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VIRGINIA BEACH

3 to swim in support of peace

Three men calling themselves "swimmers for peace" will stage a short swim in the ocean at 8 a.m. today to call attention to the United Nations' International Year of Peace.

Spokesman Druhva Hein said the swimmers will enter the water about 8 a.m. at 27th Street. He said the swimmers, who have put on similar demonstrations around the world, plan to swim for about a mile.

Informed that the water temperature was only 40 degrees, Hein said, "Maybe they won't swim quite that far."