

# Marine Mammal Stranding Workshops for First Responders

**Save the date!**

Presented by the Conserve Wildlife Foundation of New Jersey

The purpose of this FREE 1-day workshop is to help first responder personnel (local police, park staff, animal control personnel, lifeguards, etc.) to understand how to handle marine mammal and sea turtle strandings.

We will look at how to identify the species of marine mammals and sea turtles which occur in New Jersey waters, regulations which pertain to marine mammal and sea turtle protection, proper procedures are for responding to a stranding, and how to handle public interaction with stranding events.

Free lunch will be provided for all attendees!

All attendees will also receive a detailed manual on stranding response, regulations, important contact information, and do's and don'ts in a stranding situation.

Two workshop dates are available:

**Friday, May 9, 2014** Monmouth University, West Long Branch (Monmouth County), NJ

**Monday, May 19, 2014** Stockton College, Galloway (Atlantic County), NJ

If you are interested in attending, please contact Charlene Smith to register or to request further information.

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Space is limited please register by: May 2<sup>nd</sup> for the May 9<sup>th</sup> training and

May 12<sup>th</sup> for the May 19<sup>th</sup> training.

