

EXPLORE

Cape Canaveral Lighthouse



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The Cape Canaveral Lighthouse is located on Cape Canaveral Space Force Station. It is the only working lighthouse owned by the United States Space Force.

This is where it all started. In the 1950s, the first rockets were launched in the shadow of the Lighthouse. Today, as in those early days, new launch pads are rising again near the lighthouse. The 45th Space Wing continues delivering space launch, range and combat capabilities for the Department of Defense, NASA, NOAA, commercial users and NOTU.

The lighthouse tower, built in 1868 and moved to its present location in 1894, stands 151 feet tall. During restoration in 2007, the original brass cupola was refurbished and reset atop the tower.

A keeper's cottage has been completed to match the original (one of three to be built) and serves as a museum and gift shop. There, visitors can learn the history of the lighthouse and how lighthouse keepers worked to help ships navigate safely off the shores of Cape Canaveral.

Funding for building the first of the three keeper's cottages came from the Tourist Development Council through the Brevard County Commission and the State of Florida.

Join the Foundation & help preserve history!

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I would like to volunteer

Membership Categories

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| Head Lighthouse Keeper | \$100 |
| Lighthouse Keeper (family) | \$50 |
| Lighthouse Keeper (individual) | \$35 |
| Student Membership | \$15 |

You can also set your membership to automatically renew through PayPal. The sustaining membership levels offer a discount from the annual membership levels.

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| Head Lighthouse Keeper | \$90 |
| Lighthouse Keeper (family) | \$40 |
| Lighthouse Keeper (individual) | \$30 |

We also have lifetime membership levels.

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| Life Membership (2 family members) | \$1,500 |
| Life Membership (single) | \$1,000 |

Membership dues are tax deductible. To join by mail, make check payable to Cape Canaveral Lighthouse Foundation and mail to:

Cape Canaveral Lighthouse Foundation
P.O. Box 1978
Cape Canaveral, FL 32920

Join or renew online at CanaveralLight.org.

For help or for questions, call Ms. Christine Ecker, CCFL membership chair at 321-591-5593.

Leave your mark on history with engraved bricks.



New bricks are being laid in a historically accurate manner to recreate walkways that once linked the keeper's cottages to the lighthouse.

Purchase a 4" by 8" brick: \$150 (includes three lines, up to 12 characters per line).

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designs (pictured on our website) are available for an additional \$20. Donations are tax deductible. CCLF members receive a 10% discount. Order online @ CanaveralLight.org or mail this order form with a check to Cape Canaveral Lighthouse Foundation, P.O. Box 1978, Cape Canaveral FL 32920.

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LINE 3 _____

Keep the light shining!



What was once, will be again.

The Cape Canaveral lighthouse was built more than 150 years ago, before the port, before the missiles and the rocket launches. Start your exploration of the history of Cape Canaveral and its link to America's space program at the Cape Canaveral lighthouse.

While the new rocket launches bring renewed interest, there is added excitement for those who love and want to preserve the history of the lighthouse.

Proceeds from membership dues, Keeper's Closet gift shop sales and donations go to managing the lighthouse and museum and the development and construction of additional Keeper's Cottages to enhance the historical value and the visitor experience of the lighthouse.

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Buses depart from Port Canaveral's Exploration Tower

Tours of approximately four hours are available. In addition to stopping at the lighthouse, tours include exploration of the past & current launch complexes, stops at historic launch sites, memorials and Sands Space History Center. Admission to Exploration Tower is included in the Lighthouse tours. Advance reservations are required. Book tours online at CanaveralLight.org or by phone at 321-307-2900.

Weekly "Rise to Space" tours that stop at the lighthouse are also available through the Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex.