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Lots to see and do at yacht club

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f vou travel down to the dock area in Montauk, you can find one of the popular places where boats dock. It is the Star Island Yacht Club. It is a fun place for kids to go. There is a pool and a playground, and if you own a boat, you can keep it there.

Each summer there is a shark tournament that brings tourists to see who can catch the biggest shark. There is a model of the actual size of the shark in the

movie "Jaws" there. Frank Mundus caught the shark in Montauk in 1986.

During the tournament, fishermen bring their catch to the dock at Star Island. The fish that weighs the most wins money for the person who caught it.

At Star Island you can also get lunch at a restaurant. My dad is the cook there, and he works all summer long. Did you know that if you catch fish that day, you can do a "hook and cook"?

Star Island Yacht Club is a fun place to go for the summer, and I love playing



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there and watching the boats come in and out of the inlet. If you want to plan a visit, look it up online at starislandyc.com