchester Heights, and the Charlestown Navy Yard including *USS Constitution*, the USS Constitution Museum, and *USS Cassin Young*.

