

Hello Beach Bums!

Sign-ups for seats on our November 8th trip to New Smyrna Beach are now open. Many of our members request New Smyrna Beach to enjoy the laid back atmosphere, beach, shop, dine, and explore the town. This year on the way home we will make a 30 minute stop at Buc ee's just for fun. Please mail to the trip leader noted below. Make your checks payable to: Northern Beach Bums Club (NBBC). NBBC club information, forms, and policies can be found at our web site: <https://northernbeachbums.org/>

When you fill out your registration form, and want to be matched on a bus with others, please only place the names of your friends in the required section if:

- A) You know they are coming
- B) They list your name on their form. Please help us out not searching for “ghosts”.

**Upcoming Schedule:**

1. December 5th - End of Year Party – “Sand Between My Mistletoes” - 5:30pm Savannah Center - Vocalist Da J. “Lady in Black” and friends. Catering from Gio Deli = Chicken Marsala, Baked Zita, Meatballs & more! Cost will be Partially subsidized by NBBC

**TRIP INFORMATION:**

New Smyrna Beach, FL and Buc ee's Daytona  
Trip Leaders: Reggie Gambino, Bobbie Vayo

**When:** November 8th, 2023

**Where:** New Smyrna Beach, FL

**Bus boarding:** 9:00 am at Lowe's Parking Lot. Hwy 441, behind the Cracker Barrel Restaurant

**Arrival:** Approximately 10:45 am

**Re-board Bus to Buc ee's:** 4:15 pm

**Arrive Buc ee's:** 4:50 pm

**Reboard Bus to home:** Board at 5:20pm, we depart at 5:30pm.

**Arrive TV:** 7:15 pm

**Price:** 26.00 per person (includes bus transportation and driver gratuity)

**All NBBC trips are Non-refundable**

Payment and Trip Registration form must be received by October 6th . Please make checks payable to Northern Beach Bums Club (NBBC). Mail with a trip Registration Form.

<https://northernbeachbums.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/2023TripRegistration.pdf>

**Mail to:**

Reggie Gambino  
1813 Englewood St.  
The Villages, FL 32162

If needed, seats will be distributed by lottery. Notice of bus assignments will be provided by October 25th. If you are not chosen, we will contact you to see if you wish to be put on the wait list. If you want to ride with a spouse or a bus partner, please sign up together with one check. This way you will be assigned together. Only 2 seats can sign up (enter lottery) together. All NBBC trips are Non-refundable, participate at your own risk. If you want to request seats with other members please read the trip registrations form.

**Trip Description:**

The star attraction in New Smyrna Beach is its 17-mile stretch of white sandy beaches, located on Florida's Central Atlantic Coast and under 2 hours from The Villages. New Smyrna Beach has firm sand, is very wide, and simply a great place to walk, catch a little sun or just relax. The beach is very clean and has clean public restrooms close by. There are several restaurants and shops within an easy walk down Flagler Avenue. Known for its coastal architecture and personality, New Smyrna Beach is a prime location for visitors looking for a laidback community filled with hidden adventures. The area is surrounded by intriguing history, artistic talents, one-of-a-kind boutiques, local eateries. The beach amenities include lifeguards, chair/umbrella rentals, outside shower, and clean restrooms. New Smyrna Beach is a dry beach, no alcohol permitted, but there are numerous restaurants and bars on the beach and on Flagler Ave. The closest bars are The Breakers, Crabby's Bar and Grill, and Ocean Breeze Tiki Bar & Lounge . Chair/umbrella rentals are first come and may not be located close to the water as this is a drive on beach. Great ice cream can be found at Treats on the Beach within a short walk, which boasts 50 flavors of soft and 22 flavors of hard-packed ice cream.

Safety Warnings: New Smyrna Beach at Flagler Avenue Beach is drivable. Be careful when crossing the designated driving path. Volusia County beaches are known for shark sightings. Sharks are occasionally in the area typically at dusk and usually further down the beaches at surfer locations. It is occasional, but you should note to swim at your own risk and be aware of your surroundings.

As always on an NBBB trip; you will be on your own for the afternoon. You can enjoy the beach or explore Flagler Ave where you can enjoy an abundance of restaurants, shops, boutiques, art galleries, jewelry shops and more.

**Info links:**

<https://visitsbfl.com/>

<http://flaglerave.com/map/#restaurants>

<http://flaglerave.com>

<https://crabbysnsb.com>

<https://breakersnsb.com/>

<http://manzanonsb.com>

<https://thirdwavensb.com>

See you at the Beach!

Kathy, Reggie & Bobbie