

Last recreational water quality report of the season...

Arundel Rivers Federation Water Quality Report:

Please keep in mind that swimming is not recommended after a major rain event. These samples are collected Thursday morning and go through a 24 hour processing at Anne Arundel Community College. Rainfall can impact bacteria results (often increasing bacteria in the water). We are testing for enterococcus, which is an indicator of E coli. We follow the EPA and State recommendation of a threshold of 104cfu (colony forming units).

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Additional information for water quality reporting may be found by visiting Anne Arundel County Department of Health Recreational Water Quality monitoring, The Swim Guide, and State of Maryland's Department of the Environment. Links provided below.

Bacteria Results: August 31, 2023, 2023

Enterococci Bacteria

Passing threshold of 104 cfu (colony forming units)



South River

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|---|---|
| Meets Water Quality Standard: 0 - 103 cfu | Meets Water Quality Standard: 0 - 103 cfu |
| Berkshire (Beards Creek) | Selby Beach |
| Broadview/Preserve (Broad Creek) | South Haven (Broad Creek) |
| Edgewater Beach | Southdown Shores (Beards Creek) |
| Glen Isle Beach | South River Park (Warehouse Creek) |
| Hambleton Estates | Sylvan Shores |
| Harbor Hills Yacht Club | Sylvan Shores - Hardesty's Cove |
| Hillsmere Beach | Fails Water Quality Standard: 104 cfu or higher |
| Hillsmere Marina | Upper Beards Creek |
| Londontowne | Wilelinor (Church Creek) |

Rhode River

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| Meets Water Quality Standard: 0 - 103 cfu | Meets Water Quality Standard: 0 - 103 cfu |
| Cub Neck Creek (Holly Hill Harbor) | Lerch Creek |
| | School Creek |
| | West River Sailing Club |

Key: Meets Water Quality Standard: 0 - 103 cfu
Fails Water Quality Standard: 104 cfu or higher

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The Swim Guide - Hillsmere Reports

Anne Arundel County Department of Health - Water Quality
Reporting

MD Dept of Environment - Current Beach Conditions

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