

Discover the hidden gem of Shell Key, an uninhabited barrier island with pristine white sand, warm waters, and abundant shelling opportunities. Bring snorkeling gear to get an underwater view of what this beautiful island has to offer. Dolphin, manatee, starfish, conch, and huge pelicans are just a few of the wildlife you may see on the way to this unforgettable trip. Just a 45 minute boat ride from MacDill's marina, this trip is available to active duty, dependents, veterans, retirees and DOD civilians.

Please pack for a day at the beach to include sunscreen, towels and sun protective gear. While there are no facilities on the island, restrooms are available at the marina prior to departure. Space is limited for this trip. A large, shared cooler will be provided for guests to store food, snacks, and water in and to minimize space on the boat. Alcohol, glass, pets, kites, and drones on the island are prohibited.

Guests will depart at 8am and return approximately 4pm-5pm. Weather conditions and boat traffic may dictate speed over and back. Please plan to be out all day. If weather, causes trip to be cancelled/rescheduled a full refund may be issued. No other refunds issued unless affected by a mission-related last minute TDY or PCS.



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