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Fall Frolic: A Free “Share the Harbor” Cruise to Spectacle Island on Oct. 20

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Save the Harbor/Save the Bay – in partnership with Boston Harbor Now, the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) and the National Park Service (NPS) – will host a free “Share the Harbor” cruise to Spectacle Island on October 20. This special trip will extend the season for the public to enjoy this unique piece of the Boston Harbor Islands National & State Park.

“We’re excited to work with our partners at Boston Harbor Now, DCR, and NPS to open up the park to the public for a great fall day,” said Chris Mancini, Vice President for Programs and Operations at Save the Harbor. “We are all looking forward to introducing visitors to Spectacle Island in a whole new way after the summer has ended.”

Reservations are required for this free cruise. Reserve your spot at <https://tinyurl.com/sharetheharbor-10-20-2018>.

On the 20th, Save the Harbor’s troupe of costumed

pirates will share songs and stories of the sea. In addition visitors to Spectacle Island will have the opportunity to join Save the Harbor and park staff for fishing and crabbing on the pier, kite flying on the North Drumlin and tours of the island, including a “Treasures of Spectacle Island” tour of Treasure Beach. Visitors can also explore the island on their own, relax to live jazz music or join in the fun of a heart-healthy hike and a junior ranger swearing in ceremony.

“Save the Harbor would like to thank all our foundation funders, corporate sponsors and the more than 1,000 individual donors who help make our work possible,” said Mancini. “We’d also like to thank Bay State Cruise Company and Mass Humanities for helping to make this “Share the Harbor” trip to discover the ‘Treasures of Spectacle Island’ possible.”