

# Stepping Up to the Plate- Myrtle Beach Sports Volunteer Quarterly Newsletter



## Myrtle Beach Sports Volunteer Program

Welcome to our Fall 2021 newsletter, *Stepping Up to the Plate!* We just wrapped up the Visit Myrtle Beach Club Challenge meet and the Diamond Sports Group 2021 Spring All-American Games. We are excited about our upcoming events and want to share these experiences with you! We take pride in each season of city-sponsored events, and provide you with FUN, fulfilling volunteer opportunities.

Volunteers play a vital role in our community. You will have the satisfaction of knowing that you created so many memories for the athletes and their families. Thank you all who came out to volunteer!

For the winter 2021 season, we have various volunteer opportunities. Please reach out to our Myrtle Beach Sports Volunteer Coordinator:

Jordin Anderson at [MyrtleBeachSportsVolunteers@cityofmyrtlebeach.com](mailto:MyrtleBeachSportsVolunteers@cityofmyrtlebeach.com) if you are interested in volunteering or for more information.

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Myrtle Beach Sports Shining Star Volunteer

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## Meet this season's Myrtle Beach Sports *Shining Star* volunteer, T'Mars McCallum

T'Mars has been volunteering his time for many years with the City of Myrtle Beach and the Myrtle Beach Track and Field Club.

**1. What is your involvement with the Myrtle Beach Track and Field Club and how long have you been with the Myrtle Beach Track and Field Club?**

Currently, I serve as President of the Myrtle Beach Track and Field Club. This is my second year as president. I previously served as President in 2014. I also previously served as Volunteer Coordinator. I have been volunteering with the club for the past 10 years.

**2. What is your favorite volunteer memory at the Visit Myrtle Beach Club Challenge?**

I am not sure if I have a favorite volunteer memory. I just enjoying watching the youth compete. It is always a great experience!

**3. What has been your responsibilities volunteering at the Visit Myrtle Beach Club Challenge?**

I have volunteered in the following capacities: awards, clerking and escorting athletes from clerking to start line.

**4. Why would you recommend someone to volunteer with the City of Myrtle Beach?**

It is a great opportunity to meet new people and to immerse yourself in the sport of track and field. As a former athlete and now parent of two athletes, it is a great opportunity to help the meet run successfully and give back to the sport that has given so much to my children and me.

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Looking Ahead

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## Fall 2021

Currently, we do not have any scheduled volunteer opportunities for this Fall. Below are volunteer opportunities we have available for our 2021 Winter months.

### **2021 Diamond Sports Group Winter Shine:**

Grab your friends and family to volunteer at the 2021 Diamond Sports Group Winter Shine! Diamond Sports Group is designed to be a bring light to athletes that might not normally get the opportunity to participate in a national team/individual combine opportunity. It is one of the largest growing and most successful programs of its kind coming right here to Myrtle Beach. The purpose of which is to connect talented student athletes with collegiate programs willing to offer student athletes full or partial scholarships. The intense training and assessment is an exciting time for the athletes and a vital step in achieving their dreams. Organization heads please gather groups of 5 or 6 people to volunteer. All volunteers age 14 and above are welcome!!!

**When:** Friday November 26th, Saturday November 27th, and Sunday November 28th

**Location:** Doug Shaw Memorial Stadium 705 33rd Ave N, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577

### **Job Positions and Descriptions:**

**Chain Crew** - Help indicate where the first down and yards to gain is

**Down Marker** - Show what down and yard line the ball is at

**Scoreboard Operator** - Start/stop the game clock and add points to the scoreboard

**PA Announcer** - Calling out player's name and number of who carried the ball and who made the tackle.

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**When:** Monday December 27th, Tuesday December 28th, Wednesday December 29th, Thursday December 30th, and Friday December 31st

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For these specific events, we ask that all volunteers must be at least 14 years of age. City of Myrtle Beach volunteers 18+, are required to submit to, and pass, a background check.

To volunteer at any of these events, sign up at [officialmyrtlebeachsports.com/volunteer-application](https://officialmyrtlebeachsports.com/volunteer-application)

**In addition to drinks and snacks, we also will be providing you with an official Volunteer T-Shirt!**

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**Volunteers  
putting their best  
foot forward at  
each field event!**



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## Upcoming Events

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### **2021 GRAND PARK ATHLETIC COMPLEX EVENTS**

#### **July**

14-26 Triple Crown Summer Nationals (Youth Baseball)

28-1 Triple Crown East Coast Summer Nationals (Youth Softball)

#### **August**

5-8 Youth World Series (Youth Baseball)

12-15 Youth Nationals All American Games (Youth Baseball)

21-22 USSSSA Softball (Adult Softball)

28-29 Beach United Pre-Season Classic (Youth Soccer)

#### **September**

3-5 GSL Conference Championships (Adult Softball)

11-12 Perfect Game (Youth Baseball)

17-19 Freedom Worlds #1 (Adult Softball)

24-26 Freedom Worlds #2 (Adult Softball)

#### **October**

2-3 YMCA Great Carolina Shootout (Youth Soccer)

5-10 One Nation Fall Nationals (Adult Softball)

12-17 ISSA Open National Championships (Senior Softball)

### **2021 DOUG SHAW MEMORIAL STADIUM EVENTS**

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11-12 American Football Events (Women's Football)

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## **2021 Ned Donkle Athletic Field Complex**

### **July**

14-26 Triple Crown Sports Summer Nationals (Youth Baseball)

22-25 Triple Crown East Coast Summer Nationals (Youth Softball)

28 -1 Triple Crown East Coast Summer Nationals (Youth Softball)

### **August**

5-8 Youth World Series (youth baseball)

### **September**

3-5 Top Gun Sports (youth softball)

### **October**

2-3 Goombay Kickin at the Beach (Adult Kickball)