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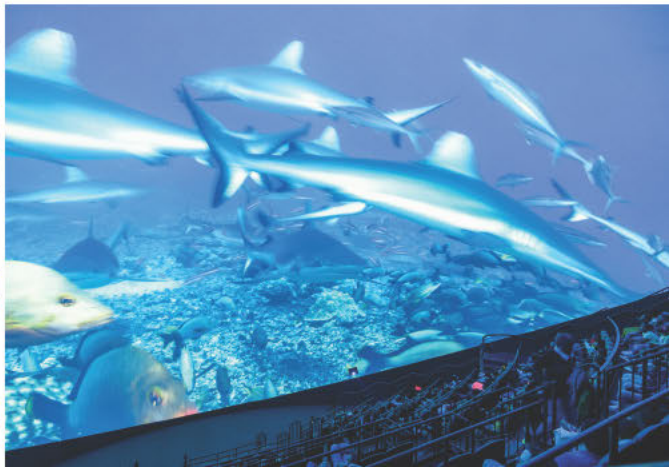
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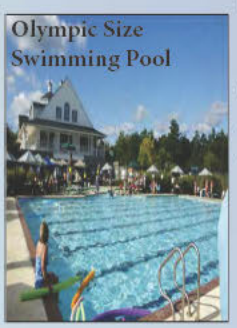




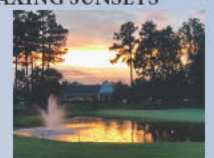








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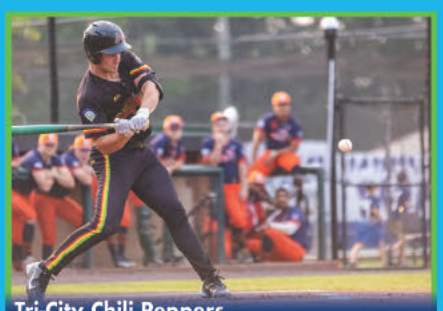
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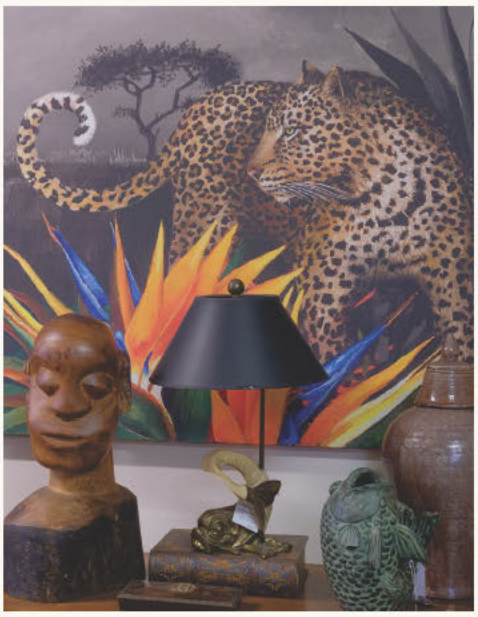
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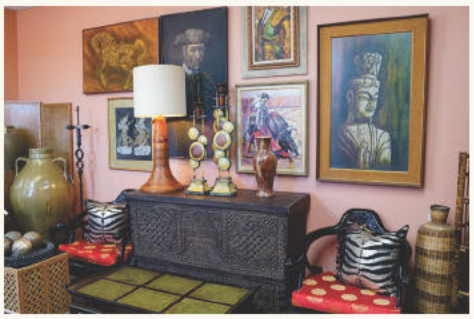








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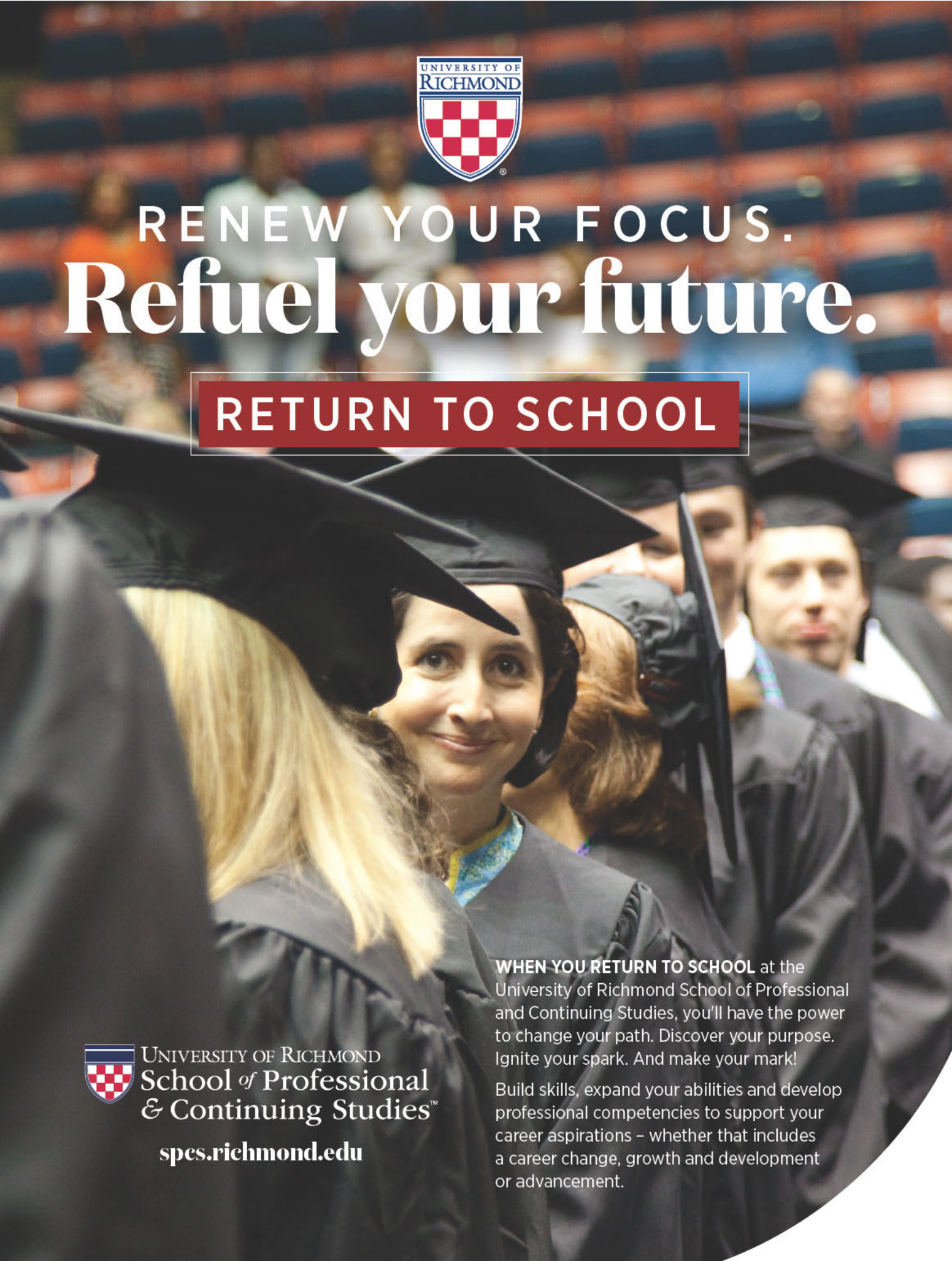
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museums

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RESTAURANTS

150
STREET MURALS

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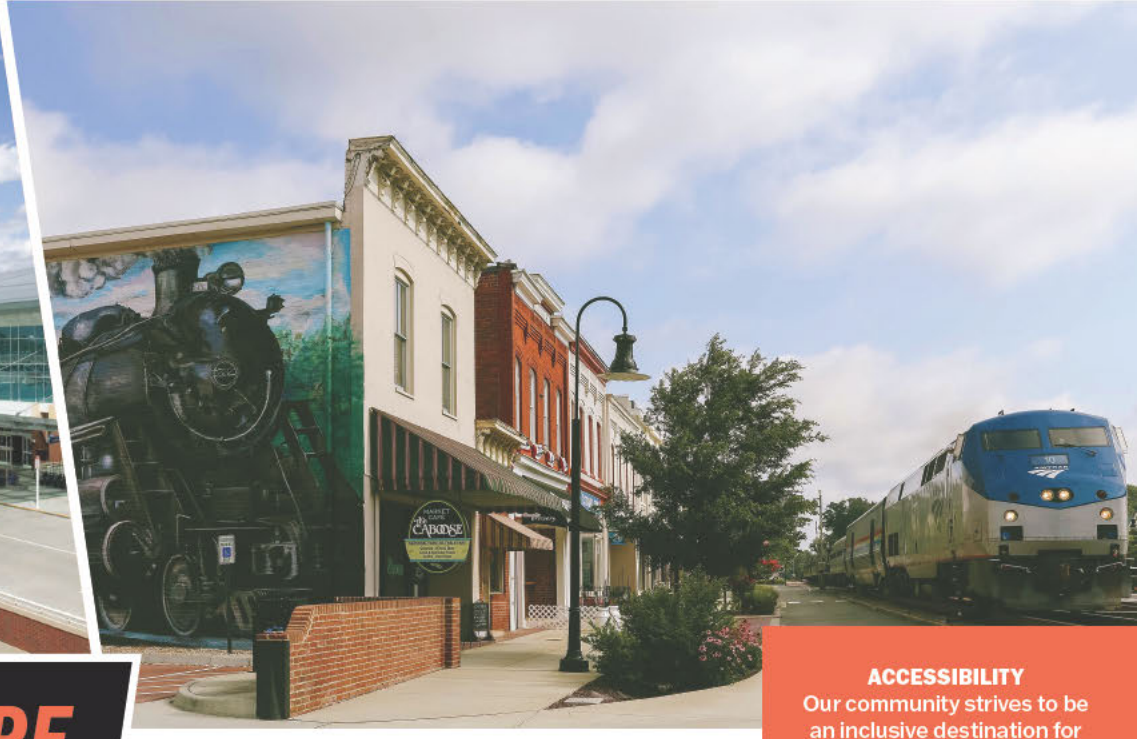
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Kul Wheels (*kulwheels.com*)

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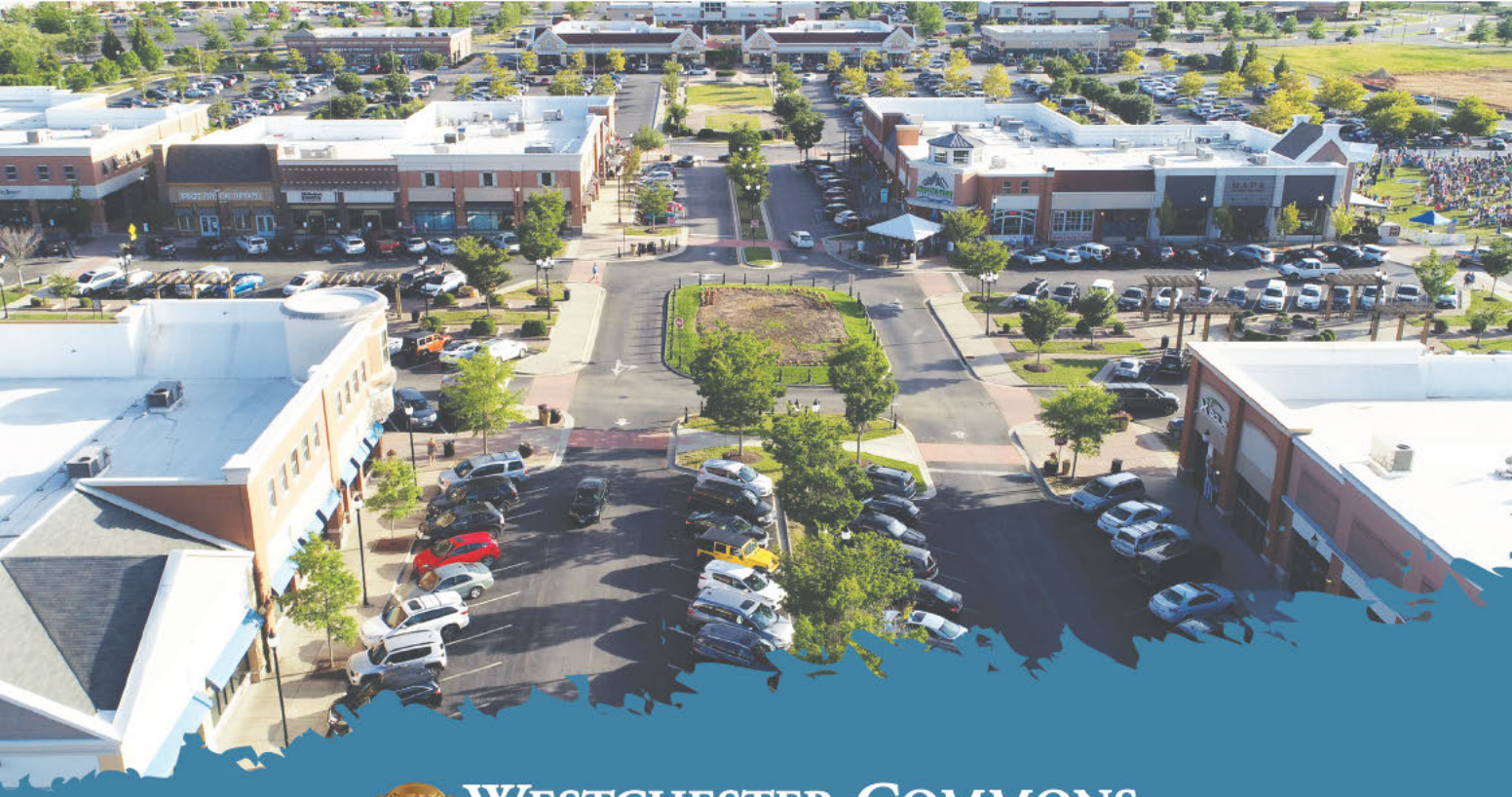
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The **Bus Rapid Transit** (BRT) Pulse line serves downtown Richmond with buses every 15 minutes (or faster) daily from morning to late evening.

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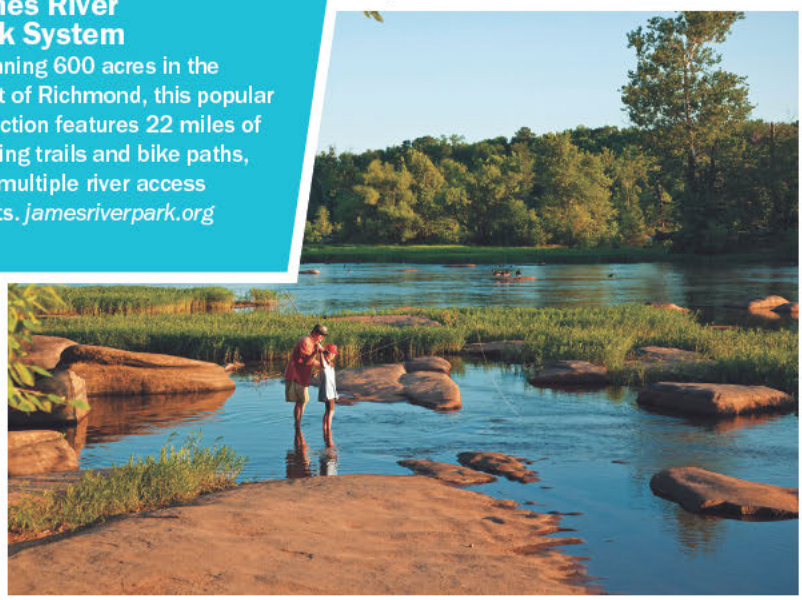
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Maymont

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Historic Polegreen Church

The original church, circa 1747, was led by the Rev. Samuel Davies, who inspired Patrick Henry and influenced the struggle for religious freedom. The steel frame outline, designed by architect Carlton Abbott in 2000, was based on sketches made before the church was destroyed during the Civil War. *historicpolegreenchurch.org*



Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden

Stroll through more than a dozen themed gardens, including a spectacular conservatory and a hands-on children's garden with splash pad and treehouse. The garden is a spectacular setting for outdoor concerts and events throughout the year, culminating with GardenFest of Lights, named the best Botanical Garden Holiday Lights by USA Today. *lewisginter.org*



Metro Richmond Zoo

Stare down a tiger, feed a giraffe by hand and ride a tram past a herd of antelope at a 150-acre zoo known for its unforgettable animal encounters. The Treetop Zoofari and Junior Explorer zipline courses let you view the wildlife from a unique angle. *metrorichmondzoo.com*



Taylor Farm

Just minutes from the airport, this brand-new park is the perfect place to stretch your legs. Zoom down the zipline, climb up the treehouse and bring your bike or skateboard for the All Wheel Park, which includes a skate park and flow bowl/pump track. *henrico.gov/rec*



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Appomattox River Trail System

Serene views of the river and the native wildlife, fishing areas, small boat launches and quirky sculptures of sturgeon are all on offer at this growing greenway in Colonial Heights. *colonialheightsva.gov/9/things-to-do*



"The Richmond Region has become a dynamic and luxurious escape in recent years, with some wildly good dining, cultural and accommodation options..."
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Redemption BBQ
Pastor turned pitmaster John Vest serves everything from pulled pork, burnt ends and brisket to sandwiches such as a Cuban; he also makes a mean deep-dish pizza. Southern Living named this Henrico spot one of the South's Best New Barbecue Joints in 2024. *redemptionbbq.com*

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DINING & DRINKS

Southern Living, Forbes, USA Today, CNN — Richmond's food and beverage scene has been making all the headlines. Taste your way through the region, from award-winning restaurants to lesser-known gems. We invite you to enjoy local chefs' takes on Southern and soul food, boozy brunches, and our burgeoning craft beverage scene.



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Marylous
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Richmond Region Mimosa Trail

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The Estate Restaurant & Lounge

Newly opened in Colonial Heights, this getaway is a sophisticated spot to unwind. Cozy into a club chair for craft cocktails, post up on the patio for lunch or dine in style on elevated entrees, including salmon, lamb lollipops and ribeye steak. *estateloungeva.com*



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1870 Restaurant & Bar

A new offering from award-winning chef David Dunlap, this French-inspired seafood and steakhouse is located inside a historical property. The upstairs bar offers happy hour snacks and the full menu in a more casual setting. *1870restaurant.com*

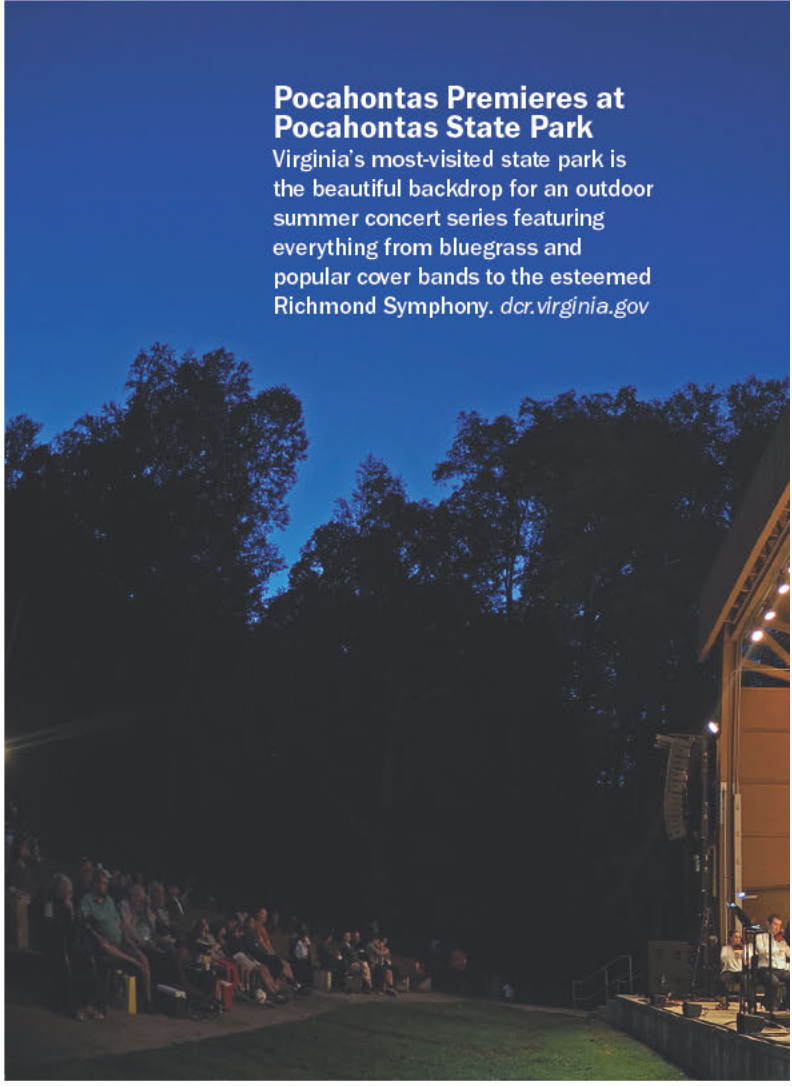
Virginia Museum of Fine Arts

One of Virginia's crown jewels, the VMFA houses 50,000 works of art, including a 4,000-year-old mummy, America's largest collection of Fabergé artworks, and significant artists such as Dale Chihuly, Andy Warhol, Mary Cassatt, Claude Monet and Kehinde Wiley. *vmfa.museum*



Pocahontas Premieres at Pocahontas State Park

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ARTS & CULTURE

Broadway in Richmond

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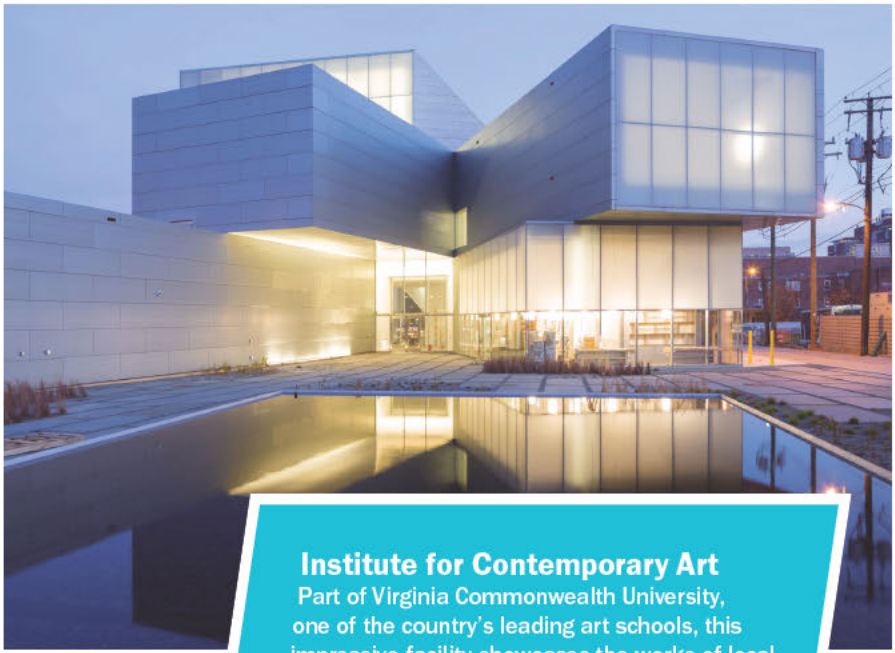


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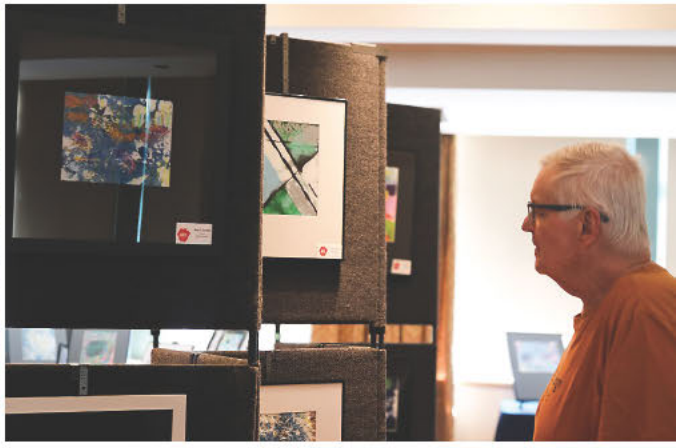
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The pages of your history books come to life in the Richmond Region. Interactive museums and historic sites give the full picture of the past, from Native American life and early Colonial days to Richmond's role in the Revolutionary War and Civil War. The region will commemorate Virginia's contributions to the founding of the United States throughout 2025 and 2026.



The Valentine
The safekeeper of Richmond's storied past, this museum houses artifacts representing 400 years of the region's history. Tour the restored John Wickham House and sculptor Edward Valentine's studio, which hosts an exhibit explaining the Lost Cause myth (*pictured*). *thevalentine.org*



St. John's Church

"Give me liberty or give me death!" Local orator Patrick Henry spoke those famous words here in 1775 to George Washington, Thomas Jefferson and other prominent Virginians on the brink of the Revolutionary War. The church will celebrate the 250th anniversary of the speech in March and host reenactments all summer. *historicstjohnschurch.org*







Chesterfield Historical Society

Enjoy free admission to the Chesterfield County Museum, Historic 1892 Jail and Courthouse Green. Nearby is the Federal-style Magnolia Grange House Museum, offering tours throughout the year. *chesterfieldhistory.org*

Ashland Museum

Learn the history of Ashland, a charming railroad town just north of Richmond, through exhibits, walking tours and a caboose-turned-museum. *ashlandmuseum.org*

Cumberland Estate

Appreciate the beauty of Colonial architecture and skill of modern restoration artists as you walk through nearly 400 years of history in New Kent. Five properties in differing stages of restoration are open for tours. *cumberlandestate.com/tours*



Ashland

FAMILIES

Find fun family adventures for tots to teens — and parents, too!

DAY 1

MORNING

Feed the giraffes at the **Metro Richmond Zoo** (*metrorichmondzoo.com*), then zipline over kangaroos and monkeys on a **Treetop Zoofari** (*treetopzoofari.com*).

AFTERNOON

Try the interactive exhibits and check out a movie on the largest screen in Virginia at the **Science Museum of Virginia** (*smv.org*), then let imaginations run wild at the **Children's Museum of Richmond** (*childrensmuseumofrichmond.org*).

EVENING

Enjoy dinner and arcade games at **Bingo Beer Co.** (*bingobeerco.com*), or pair bites with bowling at **River City Roll** (*rivercityroll.com*).



DAY 2

MORNING

Visit the train-loving town of **Ashland** (*ashlandvirginia.com*). Stop in **Tiny Tim's Trains and Toys** (*trainandtoystore.com*), then have lunch at **Caboose Market & Cafe** (*cabooseashland.com*).

AFTERNOON

Take teens to **Short Pump Town Center** (*shortpumptowncenter.com*) for great shopping and dining, along with entertainment at **Red Door Escape Room** and **Draftcade** arcade.

EVENING

Catch a baseball game with the **Richmond Flying Squirrels** (*squirrelsbaseball.com*), the Double-A team for the San Francisco Giants, and enjoy spectacular fireworks. Or go DayGlo with the **Tri-City Chili Peppers** (*chilipeppersbaseball.com*), who play under black lights, making uniforms, bats and balls glow.

DAY 3

MORNING

Explore the grounds of historic **Maymont** (*maymont.org*), complete with a farm, the Virginia Wildlife Trail and Robins Nature Center, which features a multi-story indoor climbing structure and hands-on fun for little ones.



AFTERNOON

Stop in **Carytown** (*carytownrva.com*) for ice cream at Bev's, Kilwin's or Jeni's. **Shop at Bbgb** (*bbgbbooks.com*) for children's books, **One Eyed Jacques** (*oneeyedjacques.com*) for unique board and card games, and **World of Mirth** (*worldofmirth.com*) for toys and gifts.

EVENING

Order brick-oven pizza at **Brambly Park** (*bramblypark.com*), then let the kids play outside while adults sip wine and toast to a memorable trip.



Kings Dominion

ADRENALINE JUNKIES

Get in on the action at Richmond's most exhilarating sites.

DAY 1

MORNING

Conquer the country's only Class IV urban whitewater rapids on a kayak or rafting trip with **Riverside Outfitters** (*riversideoutfitters.com*) or **RVA Paddlesports** (*rvapaddlesports.com*).



AFTERNOON

Reenergize with heavy metal music and lunch at **Cobra Burger** (*cobraburger.com*) in Church Hill. Then get your thrill on at **Kings Dominion** (*kingsdominion.com*), featuring 14 world-class roller coasters, including Rapterra, the world's tallest and longest launched wing coaster, opening this year.

EVENING

Head to Scott's Addition for axe throwing at **Shield N Sheath Hatchet House** (*shieldnsheath.com*) before checking out a few spots on the **Richmond Beer Trail** (*richmondbeertrail.com*).

DAY 2

MORNING

Compete in one of Richmond's signature events, such as the **Riverrock Adventure Race** (*riverrockrva.com*), **Monument Avenue 10K** (*sportsbackers.org*) or **Richmond Marathon** (*richmondmarathon.org*). Or, hit the 44 miles of mountain biking trails at **Pocahontas State Park** (*dcr.virginia.gov*).

AFTERNOON

Slow the pace and wander through the **Keystone Truck and Tractor Museum** (*keystonetractorworks.com*), the huge home of antique tractors, restored road trucks, vintage cars and more. When you need fuel, visit the classic diner right inside.

EVENING

Take a **Haunts of Richmond tour** (*hauntsofrichmond.com*) to see some of the region's spookiest sites any time of year, or come in October for the area's notorious **Terror on the Farm** (*ashlandberryfarm.com*), which reviews call "incredible," "unique" and "an absolute blast!"

DAY 3

MORNING

Reach new heights on the **Manchester Climbing Wall** and **Buttermilk Trail** boulders (*jamesriverpark.org*), or indoors at **Peak Experiences** (*peakexperiences.com*) and **Triangle Rock Club** (*trianglerockclub.com*).

AFTERNOON

Experience the full-throttle excitement of a NASCAR race or Nitrocross event at **Richmond Raceway** (*richmondraceway.com*). Take the wheel at the indoor track at **K1 Speed** (*k1speed.com*), or rent a slingshot motorcycle from **RVA Hot Wheelz** (*rvahotwheelz.com*) and get out on the open road.



EVENING

Head to the Arts District for an adventurous meal at **GWARbar** (*gwarbar.com*), where fake blood splatters the wall and menu items include the Nachos Destructo and Demoned Eggs.



Henricus Historical Park

HISTORY LOVERS

Experience the past in one of the oldest cities in the United States.

DAY 1

MORNING

Walk in the footsteps of Pocahontas at a re-creation of **Henricus Historical Park** (*henricus.org*), North America's second successful English colony on the indigenous site Arrohateck.

AFTERNOON

Stop for lunch at **Sam Miller's** (*sammillers.com*) in Shockoe Slip, then walk to the **Virginia State Capitol** (*virginiacapitol.gov*), designed by Thomas Jefferson and meeting place of the oldest elected legislative body in North America.



EVENING

Before dusk, drive around **Hollywood Cemetery** (*hollywoodcemetery.org*), where two U.S. presidents are buried. Enjoy fine dining at Lemaire at **The Jefferson Hotel** (*jeffersonhotel.com*), which opened in 1895.

DAY 2

MORNING

Start your day at a Fan District favorite, **Lamplighter Coffee Roasters** (*lamplightercoffee.com*). Head out to the **American Civil War Museum** (*acwm.org*), then visit the **"T-Pott" Bridge** and the **Emancipation and Freedom Monument** on Brown's Island.

AFTERNOON

Grab a boxed lunch at **Sally Bell's Kitchen** *(sallybellskitchen.com),* a go-to spot since 1924, then take a driving tour of **Richmond National Battlefield Park** (*nps.gov/rich*), a series of 13 Civil War sites throughout the region.

EVENING

Raise your glass at Unhappy Hour in the courtyard of **The Poe Museum** (*poemuseum.org*) before making your way down cobblestone streets to **The Tobacco Company** (*thetobaccocompany.com*) for dinner in a 19th-century warehouse.

DAY 3



MORNING

Visit the **Black History Museum & Cultural Center of Virginia** (*blackhistorymuseum.org*), and have brunch at **Mama J's** (*mamajskitchen.com*) in historic **Jackson Ward,** once referred to as America's Black Wall Street.

AFTERNOON

Watch a reenactment of Patrick Henry's 1775 "give me liberty or give me death" speech at **St. John's Church** (*historicstjohnschurch.org*), and take a walking tour of Church Hill with the **Richmond Tour Guys** (*richmondtourguys.com*).

EVENING

Tour **Hanover Tavern**, which has hosted American history for nearly 300 years, then tuck into dinner in the dining room or cozy basement pub (*hanovertavern.org*).



Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden

RVA is for Lovers and fun lovers.

COUPLES

DAY 1

MORNING

Start with breakfast at **SB's Lakeside Love Shack** (*sbsloveshackrva.com*), where the menu is inspired by the B-52's hit song. Then, stop and smell the roses at the award-winning **Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden** (*lewisginter.org*).

AFTERNOON

Stroll the sculpture garden and admire the incredible collection at the **Virginia Museum of Fine Arts** (*vmfa.museum*), one of the country's best art museums. Nearby, savor wine and fine cheeses at **Truckle Cheesemongers** (*trucklerva.com*).

EVENING

Check in at **Linden Row Inn** (*lindenrowinn.com*) in the midst of downtown Richmond. Catch a concert on the riverfront at **Brown's Island** (*venturerichmond.com*) or head to Carytown to enjoy a quirky fusion of creativity, music and cocktails at **Reveler** (*revelerexperiences.com*).

DAY 2

MORNING

Tour **Agecroft Hall and Gardens** (*agecrofthall.org*) in the beautiful Windsor Farms neighborhood. As old as Shakespeare himself, the home was brought from England to Richmond in the 1920s.

AFTERNOON

Join **Discover Richmond** (*discoverrichmondtours.com*) for a Church Hill Food Tour of acclaimed neighborhood spots.



EVENING

Stroll along tree-lined brick sidewalks and watch the sunset at **Libby Hill Park**, the riverfront spot that inspired Richmond's name. Enjoy a live performance at the **Virginia Repertory Theatre** (*va-rep.org*), the **Richmond Symphony** (*richmondsymphony.com*) or the **Virginia Opera** (*vaopera.org*).

DAY 3

MORNING

Transport yourself to Eastern Europe in the fictional **Hotel Greene** (*hotelgreene.com*), where you can enjoy brunch and 13 holes of miniature golf.

AFTERNOON

Taste award-winning wines around the region. Book a Lakeside Lounge Tent at **Jolene Family Winery** (*jolenefamilywinery.com*), tipple on the terrace at **James River Cellars** (*jamesrivercellars.com*), or pair your tasting with small plates at **Ashton Creek Vineyard** (*ashtoncreekvineyard.com*).

EVENING

Make a reservation at **Lost Letter** (*lostletterrva.com*), an authentic Italian restaurant with a top-notch wine list in Scott's Addition (ask to sit on the charming covered patio, which is heated as needed). Then, head to the **Byrd Theatre** (*byrdtheatre.org*) in Carytown for quirky movies in a historic setting.

HAPPY TRAILS

Curated trails and guided tours help you explore historic sites, lively neighborhoods and hidden gems around the region.

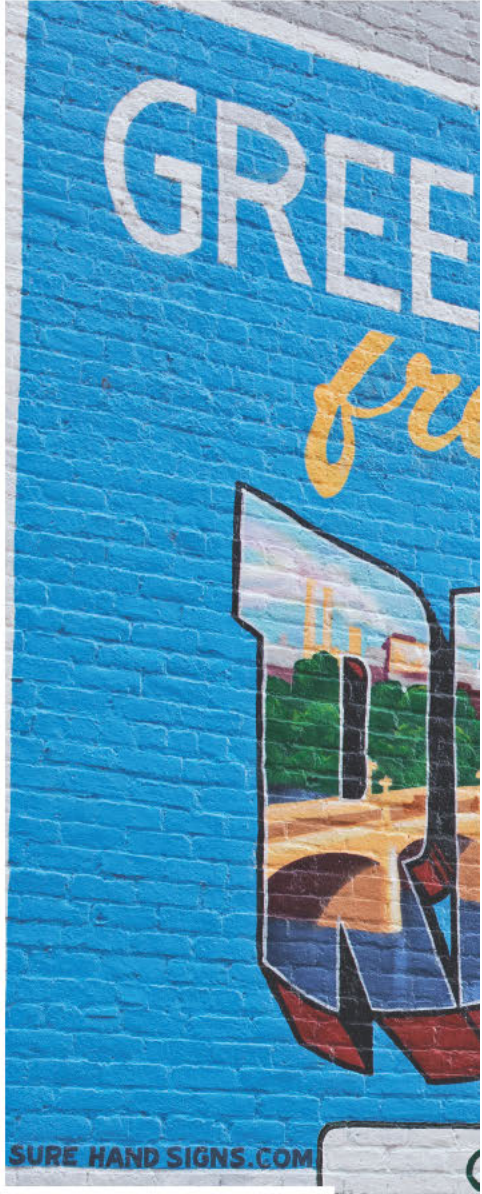


OUTDOOR ADVENTURE

Rent a bike and ride the scenic **Virginia Capital Trail** (*virginiacapitaltrail.org*), or take a city tour with **Basket & Bike** (*basketandbike.com*). Walk the **Ashland Trolley Line Trail**, part of the **Fall Line Trail** (*falllineva.org*). Catch a glimpse of the East Coast's largest population of bald eagles on a **Discover the James** boat tour (*discoverthejames.com*).

HISTORY

Cover 400 years of history on a walking tour with the **Richmond Tour Guys** (*richmondtourguys.com*), or tour Richmond's most significant landmarks on a classic trolley with **RVA on Wheels** (*rvaonwheels.com/trolley*). Journey into the region's past with Elegba Folklore Society's tour **"In the Beginning ... Virginia, Along the Trail of Enslaved Africans"** (*efsinc.org/tours*), or book a private walking tour with a guide from the **Valentine** (*thevalentine.org*). Check out old tobacco warehouses, modern art and the canals that were George Washington's brainchild on a **Riverfront Canal Cruise** (*venturerichmond.com*).



TACKY LIGHTS

See why Travel + Leisure named Richmond the best place in the state for festive holiday lights. **Richmond Limousine** (*richmondlimo.com*), **James Limousine** (*jameslimousine.com*) and **RVA on Wheels** (*rvaonwheels.com/trolley*) offer private and group tours of the greater area, while **RVATukTuk** (*rvatuktuk.com*) guides you in a three-wheeled, open-air electric vehicle. **Discover Richmond Tours** (*discoverrichmondtours.com*) starts the glow up in October with Spooky Lights Tours then turns to Tacky Lights throughout December.

"The Best Christmas Lights Display in Virginia"

– Travel + Leisure



STREET ART

Like a city-sized art gallery that's always open, Richmond's walls exhibit more than **150 murals**; visit *richmondmurals.com* for a map. Many were created as part of muralist Hamilton Glass' **Mending Walls** project, begun in 2020. *mendingwallsrva.com*







Haunts of Richmond

LOCAL HAUNTS

Get spooked on a guided tour of some the city's oldest areas with **Haunts of Richmond** (*hauntsofrichmond.com*), RVA's original ghost tour company, or **Richmond Ghosts** (*rvaghosts.com*), part of the U.S. Ghost Adventures group. Learn Richmond's haunted history or walk Hollywood Cemetery with **Strange RVA** (*strangerva.com*), or explore the paranormal with a tour of the 290-year-old **Hanover Tavern** (*hanovertavern.org*).

CULINARY

Get your "passport" stamped at the coolest breweries on the **Richmond Beer Trail** (*richmondbeertrail.com*), or indulge at the best foodie spots with **Discover Richmond Tours** (*discoverrichmondtours.com*). Visit lively rooftop bars and scenic area wineries with **RVA Explore Tour** (*rvaexploretour.com*). Make brunch a sparkling adventure on the **Richmond Region Mimosa Trail** (*richmondmimosatrail.com or Page 40*).

Richmond Performing Arts Alliance presents #ArtsHuntRVA, a unique and interactive scavenger hunt experience that helps you discover arts and culture in RVA. ***Download the RPAA app and start exploring.***

OFF TO THE *RACES*

Ready, set, go! The Richmond Region is home to dozens of racing events year-round.



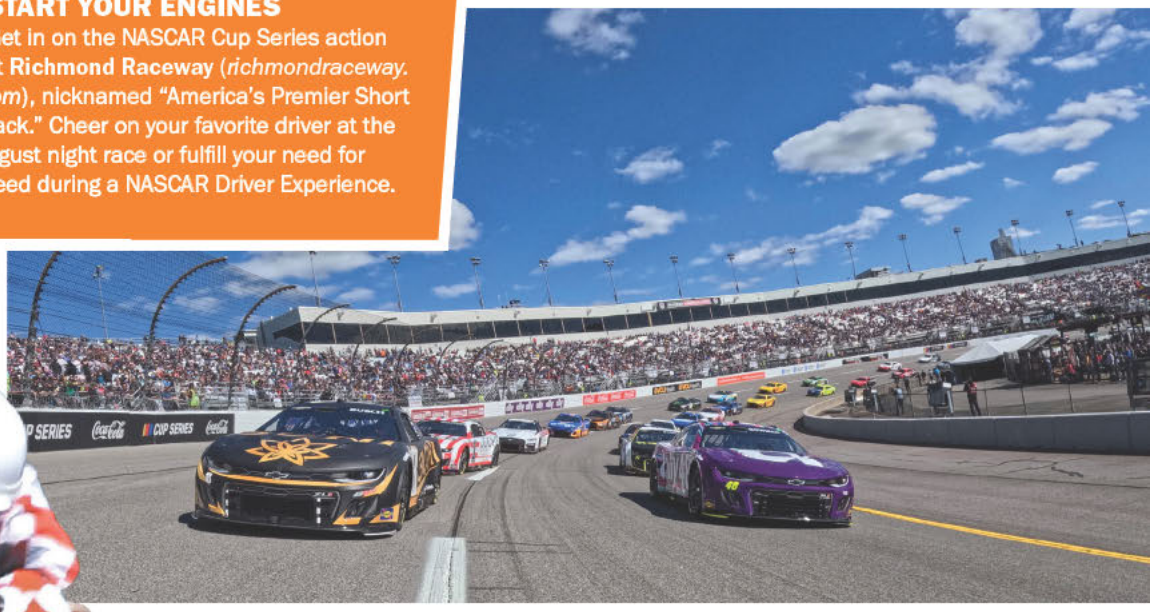
SADDLE UP

Experience the thrill of live thoroughbred racing at **Colonial Downs** (*colonialdowns.com/racing*). Featured events include the Virginia Derby in March — now part of the Road to the Kentucky Derby — and the Colonial Downs Festival of Racing in August.



START YOUR ENGINES

Get in on the NASCAR Cup Series action at **Richmond Raceway** (*richmondraceway.com*), nicknamed "America's Premier Short Track." Cheer on your favorite driver at the August night race or fulfill your need for speed during a NASCAR Driver Experience.



LACE UP YOUR RUNNING SHOES



Beat spring fever at the **Ukrop's Monument Avenue 10K** presented by Kroger, featuring the popular Dress Up and Run contest for race participants. Go the distance in the **Allianz Richmond Marathon**, nicknamed "America's Friendliest Marathon," or race through the "Center of the Universe" in the **Ashland Half Marathon & 5k** (*sportsbackers.org*).

Celebrate unity and diversity during September's **Run Richmond 16.19** (*runrichmond1619.org*), where the symbolic 16.19-km course takes runners on a journey through some of Richmond's most significant Black history sites.

Walk, run or swing through the Metro Richmond Zoo during the biannual **Run Wild Races** (*runwildraces.com*), which offer the Wild Ninja obstacle course as well as road races to benefit the zoo.

Stretch your legs before Thanksgiving dinner at the **Colonial Heights Turkey Trot** (*sovachamber.com*) or the new **Richmond Turkey Trot** (*americanturkeytradition.com/richmondturkeytrot*). In December, spread the holiday spirit with a night run through Richmond's most festive streets in the **CarMax Tacky Light Run** (*sportsbackers.org*).

WATCH OUT FOR DRAGONS

Don't miss the "liveliest festival stop" along the Major League Dragon Boat circuit at the **Richmond International Dragon Boat Festival** (*mldb.gwnevents.com/richmond*). Cheer on teams of paddlers, enjoy cultural performances and food truck fare, or join in the action through the Experience Dragon Boat Program.



TEAM SPIRIT

With lively soccer matches, out-of-this-world Cosmic Baseball and the ever-popular pickleball, opportunities abound for athletes and sports fans in RVA.

Root for the Home Team



Tri-City Chili Peppers

COSMIC BASEBALL

Light up the night at a **Tri-City Chili Peppers** (*chilipeppersbaseball.com*) Cosmic Baseball game, where the collegiate team plays the world's first baseball under black lights with uniforms, bats and balls that glow in the dark.

PROFESSIONAL BASEBALL

The **Richmond Flying Squirrels** (*squirrelsbaseball.com*), the region's Double-A minor league team, are celebrating 15 years in RVA. Enjoy family entertainment, themed nights, lively mascots, local craft beer and spectacular fireworks throughout the season.

PROFESSIONAL SOCCER

Cheer on the **Richmond Kickers** (*richmondkickers.com*), the longest continuously running professional soccer club in the country. And don't miss your chance to support the **Richmond Ivy** (*richmondivy.com*), RVA's newest team and part of United Soccer League's pre-professional W League.

WOMEN'S FOOTBALL

Women's tackle football teams kick off every spring. The **Richmond Black Widows** (*richmondblackwidows.com*) were founded in 2015. After just missing a championship last year, the **River City Sting** (*rivercitysting.com*) is back for its fifth season. The **RVA Lady Tomahawks** (*rvaladytomahawks.com*) have played since 2023.



A-10 Women's Basketball Championship



COLLEGE ATHLETICS

Sit courtside for the **A-10 Women's Basketball Championship** (*atlantic10.com*), coming to the Henrico Sports & Events Center in 2025 and 2026. Catch the action of NCAA Division I sports at the **University of Richmond** (*richmondspiders.com*) and **Virginia Commonwealth University** (*vcuathletics.com*); men's basketball games are especially popular. **Virginia State University** (*govsutrojans.com*) competes in NCAA Division II, **Virginia Union University** (*vuusports.com*) is part of the CIAA conference of HBCUs and **Randolph-Macon College** (*rmcathletics.com*) competes in the Old Dominion Athletic Conference.



Royal New Kent Golf Club

Participate & Play

GOLF

Get a taste of Ireland at the **Royal New Kent Golf Club** (*royalnewkent.com*), which has hand-stacked rock walls and grassy knolls. Or, tee off at **Independence Golf Club** *(independencegolfclub.com)*, Tom Fazio's first public course in Virginia and lauded by Golf Digest. Perfect for junior golfers, **Belmont's Little Bell** (*playbelmontrva.org*) is a six-hole, par-3 walking course.

PICKLEBALL

Book a court at **Performance Pickleball** (*ppbrva.com*), Virginia's largest indoor pickleball facility, featuring 12 courts and a full bar and restaurant. Join in a friendly pickup game at **Pouncey Tract Park** (*henrico.us/rec*) on one of 24 lighted courts.



Performance Pickleball

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WATER SPORTS

From serene stretches to spectacular white water, the James River has something for everyone. **RVA PaddleSports** (*rvapaddlesports.com*) offers rafting, kayaking and paddleboarding, and partners with **Beyond Boundaries** (*beyondboundariesrva.org*) for adventure-seekers with disabilities. In Chesterfield, **The LAKE** (*lakeadventures.com*) will feature shopping, dining and entertainment, along with a manmade lake offering paddleboarding, wakeboarding and an inflatable obstacle course.

MIMOSA *TRAIL*

Any day sparkles when it starts with brunch. The Mimosa Trail offers 46 options across the Richmond Region.



Cooper's Tavern and Taproom
Crab Benedict pairs perfectly with a flavor-filled mimosa flight, including Palomimosa, Peach, Breakfast at Tiffanys and Strawberry.
cooperstavernandtaproom.com



The Estate
Enjoy a classic mimosa alongside crab cakes, burgers and chicken sandwiches.
estateloungeva.com











Hanover Tavern
Seasonal mimosas, such as the Poinsettia, elevate a traditional Monte Cristo.
hanovertavern.org

JUSTIN CHESNEY

Kreggers Tap and Table
The chicken and waffle platter complements a flight of strawberry, raspberry, blackberry and peach mimosas. *kreggersrva.com*

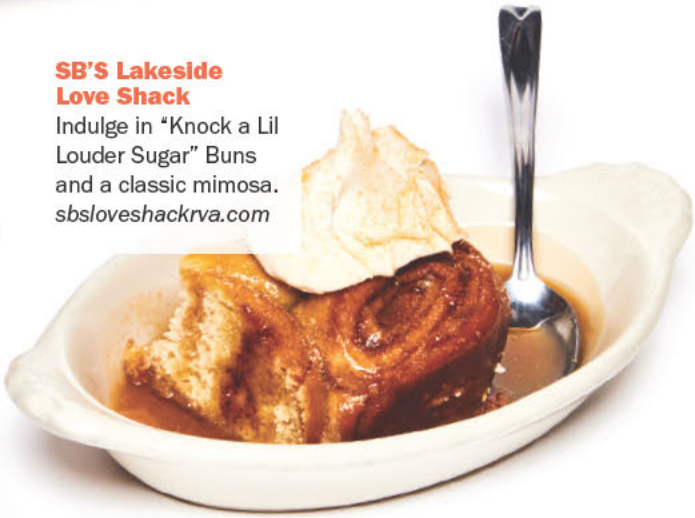






The Jefferson
Savor classic mimosas at the hotel's Champagne Sunday Brunch. Online reservations required. *jeffersonhotel.com*

SB'S Lakeside Love Shack
Indulge in "Knock a Lil Louder Sugar" Buns and a classic mimosa. *sbsloveshackrva.com*







Kali Love
Pair Robert's Breakfast Sandwich with an Opera Prima mimosa. *IG: kali.love_ctc*



Snap the code to browse additional brunch locations.

No matter when you visit, there's always something to celebrate.



¿Que Pasa? Festival



Henrico County Juneteenth Festival

FESTIVALS

March

Virginia Credit Union River City Half and 5k
Black Restaurant Experience
The Virginia Derby
The Irish Festival
GalaxyCon Richmond
Shamrock the Block

April

Dominion Energy Family Easter
Easter on Parade
Ukrop's Monument Avenue 10K
Bizarre Bazaar Spring Market
Fiber Festival
Earth Day
Ashland Train Day
Historic Garden Week

May

Asian American Celebration
RVA Bluegrass Jam
Dominion Energy Riverrock
Richmond Greek Festival
Lebanese Food Festival
Fort Clifton Festival
¿Que Pasa? Festival
Cap2Cap Ride

June

Juneteenth (multiple localities)
Chesterfield Honeybee Festival
Ashland Strawberry Faire
Run and Ride at Kings Dominion

July

Carytown Watermelon Festival
Hanover Tomato Festival
Black Pride RVA

August

804 Day (first Friday in August)
Richmond Jazz and Music Festival
JamPacked Festival
Down Home Family Reunion
Colonial Downs Festival of Racing
Carytown Watermelon Festival
NASCAR Race Weekend



Ashland Train Day



Asian American Celebration




Kings Dominion WinterFest

September

VA Pridefest
Iron Blossom Music Festival
Richmond International Film Festival
Run Richmond 16.19
Run Wild Races
43rd Street Festival of the Arts

October

2nd Street Festival
Scotchtown Fall Festival
Dachtoberfest at Richmond Raceway
Maymont Garden Glow presented by Kroger
HarvestFest at the Garden
Richmond Zombie Walk - Carytown
Ashland Halloween
Richmond Folk Festival
GalaxyCon Nightmare Weekend
Mid-Lothian Mines Day

November

Hops in the Park
Richmond Jewish Food Festival
Richmond Marathon, Half & 8k
Dominion Energy GardenFest of Lights
Light Up the Tracks
Kings Dominion WinterFest

December

Colonial Heights Christmas Parade
RVA Illuminates
Bizarre Bazaar Christmas Market
Merry Market at Maymont
Ashland Christmas Market
Dominion Energy Christmas Parade
CarMax Tacky Light Run
The Miracle of Christmas Live
Capital City Kwanzaa Festival

January

Freedom Classic Festival
Religious Freedom Day

February

Richmond Chocolate, Wine & Whiskey Festival
Virginia Wine Expo
The Black Book Expo, a Conscious Literary Festival


Hops in the Park



Capital City Kwanzaa Festival

CAROLINE MARTIN

BLK RVA

BLK RVA is a true celebration of the Black community in the Richmond Region. Black history and culture date back centuries in Richmond, and Black-owned restaurants, historically Black communities and legacies continue to thrive here. The Richmond Region is more vibrant than ever before, rooted in history yet rising to create unique, authentic experiences for locals and visitors. Plan a trip, grab a bite and catch a vibe with BLK RVA *(blkrva.com).*



JAMES LOVING

CULTURE

Stop by the **Richmond Night Market** (*richmondnightmarketva.com*), a monthly outdoor event featuring local artisans, children's activities and interactive experiences. Visit the Museum Galleries at **Virginia Union University** (*vuu.edu*), one of the nation's oldest HBCUs. Attend the **Afrikana Independent Film Festival** (*afrikanafilmfestival.org*), celebrating 10 years in November, or a special event sponsored by **Elegba Folklore Society** (*efsinc.org*). Catch a vibe at the **2nd Street Festival** (*venturerichmond.com/our-events/2nd-street-festival*), celebrating the rich culture of historic Jackson Ward with live music, a Kidz Zone, popular food vendors, a marketplace and Artists Row.

HISTORY

Explore historic Jackson Ward, once dubbed "America's Black Wall Street" and "Harlem of the South." Tour the **Maggie L. Walker National Historic Site** (*nps.gov/mawa*) to see the former home of the civil rights activist and entrepreneur who became the first woman to charter a bank in the United States. Spend an afternoon at the **Black History Museum & Cultural Center of Virginia** (*blackhistorymuseum.org*), then make your way to Brown's Island to see the powerful **Emancipation and Freedom Monument**.

"These 10 destinations elevate Black culture year-round"
– The Points Guy



Black History Museum & Cultural Center of Virginia



Hour Cycle

WELLNESS

Get a workout in with **BARESoul Yoga** (*baresoulyoga.com*) or **Hour Cycle** (*hourcyclestudio.com*), or book a stretch, massage or meditation at **The Well Collective** (*thewellcollective.space*). Then, treat yourself to luxury skin and hair care at **Adiva Naturals** (*adivanaturals.com*). Refuel with a refreshing smoothie or bowl at **The Beet Box** (*beetboxrva.com*) in Carytown.



Mama J's

DINING

Dive into soul food staples like fried chicken, catfish and collards from **Mama J's** (*mamajskitchen.com*), featured in Forbes and Southern Living. Stop by **Ruby Scoops** (*rubyscoops.com*) for a sweet treat by Food Network "Clash of the Cones" winner Rabia Kamara. Spend happy hour at **Penny's Wine Shop** (*pennysrva.com*) before tucking into sophisticated Southern cuisine at **Lillie Pearl** (*lilliepearlrva.com*) or **The Roosevelt**, where dishes are curated by award-winning Executive Chef Leah Branch (*rooseveltrva.com*). And don't miss the **Richmond Black Restaurant Experience** (*rbre365.com*) in the spring.



Pop of Confetti

SHOPPING

Find artisan jewelry made in-house at **Sun and Selene** (*sunandselene.com*), and stop by **Pop of Confetti** (*popofconfetti.com*) for the perfect gift or souvenir. Sip wine and shop for your next read at **The Book Bar** (*rvabookbar.com*). Insider Tip: Read "The Yellow Wife," a highly acclaimed novel by local author Sadeqa Johnson.

THE SHOCKOE PROJECT

(*theshockoeproject.com*) will create a comprehensive, experiential destination that recognizes the history of enslaved and free Africans and people of African descent. The Shockoe Institute at Main Street Station is projected to open this year, and the remaining components, including the National Slavery Museum, are expected to be finished for Richmond's 300th anniversary in 2037.

GO OUT. STAY OUT. LIVE OUT.



Ranked among the most LGBTQ+ friendly destinations in the U.S., the Richmond Region embraces diversity and offers a range of inclusive venues and events. Find your mix at OutRVA (*outrva.com*)

SHOPPING

The region offers an array of LGBTQ+ friendly and queer-owned retail spots. **Mongrel** (*mongrelrva.com*) is known for laugh-out-loud cards and quirky décor, and **Diversity Thrift** (*diversitythrift.org*) deals in clothing, albums, artwork and more. **Maven Theory** (*maventheory.co*) is a collaboration of locally made skincare and candles.

NIGHTLIFE

Richmond Triangle Players (*rtriangle.org*), the only LGBTQ+ focused theater in the mid-Atlantic, stages eight shows each year. **Babe's of Carytown** (*IG: babesrva*), **Barcode** (*barcodedowntown.com*) and **Papi's** (*papisrva.com*) have dancing, while **Thirsty's** (*IG: thirstysrva*) offers karaoke and drag performances, and **Godfrey's** pairs drag with dancing (*godfreysva.com*).



Gold Lion Community Cafe

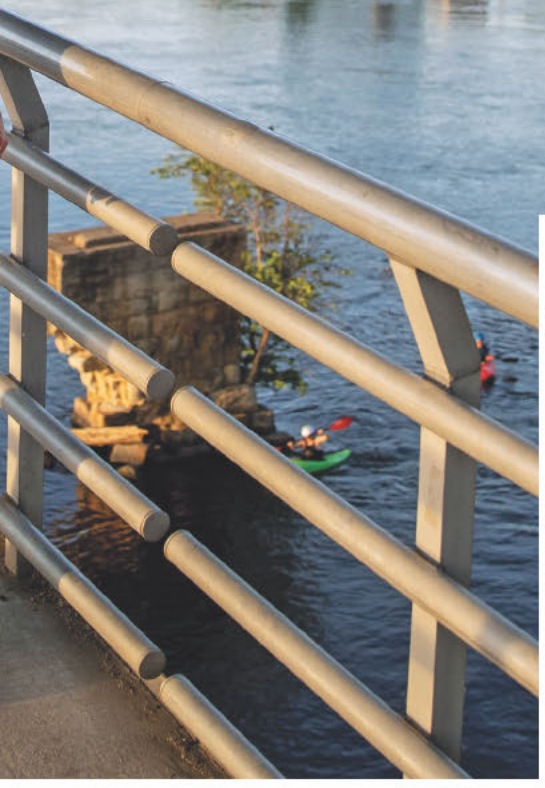
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DINING

Start your day at **Gold Lion Community Cafe** (*goldlionrva.com*) in Manchester or **Riverbend Roastery** (*riverbendroastery.com*) in Church Hill. Also at Riverbend, pick up souvenir jam, pickles or hot sauce from **Dayum (This is My) Jam** (*dayumjamrva.square.site*) plus info about the monthly Big Gay Market and other Trans Jam Events. For a fabulous drag show and brunch, **Godfrey's** (*godfreysva.com*) always delivers. **JewFro** (*jewfrorestaurant*) and **Soul Taco** (*soultacorva.com*) are both acclaimed for their tasty bites with multicultural influences. For fine dining, **L'Opossum** (*lopossum.com*) is at the top of every foodie's list for its French cuisine with a flair for fun.



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VA Pridefest

SELF CARE

Attend an open gym session at **Body Arc** (*bodyarcrva.com*), the area’s first queer-owned fitness center. All are welcome at **Body Politic Hair Studio** (*IG: body.politic.hair.studios*) for gender-affirming and inclusive hair care. Richmond is one of the country’s most-tattooed cities, which is the perfect excuse for new body art at **Moving Mountains** (*movingmountainstattoo.com*).

EVENTS

The Endless Summer of Pride offers events almost weekly, ending in September with **VA Pridefest**, one of the largest celebrations of the LGBTQ+ community in the state (*diversityrichmond.org*). For more ideas and events, visit **OutRVA** (*outrva.com*).

VIRGINIA IS FOR LOVERS

Stop by one of the Richmond Region’s **LOVEworks** (*virginia.org/love*) sculptures at popular attractions like **Reservoir Distillery**, **Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden** and **Main Street Station**.

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Science Museum of Virginia

FAMILY FUN

ASHLAND BERRY FARM
Family-owned working farm offering hayrides and seasonal events. 12607 Old Ridge Road, Beaverdam. *804-227-3601 or ashlandberryfarm.com* $

BOWLERO
Enjoy 56 lanes of bowling at Bowlero Mechanicsville (7317 Bell Creek Road, *804-559-2600*), 50 lanes at Bowlero West End (8037 Shrader Road, *804-747-9620*), and 32 lanes at Bowlero Richmond (6540 W. Broad St., *804-282-0537*). *bowlero.com* $

CHESTERFIELD BERRY FARM
Gather strawberries (April-June), sunflowers (July-August) and pumpkins (September-October). Hours vary. 26002 Pear Orchard Road, Moseley. *804-441-1034 or chesterfieldberryfarm.com* $

CHILDREN'S MUSEUM OF RICHMOND
With opportunities for the whole family to play and learn together, both of the Children's Museum locations offer interactive and hands-on programming for families with children ages 0-8. **Downtown** offers 44,000 square feet of learning through fun, from the Amtrak Train exhibit to the living tree house. 2626 W. Broad St. The **Chesterfield** location has hands-on exhibits including an art studio; the "Transportation Station," with a full-size firetruck and GRTC bus to explore; and an 18-foot tire climber. 6629 Lake Harbour Drive. Open Tuesday-Sunday. *804-474-7000 or childrensmuseumofrichmond.org* $

COBBLESTONES PARK
Splash Zone water park, 5 acres of sandy beach and one of the largest concrete swimming pools in Virginia. Open Tuesday-Sunday. Also open on Memorial Day and Labor Day. 13131 Overhill Lake Lane. *804-798-6819 or cobblestonespark.com*

DRAFTCADE
Offers nearly 80 classic arcade games, 10 pinball machines, six Skee-Ball lanes and four arcade hoops. Hours vary; age 21 and up after 7 p.m. 11800 W. Broad St., Suite 1090 (Short Pump Town Center). *draftcade.com* $

ESCAPE ROOMS
Breakout Games, 9101 Midlothian Turnpike, Suite 700. *804-480-1211 or breakoutgames.com/Richmond* $

Escape Room RVA, 7025 Three Chopt Road. *804-477-6369 or escaperoomrva.com* $

Gnome & Raven, 9200 Stony Point Parkway (Stony Point Fashion Park). *800-769-1415 or gnomeandraven.com* $

Red Vein Escape, 108 Robinson St., Ashland. *804-752-1081 or redveinescape.com* $

Riddle Me This, 1404 N. Parham Road (Regency Mall). *804-608-9689 or riddlemethisrva.com* $

River City Escape Room, 8047 W. Broad St. (Westland Shopping Center). *804-325-3250 or rivercityescaperoom.com* $

HOTEL GREENE
13-hole indoor mini-golf course in a grand hotel setting. Hours vary; age 21 and up after 5 p.m. 508 E. Franklin St. *hotelgreene.com* $

KEYSTONE TRUCK & TRACTOR MUSEUM
Experience the last century of agricultural heritage with 125,000 square feet of fully restored antique trucks, classic cars, vintage automotive and advertising signage, and more. 880 W. Roslyn Road, Colonial Heights. *804-524-0020 or keystonetractorworks.com* $

KINGS DOMINION
Join the 50th anniversary celebration! With more than 60 rides, shows and attractions, Kings Dominion offers world-class thrills and family fun. Don't miss Rapterra, the world's tallest and longest launched wing coaster, opening in March 2025. Soak City, a 20-acre water playground, is included with park admission. 16000 Theme Park Way, Doswell. *804-876-5000 or kingsdominion.com* $

LEWIS GINTER BOTANICAL GARDEN
Enjoy year-round beauty, with more than 50 acres of themed gardens, a children's garden and a domed conservatory. See website for hours and dates of operation. 1800 Lakeside Ave. *804-262-9887 or lewisginter.org* $

MAYMONT
This 100-acre attraction features a historic estate and mansion, gardens, farm animals, rescued native wildlife and a James River exhibit in the Robins Nature Center. The mansion remains closed due to restoration, but the grounds and nature center are open. 1000 Westover Road, Richmond. Entrances at 2201 Shields Lake Drive, 1700 Hampton St. and 1001 Spottswood Road. *804-525-9000 or maymont.org.* Donations requested; fee for activities.

METRO RICHMOND ZOO
Features more than 2,000 exotic animals, including lions, sloths, pygmy hippos and monkeys. Explore by air via the Treetop Zoofari Zip Line and Adventure Park. 8300 Beaver Bridge Road, Moseley. *804-739-5666 or metrorichmondzoo.com* $

THE PARK
Duckpin bowling, indoor putt putt, virtual golf and an arcade, plus dining options. Age 21+ after 8:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays. 1407 Cummings Drive. *804-533-2966 or thepark.com* $

RICHMOND RAILROAD MUSEUM
Restored 1915 Southern Railway passenger station with model railroad layout, caboose and Porter-style steam engine, as well as Richmond's rail history exhibits. Open weekends. 102 Hull St. *804-231-4324 or richmondrailroadmuseum.com* $

RIVER CITY ROLL
Enjoy 20 lanes of bowling with a New American kitchen serving seasonal dishes. Age 21 and up after 7 p.m. 939 Myers St. *804-331-0416 or rivercityroll.com* $

ROCKWOOD PARK NATURE CENTER
Exhibits include a honeybee hive, native amphibians and reptiles. Hours vary. Rockwood Park, 3401 Courthouse Road, Chesterfield. *804-768-7448 or chesterfield.gov*

SCIENCE MUSEUM OF VIRGINIA
Through experiential exhibits, animals, planetarium and laser shows, makerspaces, demos, and more, the museum sparks curiosity, encourages discovery, and generates ideas in science, technology, engineering, and math. 2500 W. Broad St. *804-864-1400 or smv.org* $

SLINGSHOT SOCIAL GAME CLUB
Classic parlor games with a modern spin, including SuperSkee, Ultimate Bocce and Extreme Duckpin. Hours vary. 3301 W. Clay St. *slingshotrva.com* $

UPTOWN ALLEY
This 57,000-square-foot venue features 38 bowling lanes, an arcade, virtual reality, two bars, live entertainment and a full-service restaurant. 6101 Brad McNeer Parkway, Midlothian. *804-744-1077 or uptownalleyrichmond.com* $

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Chesterfield County Museum and 1892 Jail

HISTORICAL SITES

MUSEUMS & ATTRACTIONS

THE ASHLAND MUSEUM
The history of Ashland is presented through exhibits, artifacts, photos and community events. 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday; 1 to 3 p.m. Sunday; or by appointment. 105 Hanover Ave. *804-368-7314 or ashlandmuseum.org*

ASHLAND TRAIN STATION
In the visitor center at Ashland's 1920s train depot, visitors can view RF&P Railroad memorabilia. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily (subject to change). 112 N. Railroad Ave. *804-752-6766 or ashlandva.gov*

BETH AHABAH MUSEUM AND ARCHIVES
Richmond's museum of Jewish history and culture. 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday-Thursday, closed Fridays and Saturdays. 1109 W. Franklin St. *804-353-2668 or bethahabah.org/bama.* $5 suggested donation.

BLACK HISTORY MUSEUM & CULTURAL CENTER OF VIRGINIA
Exhibitions commemorate the accomplishments of Black Virginians in the historic Leigh Street Armory building. Now a member of the African American Civil Rights Network, a program of the National Park Service. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday. 122 W. Leigh St. *804-780-9093 or blackhistorymuseum.org* $

THE CHESTERFIELD COUNTY MUSEUM AND 1892 JAIL
Exhibits at this replica of the county's 1749 courthouse trace area history. See website for hours and dates of operation. 6813 Mimms Loop. *804-768-7311 or chesterfieldhistory.com* $

COURTNEY ROAD SERVICE STATION
This circa-1925 service station exemplifies the "House With Canopy" design that grew into popularity in the 1920s when construction of gas stations boomed across the nation. Open by appointment and for events. 3401 Mountain Road. *804-501-7275 or henricorecandparks.com*

DEEP RUN SCHOOLHOUSE
This two-room school was built in 1902. Tours by appointment. 3401 Pump Road, Short Pump Park. *804-501-7275 or henricorecandparks.com*

EXECUTIVE MANSION
The oldest continuously occupied governor's residence in the country (since 1813). Visit the website for updated hours. *804-371-2642 or executivemansion.virginia.gov*

HANOVER COURTHOUSE
The third-longest continuously used courthouse in the United States dates to 1735. A circa-1835 stone jail is on site. Tours from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on second Thursdays. 13182 Hanover Courthouse Road, Hanover. *804-781-7073 or hanoverhistorical.org*

HANOVER MUSEUM OF HISTORY & CULTURE
Learn about this 300+ year-old county through engaging and thought-provoking exhibitions. Hours vary, visit the website for updates. 7496 County Complex Road. *804-365-3250 or hanovercounty.gov*

HENRICUS HISTORICAL PARK
At the second successful English settlement in the New World, learn Colonial history and explore the culture of the Powhatan Indians in the Arrohateck Village. Self-guided tours. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday-Sunday (last ticket sold at 4 p.m.). 251 Henricus Park Road, Chester. *804-748-1611 or henricus.org* $

HOLLYWOOD CEMETERY
Established in 1847, it's the final resting place of two U.S. presidents. Guided tours through RVA on Wheels (*rvaonwheels.com*). 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. (8 a.m. to 6 p.m. during daylight saving time). 412 S. Cherry St. *804-648-8501 or hollywoodcemetery.org.* Grounds are free; fees for tours.

THE LIBRARY OF VIRGINIA
Explore the story of Virginia as told through 126 million books, documents, photographs, maps, works of art, newspapers, recordings, films and official records. Exhibitions open to the public, see website for hours and dates of operation. 800 E. Broad St. *804-692-3500 or lva.virginia.gov*

MID-LOTHIAN MINES PARK
One of the first major industrial sites in the United States is now a 62-acre preserve. Sunrise-sunset daily. 13301 N. Woolridge Road, Midlothian. *804-751-4946 or midlomines.org*

MUSEUM OF VIRGINIA CATHOLIC HISTORY
Exhibits include diaries, journals, photographs and artifacts that tell the history of the Roman Catholic Church in Virginia. Guided tours offered by appointment only. Cathedral of the Sacred Heart, 18 N. Laurel St. *804-359-5661 or richmonddiocese.org*

THE POE MUSEUM
Collection of manuscripts, first editions and artifacts belonging to Edgar Allan Poe. 1914 E. Main St. *804-648-5523 or poemuseum.org* $

RICHMOND RAILROAD MUSEUM
A 1915 Southern Railway passenger station houses artifacts of the lines that contributed to Richmond's rail history. Largest model railroad layout in Richmond. 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday; 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday. 102 Hull St. *804-231-4324 or richmondrailroadmuseum.org* $

THE VALENTINE
Established in 1892, the Valentine helps visitors experience Richmond's diverse stories through tours, events, collections and exhibitions. The museum is now home to one of three Richmond Region Tourism Visitor Centers. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday. 1015 E. Clay St. *804-649-0711 or thevalentine.org* $

THE VALENTINE FIRST FREEDOM CENTER
Located on the corner where the General Assembly met in secret during the American Revolution, the center celebrates Thomas Jefferson's Virginia Statute for Religious Freedom. 14 S. 14th St. *804-649-0711 or thevalentine.org*

VIOLET BANK MUSEUM
On the National Register of Historic Places, Violet Bank is the first recorded settlement in Colonial Heights. Today, the home serves as an example of Federal design and displays Civil War era artifacts. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday; 1 to 6 p.m. Sunday. 303 Virginia Ave. *804-520-9395 or colonialheightsva.gov*

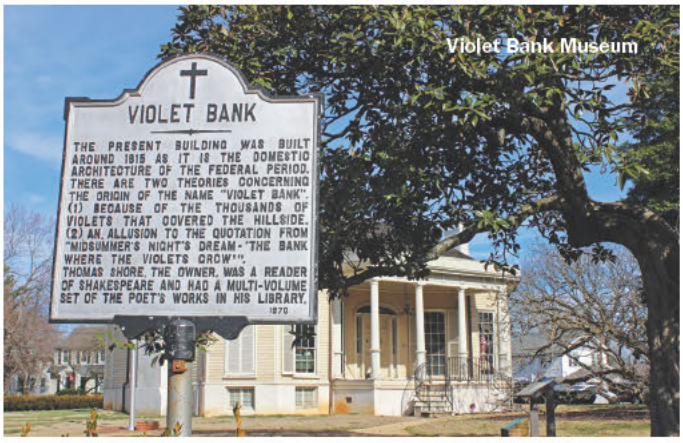
VIRGINIA HOLOCAUST MUSEUM
Learn about the lives of Holocaust survivors through a new exhibit featuring an innovative tool of AI technology that enables museum visitors to engage in conversations with pre-recorded video images of Holocaust survivors and other witnesses to genocide. 2000 E. Cary St. *804-257-5400 or vaholocaust.org.* Free admission; suggested donation $6

VIRGINIA MUSEUM OF HISTORY & CULTURE
Connects visitors to America's past through the story of Virginia. After a $30 million renovation in 2022, the museum offers additional galleries, a refurbished research library and more. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. 428 N. Arthur Ashe Blvd. *804-340-1800 or virginiahistory.org* $

VIRGINIA STATE CAPITOL
Home to the oldest elected lawmaking body in the Western Hemisphere. Free guided tours of the building's rotunda, as well as the old House and Senate chambers. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday; 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday. Entrance on Bank Street near 10th Street. *804-698-1788 or virginiacapitol.gov*

VIRGINIA WAR MEMORIAL
The Memorial's Shrine of Memory honors the service and sacrifice of the state's fallen heroes and all veterans. The Galanti Education Center features military history exhibits and award-winning films. Galanti Center: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Saturday; noon to 4 p.m. Sunday. Shrine: See website for updated hours. 621 S. Belvidere St. *804-786-2060 or vawarmemorial.org*

WOLF CREEK CHEROKEE MUSEUM & TRIBAL CENTER
Learn about the past and present of Cherokee culture through exhibitions and artifacts. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturdays. Weekday group tours upon request. 7400 Osborne Turnpike. *804-226-1002 or wolfcreekcherokee.com* ›



Violet Bank Museum

HOMES & GARDENS

1812 WICKHAM HOUSE
A National Historic Landmark built by John Wickham, the house was purchased by Mann Valentine Jr. in 1898 and was the original home of the Valentine museum. Today, guided tours and a new virtual reality experience explore everyday life in the early 19th century — above and below stairs. Tours are available with museum admission; see website for hours and dates of operation (virtual tours also available). 1015 E. Clay St. *804-649-0711 or thevalentine.org* $

AGECROFT HALL
This 16th-century Tudor house was moved from England in 1926 and rebuilt on the banks of the James River. Self-guided tours offered noon to 4 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday; guided tours by appointment. 4305 Sulgrave Road. *804-353-4241 or agecrofthall.org* $

ARMOUR HOUSE AND GARDENS AT MEADOWVIEW PARK
The Victorian-style Armour House was built in 1915, and the surrounding park includes a walking trail, tennis courts, gardens and children's play areas. Tours by appointment at ArmourHouse@henrico.us (park open dawn-dusk). 4001 Clarendon Road. *804-652-1430 or henrico.us/rec/places/armour-house*

BOLLING HAXALL HOUSE
Home to the Woman's Club since 1900, this Italianate-style mansion was built in 1858 for Bolling Walker Haxall, heir to a flour-milling fortune. 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Friday (closed Mondays, October-April); tours by appointment. 211 E. Franklin St. *804-643-2847 or twcrichmond.org*

CHURCH QUARTER
This is the best-preserved antebellum log dwelling in the region. Tours by appointment. 12432 Old Ridge Road (old Route 738). *804-883-6252 or 804-516-3218*. Free, but donations accepted.

CLARKE-PALMORE HOUSE MUSEUM
The museum interprets the story of the Palmore family, who lived on this farm during the Great Depression. Tours by appointment. 904 McCoul St. *804-652-3406 or henrico.us/rec/places/clarke-palmore*

HANOVER TAVERN
Frequently visited by Revolutionary armies and Civil War troops, Hanover Tavern was also home to Patrick Henry for a time. The tavern has a self-guided audio tour and a Civil War exhibit, as well as a restaurant and pub. 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday-Sunday. 13181 Hanover Courthouse Road, Hanover. *804-537-5050 or hanovertavern.org* $

JOHN MARSHALL HOUSE
Home of the "Great Chief Justice" and his family from 1790 to 1835, this national and Virginia historic site is where Marshall formed his influential ideas of a strong national government and principles of the American judiciary. 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Thursday and Friday; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday; 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, March-December. 818 E. Marshall St. *804-648-7998 or preservationvirginia.org* $

MAGNOLIA GRANGE
This Federal-style home was built in 1823 by William Winfree and interprets 19th-century country mansion life. Includes the Chesterfield Historical Society's gift shop. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday-Friday; 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday. 10020 Iron Bridge Road, Chesterfield. *804-748-1498 or chesterfield.gov* $

MEADOW FARM MUSEUM AT CRUMP PARK
This 1860s living-history farm and museum features a farmhouse, crops, farm animals and costumed interpreters. Grounds open sunrise-sunset daily. See website for museum and Parsons Community Center hours. 3400 Mountain Road, Glen Allen. *804-652-1455 or henrico.us/rec/places/meadow-farm*

OAK HILL
Built in 1825, this one-story frame house with Greek Revival interior detail is on the National Register of Historic Places. The home is privately owned but can be seen at 151 Carroll Ave., Colonial Heights. *colonialheightsva.gov*

PATRICK HENRY'S SCOTCHTOWN
Built in the 18th century, Scotchtown was home to Patrick Henry, who rode from here to St. John's Church to deliver his famous "Liberty or Death" speech. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday-Saturday; 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, March-December, tickets must be purchased online. Guided cell phone tour of grounds available. 16120 Chiswell Lane. *804-227-3500 or preservationvirginia.org* $

SYCAMORE TAVERN
Built circa 1732 as a stagecoach stop, the tavern now houses the Florence L. Page Library of Local History and Genealogy. 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday and Friday; 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday. 17193 Mountain Road. *804-883-5355*

WALKERTON TAVERN
Built by John Walker in 1825, the structure served as a tavern as well as a field hospital for Union cavalrymen in 1864. Managed by the Cultural Arts Center at Glen Allen. Tours by appointment only. 2892 Mountain Road. *804-261-2787 or artsglenallen.com*

WILTON HOUSE
Experience the 18th century at this Georgian-style mansion. Self-guided tours by reservation. Group tours available. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday; 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday. 215 S. Wilton Road. *804-282-5936 or wiltonhousemuseum.org* $

HISTORIC CHURCHES AND RELIGIOUS SITES

HEBREW CEMETERY
One of the oldest Jewish cemeteries in the South. Shockoe Hill at Fourth and Hospital streets. Closed Saturdays. *804-358-6757 or bethahabah.org*

HISTORIC POLEGREEN CHURCH
One of the first meeting houses established during the Great Awakening and the site of the first licensed non-Anglican preacher in Virginia, the Rev. Samuel Davies. What stands today is an interpretive design of the original 1747 church. 6411 Heatherwood Drive, Mechanicsville. *804-730-3837 or historicpolegreenchurch.org*

MONUMENTAL CHURCH
Robert Mills designed this circa 1812 church. Tours by appointment. 1224 E. Broad St. *804-643-7407 or historicrichmond.com*

PRO-CATHEDRAL OF SAINT PETER
Founded in 1834, the first Catholic Church to open in Richmond and the second oldest in the area. It's an example of neoclassic architectural style. 800 E. Grace St. *804-643-4315 or stpeterchurch1834.org*

SLASH CHURCH
Built circa 1729, Slash Church survives as the oldest and best-preserved frame church in Virginia. Tours by appointment. 11353 Mount Hermon Road. *804-798-4520 or slashcc.org*

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH
The site of Patrick Henry's "Give me liberty or give me death" speech, the Episcopal church still holds services today. See website for information on guided tours and reenactments. 2401 E. Broad St. *804-648-5015 or historicstjohnschurch.org* $

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
An example of Greek Revival architecture featuring Tiffany windows. 815 E. Grace St. *804-643-3589 or stpaulsrva.org*

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
The three-centuries-old Episcopal church where first lady Martha Washington worshipped. Tours by appointment. 8400 St. Peters Lane, New Kent. *804-932-4846 or stpetersnewkent.org*

CIVIL WAR SITES

CIVIL WAR TRAILS
The Virginia Civil War Trails program is a self-guided tour that links more than 400 sites. The tour allows guests to retrace the steps of Confederate and Union soldiers and features national parks with hands-on exhibits. *civilwartrails.org*

AMERICAN CIVIL WAR MUSEUM
The museum is housed in a 28,500-square-foot building presenting its renowned collections of artifacts that tell the stories of the Civil War and its legacies from multiple perspectives. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. 480 Tredegar St. *804-649-1861 or acwm.org* $

BERMUDA HUNDRED CAMPAIGN
Visit the historic sites that played an important role in the Bermuda Hundred Campaign. *804-796-7121 or chesterfieldhistory.com*

CHIMBORAZO MEDICAL MUSEUM
Site of the largest military hospital in the world from 1861 to 1865. 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Wednesday-Sunday. 3215 E. Broad St. *804-226-1981 or nps.gov/rich*

COLD HARBOR BATTLEFIELD VISITOR CENTER
An electronic battle-map program describes the 1862 battle of Gaines' Mill and the 1864 battle of Cold Harbor. 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Wednesday-Sunday (see website for off-season hours). 5515 Anderson-Wright Drive. *804-730-5025 or nps.gov/rich*

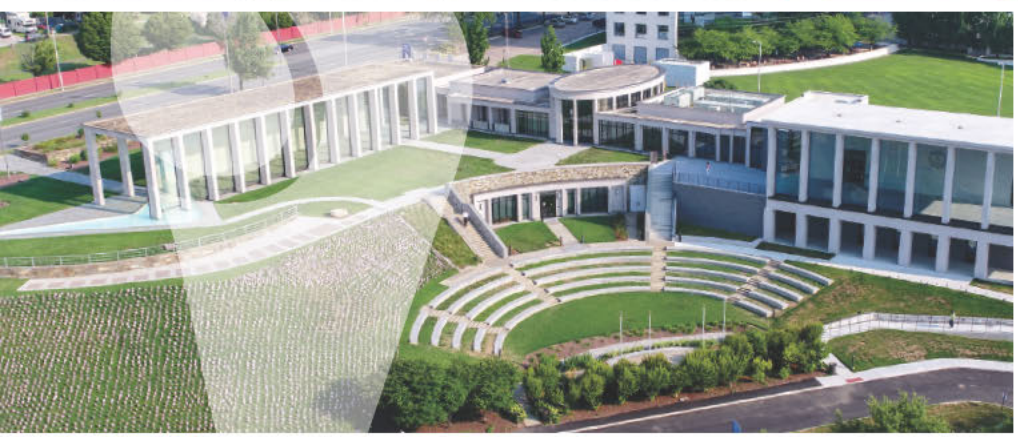
CONFEDERATE WAR MEMORIAL CHAPEL
This interdenominational chapel was built in 1887 by Confederate veterans as a memorial to dead Confederate soldiers. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily (weather permitting). 2900 Grove Ave. *804-340-1170*

DABBS HOUSE MUSEUM
This home served as a strategic location and the June 1862 military headquarters for Confederate Gen. Robert E. Lee. Open by appointment. 3812 Nine Mile Road. *804-652-3406 or henrico.us* ›

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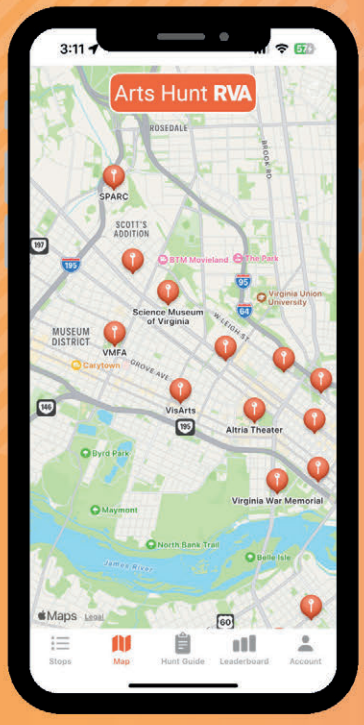
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A trail leads visitors to a well-preserved Confederate fort. Sunrise-sunset daily. 7600 Fort Darling Road. *804-226-1981 or nps.gov/rich*

FORT CLIFTON
A Confederate stronghold pivotal in defending Richmond and Petersburg in 1864 and 1865. 7 a.m. to dusk daily. 100 Brockwell Lane, Colonial Heights. *804-520-9390 or colonialheightsva.gov*

FORT HARRISON VISITOR CENTER
A self-guided walking trail takes visitors through the fort, which was captured by 3,000 Union soldiers on Sept. 29, 1864. Trail open sunrise-sunset daily; visit website for updated visitor center hours. 8621 Battlefield Park Road. *804-226-1981 or nps.gov/rich*

FORT STEVENS
Constructed in 1862 after the Seven Days Campaign. Sunrise-sunset daily. 8900 Pams Ave., North Chesterfield. *804-751-4946 or chesterfield.gov*

GAINES' MILL BATTLEFIELD
Artillery exhibits, the historic Watt House and a 1.5-mile walking trail. Sunrise-sunset daily. 6283 Watt House Road. *804-226-1981 or nps.gov/rich*

GLENDALE NATIONAL CEMETERY/ MALVERN HILL BATTLEFIELD
The cemetery holds approximately 1,200 graves, many of them Union soldiers. A nearly 2-mile walking trail traverses battlefields. Sunrise-sunset daily. 9175 Willis Church Road. *804-226-1981 or nps.gov/rich*

HOWLETT LINE TOUR
Learn about Civil War sites that were part of a Confederate line of defenses known as the Howlett Line, including Battery Dantzler, Parker's Battery, Ware Bottom Church Battlefield, Howlett Line Park and Fort Wead. See website for updates. *804-796-7121 or chesterfieldhistory.com*

PARKER'S BATTERY
A walking trail winds through fortifications. A monument commemorates Parker's "Boy Company." Sunrise-sunset daily. 1801 Ware Bottom Spring Road. *804-226-1981 or nps.gov/rich*

R. GARLAND DODD PARK AT POINT OF ROCKS
This 176-acre plot is where American Red Cross founder Clara Barton served in a Union hospital during the Bermuda Hundred Campaign. 201 Enon Church Road, Chester. *804-748-1623 or chesterfield.gov*

RICHMOND NATIONAL BATTLEFIELD PARK
Richmond National Battlefield Park comprises 13 park units across Richmond and Hanover, Henrico, and Chesterfield counties. Its three visitor center locations (Chimborazo Medical Museum, Cold Harbor Visitor Center and Shelton House at Rural Plains) offer information to educate visitors about park sites and their stories. *804-226-1981 or nps.gov/rich*

TOTOPOTOMOY CREEK BATTLEFIELD AT RURAL PLAINS
A walking trail traverses terrain where Union and Confederate armies clashed in 1864. The Shelton House, built around 1723, survived the onslaught of cannon fire. Grounds open sunrise-sunset daily. The Shelton House is open weekends. 7273 Studley Road. *804-226-1981 or nps.gov/rich*

WHITE HOUSE OF THE CONFEDERACY
The one-time home of Confederate President Jefferson Davis. Guided tours offered; tickets available online and at the Tredegar Visitor Center. Tour times vary daily. 1201 E. Clay St. *804-649-1861 or acwm.org* $

LANDMARKS & MONUMENTS

CHRISTOPHER NEWPORT CROSS
Erected in 1907, it commemorates English Capt. Christopher Newport. South 12th Street and East Byrd Street. *venturerichmond.com/explore-downtown*

EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION AND FREEDOM MONUMENT
In fall 2021, in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the abolition of slavery, two bronze statues representing newly freed people were unveiled on Brown's Island. *mlkcommission.dls.virginia.gov*

MAGGIE L. WALKER MONUMENT
Bronze statue commemorating entrepreneur Maggie L. Walker, the first African American woman in the United States to found a bank. Broad and Adams streets.

MANTLE: VIRGINIA INDIAN TRIBUTE
This monument honors the Commonwealth's Native American heritage. Located on Capitol Square at the Virginia State Capitol, 1000 Bank St. *804-698-1788 or virginiacapitol.gov*

THE NATIONAL DONOR MEMORIAL
Honors America's organ and tissue donors. Garden open year-round. Visitors are also welcome at The Gallery at UNOS (United Network for Organ Sharing). Self-guided tours daily, daytime and evening hours. Group tours must be scheduled in advance. 700 N. Fourth St. *804-782-4800 or unos.org*

RICHMOND SLAVERY RECONCILIATION STATUE
This bronze sculpture is one of three, completing the triangle of Richmond; the city of Liverpool, England; and the Republic of Benin, each of which played a prominent role in the slave trade. 15th and East Main streets.

RIVERFRONT CANAL WALK
Stretching 1.25 miles along the James River and the Kanawha and Haxall canals, the Canal Walk presents four centuries of Richmond's history interpreted through medallions, monuments, exhibits and narrated canal cruise tours (available April-November). Multiple access points between Fifth and 17th streets; handicapped-accessible entrances at Fifth, 10th, 12th, 14th and 16th streets. *venturerichmond.com/explore-downtown.* Free; fee for boat rides.

'RUMORS OF WAR'
World-renowned artist Kehinde Wiley's bronze statue depicting a young African American male outfitted in streetwear riding a horse. Located near the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts entrance, 200 N. Arthur Ashe Blvd. *vmfa.museum*

'THE HOLE TRUTH'
A two-piece interactive sculpture by Mickael Broth sits at the corner of E. Clay and 10th streets and welcomes visitors to the Valentine. *804-649-0711*

VIRGINIA CIVIL RIGHTS MEMORIAL
Recognizes Barbara Johns and other students who led a strike in 1951 to protest the conditions at their racially segregated school. Located on Capitol Square, 1000 Bank St. *virginiacapitol.gov*

VIRGINIA WOMEN'S MONUMENT
Titled "Voices From the Garden," it features bronze statues of women who have made contributions to the state and the nation. Capitol Square at the Virginia State Capitol, 1000 Bank St. *virginiacapitol.gov*

'THE WAR HORSE'
Life-size bronze statue memorializing the 1.5 million horse and mule casualties of the Civil War. Virginia Museum of History & Culture, 428 N. Arthur Ashe Blvd. *virginiahistory.org* ›

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BLACK CULTURE



Historic Jackson Ward

AFRICAN BURIAL GROUND
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THE AMERICAN CIVIL WAR MUSEUM
Offers presentations that tell the stories of the Civil War and its legacies from multiple perspectives, including that of enslaved people. 480 Tredegar St. *804-649-1861 or acwm.org.*

ARTHUR ASHE JR. MONUMENT
Statue of tennis champion Arthur Ashe, who was born in Richmond. Intersection of Roseneath Road and Monument Avenue.

BILL 'BOJANGLES' ROBINSON MONUMENT
Aluminum statue facing the intersection where the entertainer Bill "Bojangles" Robinson paid to have a stoplight placed. Triangle Park at Leigh Street and Chamberlayne Parkway.

BLACK HISTORY MUSEUM AND CULTURAL CENTER OF VIRGINIA
Exhibitions commemorate the accomplishments of Black Virginians. Open Wed.-Sat. 122 W. Leigh St. *804-780-9093 or blackhistorymuseum.org*

BLK RVA
Explores Black culture in the Richmond region. This free online travel planner shares local restaurants, Black experiences and events that connect to the past, celebrate the present and look to the future. *visitblkrva.com*

DEVIL'S HALF ACRE
Robert Lumpkin opened a slave jail at this site in 1844. A proposed Shockoe Area Memorial Park would include green space and a heritage center. Shockoe Bottom near the intersection of East Broad Street and I-95.

ELEGBA FOLKLORE SOCIETY
The society's cultural center displays art and material from around the African diaspora. Check in to be informed about annual cultural festivals, tours and performances. 101 E. Broad St. *804-644-3900 or efsinc.org*

EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION AND FREEDOM MONUMENT
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FIRST AFRICAN BAPTIST CHURCH
Founded in 1841, this church has counted Maggie L. Walker and former Gov. L. Douglas Wilder among its worshippers. The original building is on the Virginia Commonwealth University campus at Broad and College streets. In 1955, the congregation relocated to 2700 Hanes Ave. in Barton Heights. *804-329-7279 or firstafricanbaptist.org*

THE HANOVER COUNTY BLACK HERITAGE SOCIETY
Preserving the history of African Americans in Hanover County, this society helps visitors learn about the accomplishments of current and former citizens. 114 N. Railroad Ave. (at The Henry Clay Inn). *804-496-6350 or facebook.com/hcbhs or hanoverbhs.org*

HIDDEN IN PLAIN SITE: RICHMOND
Virtually tour easily overlooked sites that tell the story of the Black experience throughout history. A desktop and VR headset option is available. *hiddeninplainsite.org/hips-experience-vr-richmond*

THE HIPPODROME THEATER
An active performance space today, it played host to Duke Ellington and Louis Armstrong in the early 20th century. The historic space also hosts a Sunday brunch. 528 N. Second St. *804-308-2913 or hippodromerichmond.com*

HISTORIC JACKSON WARD
A National Historic Landmark, this neighborhood became a cultural hub for the African American community by the early 1900s. Jackson Ward is roughly bounded by Fourth, Marshall and Smith streets and I-95. *dhr.virginia.gov*

L. DOUGLAS WILDER LIBRARY
This Virginia Union University library contains a rare book collection as well as a collection of papers, photos and recordings pertaining to the nation's first elected African American governor. Public admittance by appointment. 1500 N. Lombardy St. *804-257-5600 or vuu.edu*

MAGGIE L. WALKER MONUMENT
Bronze statue commemorating activist Maggie L. Walker. Intersection of Adams and Broad streets.

MAGGIE L. WALKER NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE
Commemorates the life of Maggie L. Walker, a civil rights activist, fraternal leader and entrepreneur — the first African American woman in the United States to charter a bank. 600 N. Second St. *804-771-2017 or nps.gov/mawa*

MENDING WALLS MURAL TOURS
Artist Hamilton Glass's collaborative project pairs diverse creators to create street art that inspires conversations about race and justice. Walking and bus tours around downtown Richmond explore the murals and surrounding communities. Need at least 10 for a tour. *mendingwallsrva.com*

MUSEUM GALLERIES AT VIRGINIA UNION
Art from West and Central Africa and the South Pacific, plus African American folk art. 1500 N. Lombardy St. (inside L. Douglas Wilder Library). *804-257-5600 or vuu.edu*

NEW KENT HISTORICAL COURTHOUSE
A marker tells the story of James Lafayette, who was born into slavery near the site around 1748 and recruited as a Colonial spy by the Marquis de Lafayette in 1781. He took Lafayette's name and was freed in 1787. 12007 Courthouse Circle. *newkenthistoricalsoc.com*

PARSONS COMMUNITY CENTER
A permanent exhibition honors three generations of the Parsons family, enslaved people who were associated with the Sheppard family from 1809 to 1939. Open Wednesday through Sunday. 3400 Mountain Road. *804-652-1455 or henrico.gov/rec/places/meadow-farm*

RICHMOND BLACK RESTAURANT EXPERIENCE
A celebration of Black-owned restaurants culminates with an annual weeklong RBRE event in March 2025. It also sponsors the Heart and Soul Festival in July, highlighting African cuisine, urban art and more. *rbre365.com*

RICHMOND NIGHT MARKET
Open-air market held from 5 to 9 p.m. on second Saturdays, April-December. It highlights community and diverse artists with music, kid's activities and interactive experiences. 17th Street Market, 100 N. 17th St. *richmondnightmarketva.com*

RICHMOND SLAVERY RECONCILIATION STATUE
This 15-foot bronze sculpture completes the triangle of Richmond; the city of Liverpool, England; and the Republic of Benin, each of which played a role in the slave trade. 15th and East Main streets. *virginia.org/listing/slavery-reconciliation-statue/4648/*

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SECOND LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH
Dates from 1866, when a group of African American members of Emmaus Baptist Church, restricted to balcony seating, formed an independent church. 8140 George W. Watkins Road, Quinton. *804-932-4245 or secondlibertybaptist.church*

SIXTH MOUNT ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
Organized in 1867 by the Rev. John Jasper, who was born enslaved on July 4, 1812. 14 W. Duval St. *804-648-7511 or smzbc.org*

SPRING PARK HISTORIC SITE
Park commemorating Gabriel, an enslaved person known for Gabriel's Rebellion in 1800. 2000 Park St. For more sites related to the rebellion, visit the Historical Marker Database, *hmdb.org/m.asp?m=24744*

TRAIL OF ENSLAVED AFRICANS
Walking trail chronicling the history of trading enslaved people, beginning at Manchester Docks. Guided tours offered. *efsinc.org/tours*

VIRGINIA CIVIL RIGHTS MEMORIAL
Memorial recognizing Barbara Johns, a 16-year-old who led a strike in 1951 in protest of the conditions at her racially segregated school. Virginia State Capitol-Capitol Square. *virginiacapitol.gov*

VIRGINIA RANDOLPH MUSEUM
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DISCOVER THE JAMES
Boat tours to see the James River's bald eagles, ospreys and Civil War history. In September, look for Atlantic sturgeon. *804-938-2350 or discoverthejames.com* $

DISCOVER RICHMOND TOURS
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DRINK RICHMOND
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JAMES RIVER ADVENTURES
Learn more about the James River and its tributaries. Seasonal tours include guided canoe and kayak trips, plus pontoon boat tours on "The Spirit of the James," where Atlantic sturgeon can be spotted during their late-summer spawning migration. *804-788-8811 or thejamesriver.org* $


RVA on Wheels

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Board a pontoon pedal boat and set off on a booze cruise along the James River at Rocketts Landing. A motor provides assistance during the hour and 45-minute cruise when sipping is preferred over cycling. Bring your own drinks. *804-214-6360 or seasuitecruises.com/paddle-club/richmond-va* $

RICHMOND BEERISTORIC
Nonprofit highlighting the role of beer in Richmond's history offers bus tours every fall to historic sites and local breweries, plus a downtown walking tour of historic tavern sites and other events. *IG: beeristoric* $

RICHMOND GHOSTS
Experience frightening tales and secret stories of Richmond's history through a guided walking tour of Shockoe Bottom, Church Hill and other locations. *804-905-7721 or rvaghosts.com* $

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RIVERFRONT CANAL CRUISES
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TRAILS

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RICHMOND REGION BEER TRAIL
Featuring more than 30 craft breweries, the Richmond Region Beer Trail makes it easy to navigate the city's sudsy sips. For more details and to download the map, visit *richmondbeertrail.com.*

RICHMOND REGION MIMOSA TRAIL
The country's first trail dedicated to brunch's favorite cocktail offers 45 venues where you can enjoy a sparkling start to your day. Get more details and earn free swag. *richmondmimosatrail.com*

RICHMOND GARDEN TRAIL
Visit some of the region's — and the country's — best public gardens. The 10 sites are all less than 10 miles apart. *richmondgardentrail.com*

RICHMOND LIBERTY TRAIL
This 6.2-mile walk links historic sites and neighborhoods, as well as 15 National Historic Landmarks. Follow the painted logo on the sidewalks on this self-guided trail, which connects to the Richmond Slave Trail and the Virginia Capital Trail. *virginia.org/libertytrail*

THE ROAD TO REVOLUTION HERITAGE TRAIL
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VIRGINIA CAPITAL TRAIL
This pedestrian and cycling trail covers more than 50 miles and runs along the James River from Richmond to Williamsburg. Restaurants, picnic areas, bike rentals and repairs, and more can be found along the trail. *804-788-6453 or virginiacapitaltrail.org*

TRAIL OF ENSLAVED AFRICANS
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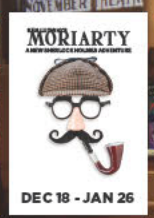
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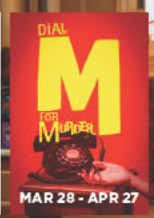
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ADA GALLERY
Contemporary fine art by emerging and mid-career artists with a focus on painting and drawing. 228 W. Broad St. *adagallery@gmail.com or adagallery.com*

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ERIC SCHINDLER GALLERY
Contemporary fine art exhibited September through June. 2305 E. Broad St. *804-644-5005 or ericschindlergallery.com*

GALLERY5
Visual and performing arts exhibited in a 19th-century fire station. 200 W. Marshall St. *gallery5arts.org*

GLAVE KOCEN PETITE
Pop-up gallery and showroom in Shockoe Bottom featuring local and visiting artist exhibitions. Houses fine art consultancy Glave Kocen Consulting. 111 N. 18th St. *804-305-5718 or glavekocenconsulting.com*

INSTITUTE FOR CONTEMPORARY ART (ICA) AT VIRGINIA COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITY
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QUIRK GALLERY
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REYNOLDS GALLERY
Two gallery locations exhibit regional and national artists' works in a range of styles. 1514 W. Main St., *804-355-6553*; 401 Libbie Ave., No. 3, *804-322-7290; or reynoldsgallery.com*

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Four galleries with monthly exhibitions featuring paintings, photography, mixed media, pottery and sculpture. 101 E. Franklin St. *804-646-7223 or rvalibrary.org*

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Exhibitions focusing on Jewish and general art themes, located within the Weinstein JCC. 5403 Monument Ave. *804-545-8644 or weinsteinjcc.org*

SHOCKOE ARTSPACE
Nonprofit gallery exhibiting local, regional and national visual artists and diverse programming. 12 N. 19th St. *209-740-0916 or shockoeartspace.com*

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A makers gallery with 10 studios and the ceramic art of more than 30 local and regional artists. 1714 E. Main St. *shockoebottomclay.com*

STUDIO TWO THREE
Nonprofit art studio and printmaking workshop with a mission to empower artists to make art and make change. 109 W. 15th St. *804-254-7302 or studiotwothree.org*

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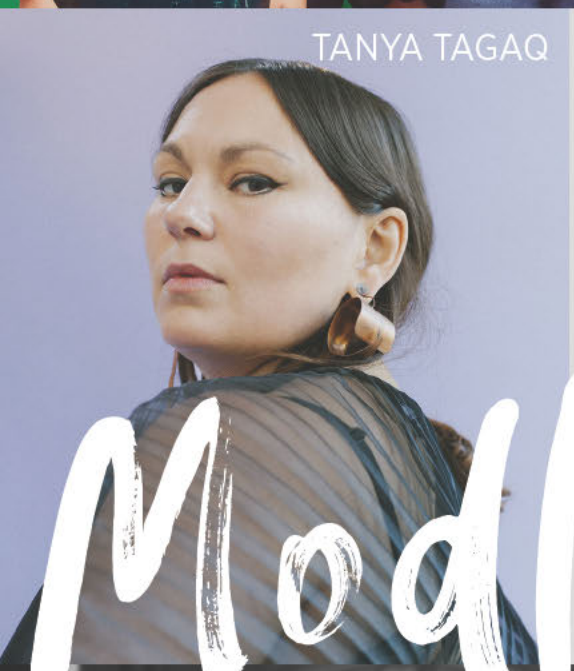
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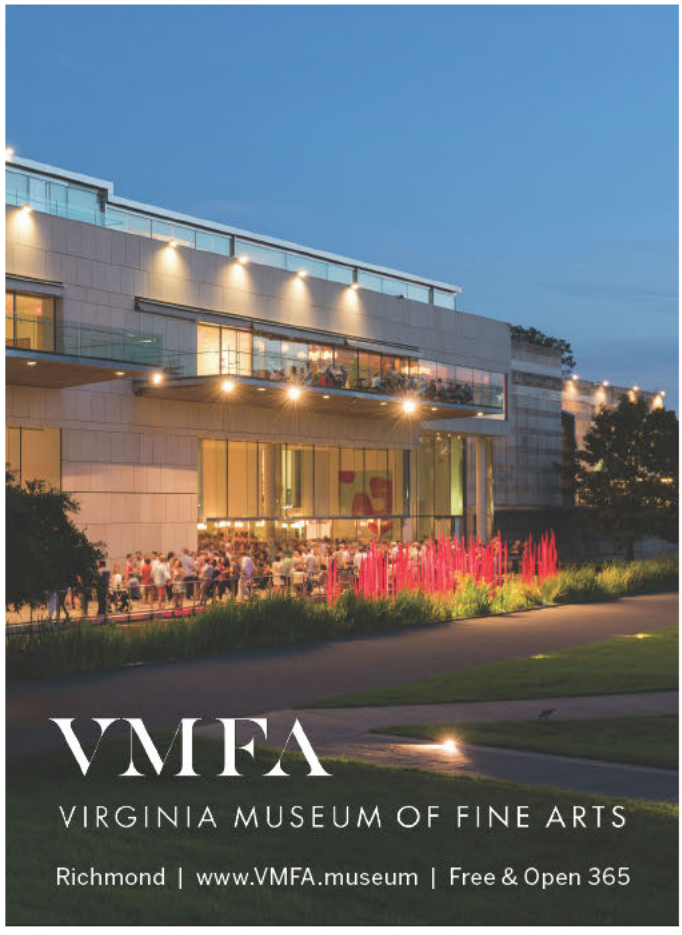
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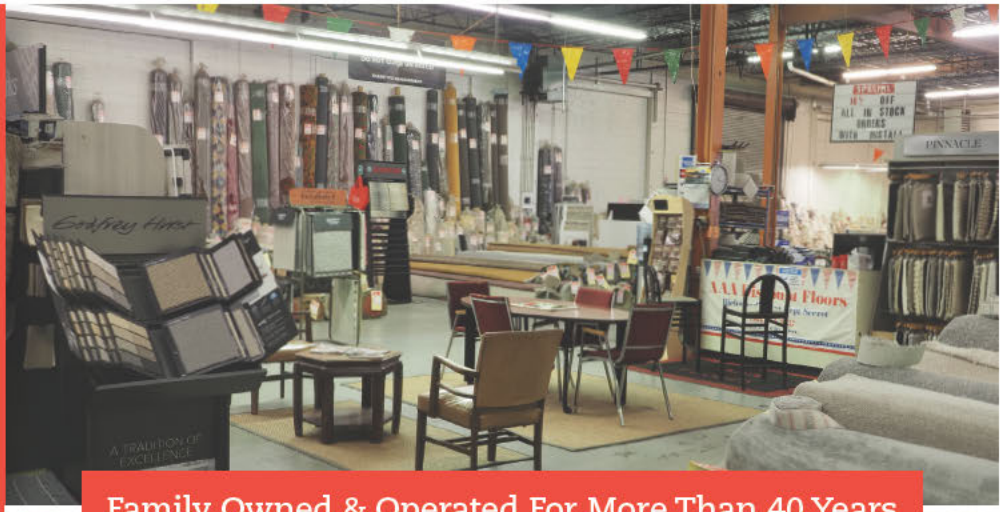
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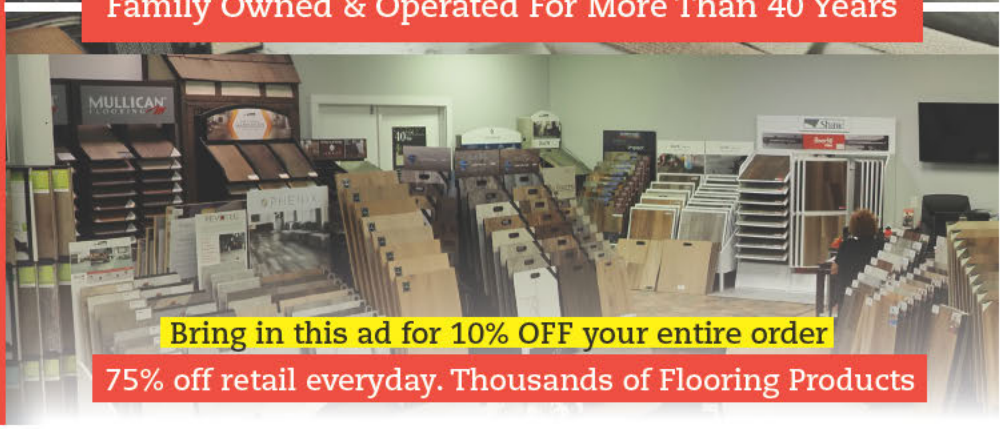
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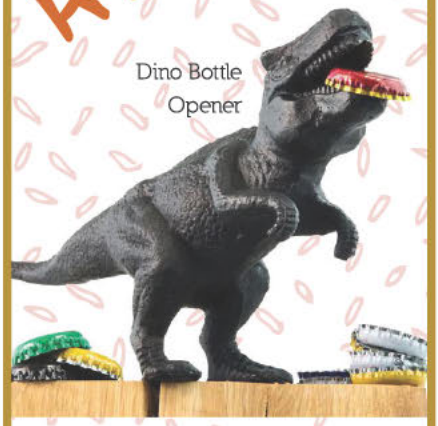
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ON THE SQUARE VA FARMERS MARKET
Local produce, pastured meats and lunches from area food vendors. 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursdays, May-September. 109 Governor St. *804-314-9141 or rvagriculture.org*

RVA BIG MARKET
More than 80 full-time and 50 part-time vendors. Saturdays, 8 a.m. to noon (May-October): 9 a.m. to noon (November-April). Bryan Park, 4308 Hermitage Road. *talktous@growrva.com or growrva.com*

RVA BLACK FARMERS MARKET
Featuring Black-owned farms, purveyors and makers. 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. 2nd and 4th Sundays, June-November. 1311 Westwood Ave. *rvablackfarmersmarket.com*

SOUTH OF THE JAMES MARKET
Farmers, artists, local food products and food trucks. 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sundays, year-round. Forest Hill Park, 4021 Forest Hill Ave. *growrva.com*

WEST END FARMERS MARKET
Local produce, herbs, eggs, honey and artisan products. 9 a.m. to noon Saturdays, year-round.

Discovery United Methodist Church, 13000 Gayton Road. *804-637-5586 or westendfarmers market.com*

MALL MANIA

CHESTERFIELD TOWNE CENTER
The new home of PopUp RVA, offering temporary shops for local businesses, plus popular specialty shops, department stores, services and restaurants. 11500 Midlothian Turnpike. *804-794-4662 or chesterfieldcenter.com*

REGENCY
A mixed-use community offering fashion and lifestyle stores, dining, and entertainment including pickleball, virtual reality and a trampoline park. 1420 N. Parham Road. *804-740-1518 or shopregencymall.com*

SHORT PUMP TOWN CENTER
This open-air shopping center includes Pottery Barn, Crate & Barrel, and an Apple Store, as well as premier shops and restaurants unique to the region. 11800 W. Broad St. *804-364-9500 or shortpumptowncenter.com*

SOUTHPARK MALL
Restaurants, specialty shops and Regal Cinemas movie theater. 230 Southpark Circle, Colonial Heights. *804-526-3900 or southparkmall.com*

STONY POINT FASHION PARK
Dog-friendly outdoor mall hosts a blend of upmarket favorites, such as Saks Fifth Avenue, Tiffany & Co. and Fleming's Steakhouse, and more than 30 local shops and restaurants. Entertainment includes CinéBistro movie theater, axe throwing and escape rooms. 9200 Stony Point Parkway. *804-560-7467 or shopstonypoint.com*

WILLOW LAWN
Outdoor shopping area offers a children's play place, fast casual restaurants, nail salons, and stores such as Old Navy, DSW and Ulta. 1601 Willow Lawn Drive. *willowlawn.com*

UNIQUE SHOPPING AREAS

ARTS DISTRICT
Specialty clothing shops, art galleries and a boutique hotel located in the Broad Street corridor downtown. *804-788-6466 or venturerichmond.com/live-downtown/historic-neighborhoods/arts-district/*

CARYTOWN
Stretching along West Cary Street, the "Mile of Style" bustles with local dining, spas and unique shops. *carytownrva.com*

DOWNTOWN ASHLAND
Find a specialty grocer, niche boutiques, antique stores and restaurants along Ashland's Center Street and Railroad Avenue. *804-496-1434 or ashlandvirginia.com*

GREENGATE
An outdoor mixed-use complex offering local shops and restaurants, boutique fitness, and spa treatments. West Broad Street at North Gayton Road. *800-370-9004 or visitrichmondva.com/listing/greengate-shopping-center/9786/*

LAKESIDE
Stores offer a mix of quirky home furnishings, antiques and gifts. *800-370-9004 or visit-richmondva.com/about/neighborhoods/lakeside/*

STONY POINT SHOPPING CENTER
Gifts, stationery, children's clothing and more at the intersection of Huguenot Road and Forest Hill Avenue. *facebook.com/stonypointshoppingcenter/*

WESTHAMPTON RVA
Local boutiques, bakeries, restaurants and shops in the Near West End, an area encompassing Patterson, Libbie and Grove avenues. *westhamptonrva.com* ›





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EVENTS

CONTINUING

UNTIL APRIL 20
'A BETTER LIFE FOR THEIR CHILDREN'
This exhibition tells the story of Julius Rosenwald and Booker T. Washington, who forged one of the earliest collaborations between Jews and African Americans to create schools throughout the nation for Black children who had no access to publicly funded education. Virginia Museum of History & Culture. *804-340-1800 or virginiahistory.org*

UNTIL JULY 6
'VIRGINIA & THE VIETNAM WAR'
An exhibition on the choices, perspectives and experiences of Virginians during the Vietnam War era. Virginia Museum of History & Culture. *804-340-1800 or virginiahistory.org*

UNTIL SEPT. 1
'EDMUND ARCHER: PERSPECTIVES ON BLACK DIGNITY'
Edmund Archer's portraits of Richmond artists working at the end of the Jim Crow era. The Valentine. *804-649-0711 or thevalentine.org*

JANUARY

JAN. 9-12
'THE LEGEND OF THE POINSETTIA'
The Latin Ballet of Virginia presents its annual production of "The Legend of the Poinsettia," which portrays the Mexican legend of a young girl who discovers the true spirit of giving. Perkinson Center for the Arts, 11810 Centre St., Chester. *804-356-3876 or latinballet.com*

JAN. 16
VA250
RELIGIOUS FREEDOM DAY
"Life, Liberty & Happiness," a lecture series that explores the evolution of contemporary relevance of America's founding ideas, begins on Religious Freedom Day with speaker Jeffrey Rosen, president and CEO of the National Constitution Center. The Valentine. *804-649-0711 or thevalentine.org*

JAN. 18
FREEDOM CLASSIC FESTIVAL
A variety of events lead up to the game between basketball rivals Virginia Union University and Virginia State University. Virginia State University. *804-644-8515 or freedomclassicfestival.com*

JAN. 18-MARCH 10
'RICH SOIL'
Inspired by the movements and gestures of Alvin Ailey's dance composition "Revelation," Kristin Mays' expression of the human form through wire pays honor to the ancestors — those that walked, lived and tended to this land. Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden. *804-262-9887 or lewisginter.org*

JAN. 25
VA250
LAFAYETTE BICENTENNIAL FAREWELL TOUR DINNER
On January 25, 1824, the Virginia General Assembly hosted Marquis de Lafayette in Richmond with a dinner and ball. Commemorate the 200th anniversary with a special evening program, including a historically inspired meal and drinks, historic music, and an intimate performance by renowned Colonial Williamsburg Nation Builders. Virginia Museum of History & Culture. *804-340-1800 or virginiahistory.org*

FEBRUARY

FEB. 1-28
THE BLACK BOOK EXPO: A CONSCIOUS LITERARY FESTIVAL
This in-person and online expo will showcase literature related to Black history, social justice, science and African Diasporic culture. Features celebrity and independent authors plus performances. Sponsored by Elegba Folklore Society. *804-644-3900 or efsinc.org*

FEB. 1-AUG. 25
TOWERS OF TOMORROW WITH LEGO® BRICKS
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FEB. 1
GLOW
Through hands-on activities, live demos and special shows, you can experience all things glow-in-the-dark and luminescent. This neon-lit adventure always gets glowing reviews. Science Museum of Virginia. *804-864-1400 or smv.org*

FEB. 8
RICHMOND CHOCOLATE, WINE & WHISKEY FESTIVAL
A broad selection of sweet treats to sample with champagne, prosecco, roses and more. Or try American bourbon & rye, tasty gins and tequilas — so many unique and interesting spirits to pair with dark chocolates and desserts. Main Street Station. *202-870-1163 or chocolatewinewhiskey.com*

FEB. 8
GARDEN INK
Explore and celebrate the artistry of botanical tattoos. A ticketed event for ages 21+. Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden. *804-262-9887 or lewisginter.org*

FEB. 9
GALENTINES DAY MARKET
Celebrate women-owned businesses and pick up something local for your loved ones this Valentine's Day. Local artists and makers will be selling handmade home décor, art, jewelry, apparel and more. Located in the Barrel Room at Hardywood Richmond. *757-358-6597 or artisanmakers.org*

FEB. 20
AFRICAN AMERICAN READ-IN
Literature and fine art come together when notable figures in the region deliver prose and poetry readings throughout the art galleries. Virginia Museum of Fine Arts. *804-340-1400 or vmfa.museum*

FEB. 26-MARCH 2
VIRGINIA ORCHID SOCIETY SHOW AND SALE
Event featuring hundreds of orchids on display and for sale, free lectures, orchid vendors and more. Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden. *804-262-9887 or lewisginter.org*

FEB. 28-MARCH 2
HISTORY BLOOMS
Workshops and floral displays, in partnership with the Garden Club of Virginia. Virginia Museum of History & Culture. *804-340-1800 or virginiahistory.org*

FEB. 28-MARCH 9
VIRGINIA WINE EXPO
Highlighted by the Walk-Around Grand Tastings, the Virginia Wine Expo welcomes the world's passionate wine drinkers and producers. Intimate wine dinners, masterclass seminars and themed events — many at historic venues — will satisfy the most discriminating palate. Main Street Station and other venues. *804-349-6909 or virginiawineexpo.com*

MARCH

MARCH 5-9
A-10 WOMEN'S BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP
The Atlantic 10 Women's Basketball Championship returns to Richmond with teams competing for an A-10 Conference championship and an automatic berth into the NCAA Tournament. Henrico Sports & Events Center. *804-236-9853 or henricocenter.com*

MARCH 7-MAY 2
'VIRGINIA WITH LOVE'
Art exhibition at the Weinstein JCC. *804-285-6500 or weinsteinjcc.org*

MARCH 8
VIRGINIA CREDIT UNION RIVER CITY HALF & 5K
Discover Richmond beyond the downtown city streets on this half marathon along the scenic James River. *804-285-9495 or sportsbackers.org*

MARCH 8
A MUSICAL TRIBUTE TO PRINCE
Anthony Cosby Jr. brings the electric joy and eclectic funk of Prince's music to the stage. Get ready to party like it's 1999 with a performance that pays tribute to the musical genius of Prince. Cultural Arts Center at Glen Allen. *804-261-2787 or artsglenallen.com*

MARCH 9-16
RICHMOND BLACK RESTAURANT EXPERIENCE
A celebration of Black-owned restaurants in the Richmond Region culminates with this week of dining deals encouraging support of the establishments. *rbre365.com*

MARCH 15
K-9 VETERANS DAY MEMORIAL DOG WALK
Bring your pup and join the 3rd Annual K-9 Veterans Day Memorial Dog Walk. Activities include a 0.9k dog walk with stops along the way to remember military service dogs throughout history and a dog caricature portrait artist. Virginia War Memorial. *804-786-2060 or vawarmemorial.org*

MARCH 15
THE VIRGINIA DERBY
Anchoring a new four-day spring meet at Colonial Downs, this race will serve as a qualifying event for the Kentucky Derby at Churchill Downs, likely guaranteeing the winning horse a post position at the Triple Crown kickoff event. Colonial Downs. *804-557-5684 or rosiesgaming.com/racing*

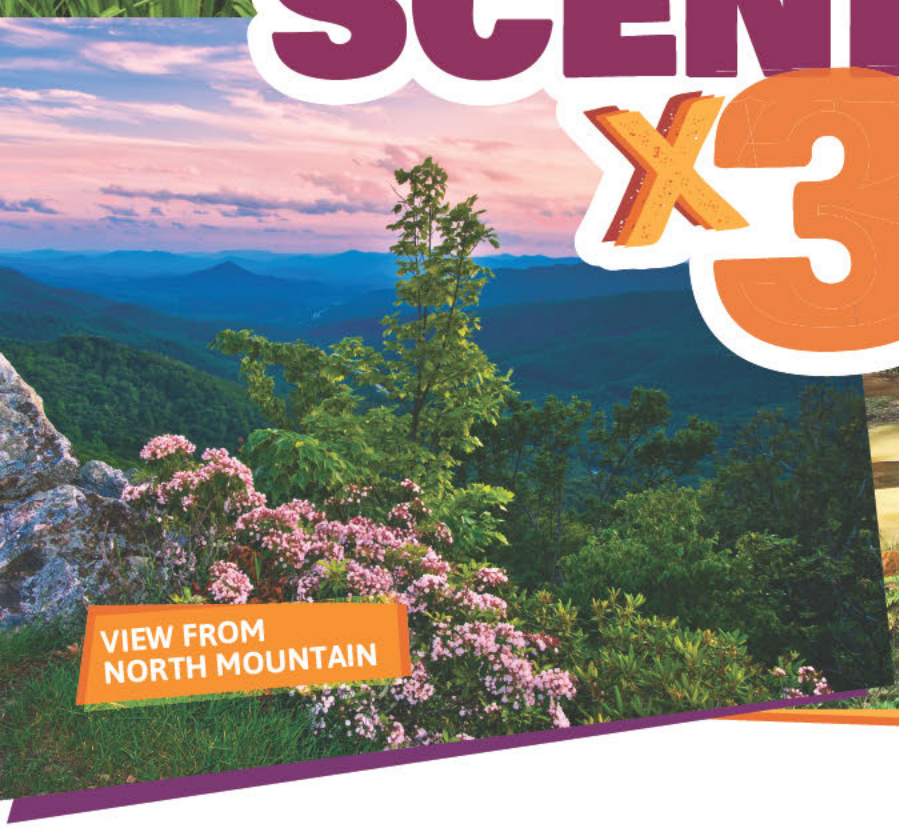
MARCH 15
VA250
HENRY'S RIDE FOR LIBERTY
Mark the 250th anniversary of Patrick Henry's seminal "give me liberty" speech with a visit to Scotchtown, his only original standing home. Experience interactive vignettes with living historians examining what liberty meant to the people of the 18th century. At the event's conclusion, Henry will ›



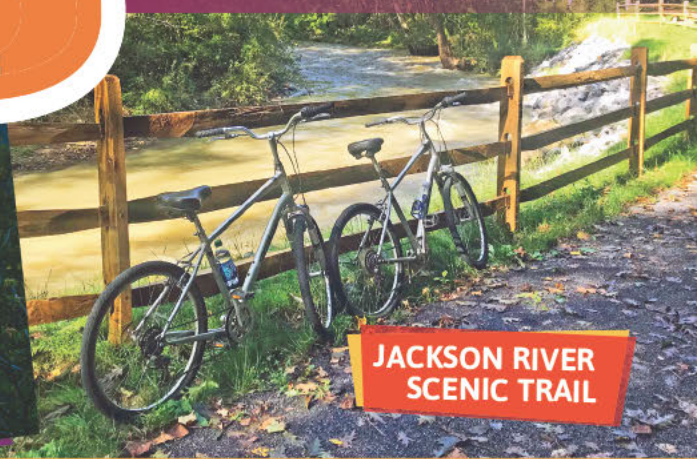
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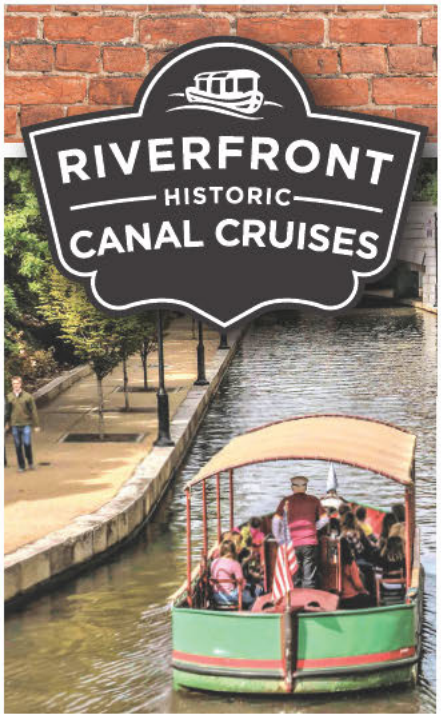
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MARCH 15-16
THE IRISH FESTIVAL
Enjoy bands and local craft beer at the 40th annual Church Hill Irish Festival. St. Patrick's Catholic Church. *804-356-1093 or churchhillirishfestival.com*

MARCH 22-JAN. 4, 2026
VA250
GIVE ME LIBERTY: VIRGINIA & THE FORGING OF A NATION
Commemorating the 250th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence, this exhibition highlights Virginia's leading role in the American Revolution. It explores the continental and global forces as well as the actions of both iconic and ordinary people that brought about a model of democratic government that changed the world. Virginia Museum of History & Culture. *804-340-1800 or virginiahistory.org*

MARCH 23
VA250
GIVE ME LIBERTY
Celebrating the 250-anniversary reenactment of Patrick Henry's "give me liberty or give me death" speech. Three seatings with the 1:30 p.m. reenactment with dignitaries and a special guest, 3:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m. Historic St. John's Church. *804-648-5015 or historicstjohnschurch.org*

MARCH 27-30
GALAXYCON RICHMOND
This three-day festival of fandom brings celebrities, artists and writers to the Richmond region for panels, arts and crafts vendors, a costume contest and actor meet-and-greets. Greater Richmond Convention Center. *919-907-0424 or galaxycon.com/pages/richmond*

APRIL

APRIL-OCTOBER
UNHAPPY HOUR
Get miserable the last Thursday of every month at a social meetup featuring libations, live music, games, costumes and gothic poetry. The Poe Museum. *804-648-5523 or poemuseum.org*

APRIL-NOVEMBER
RICHMOND NIGHT MARKET
Open-air market featuring artists, kids' activities, music and more. 5 to 9 p.m. on second Saturdays. 17th Street Market. *richmondnightmarketva.com*

APRIL 3-6
NATIONAL WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP
The National Wheelchair Basketball Championship returns in 2025. Over 1,100 wheelchair basketball players will compete for a coveted national title during the adult and junior events. Henrico Sports & Events Center. *804-236-9853 or henricocenter.com*

APRIL 4
FLYING SQUIRRELS
The Double-A Richmond Flying Squirrels play their season opener against Akron. The Diamond. *804-359-3866 or squirrelsbaseball.com*

APRIL 4-13
CHESTERFIELD RESTAURANT WEEK
More than 40 local restaurants are serving up special dinners, with a portion of the proceeds going to Chesterfield Food Bank Outreach Center. *804-784-6364 or chesterfieldchamber.com*

APRIL 4-13
WAR IN PIECES
The Virginia War Memorial Foundation will present four one-act plays written by veterans and one spouse of a veteran, which will be professionally produced and performed by Richmond's Firehouse Theatre. Tickets sold through Firehouse Theatre; performances take place at the Virginia

War Memorial. *804-786-2060 or vawarmemorial.org*

APRIL 5-SEPT. 28
'FRIDA: BEYOND THE MYTH'
This exhibition seeks to move past the mythology that still surrounds Mexican artist Frida Kahlo by exploring and elucidating the inspiring woman behind the work. Virginia Museum of Fine Arts. *804-340-1400 or vmfa.museum*

APRIL 11-13
BIZARRE BAZAAR'S SPRING MARKET
Nationally known crafters and artists present innovative gifts, antiques and garden accessories. Richmond Raceway Complex. *804-673-7015 or thebizarrebazaar.com*

APRIL 12
UKROP'S MONUMENT AVENUE 10K
More than a race, it's a block party with costumed runners, bands, spirit groups and family-friendly activities. *804-285-9495 or sportsbackers.org*

APRIL 12
FIBER FESTIVAL
Demonstrations of sheep shearing and wool fiber production, tours of the historic house, craft vendors, food trucks and more. Historic Scotchtown. *804-648-1889 or preservationvirginia.org*

APRIL 16
VA250
GLORIOUS LESSONS
Richard Brookhiser gives the Stuart G. Christian, Jr. Lecture on John Trumbull, a painter of the American Revolution. Virginia Museum of History & Culture. *804-340-1800 or virginiahistory.org*

APRIL 19
DOMINION ENERGY FAMILY EASTER
Celebrate spring with friends and family and tons of fun games, crafts and live entertainment, plus a chance to pose for pictures with the Easter Bunny. Maymont. *804-525-9000 or maymont.org*

APRIL 19
EARTH DAY
An activity-packed festival featuring hands-on activities and live demos explaining composting, bike infrastructure, solar power, recycling, native plants and pollinators, and more. Science Museum of Virginia. *804-864-1400 or smv.org*

APRIL 20
EASTER ON PARADE
The annual "People's Parade" features more than 25,000 people and dogs as they converge on Monument Avenue on Easter Sunday. *804-316-4747 or visitrichmondva.com/events*

APRIL 21-27
RICHMOND RESTAURANT WEEK
More than 40 of the area's hottest restaurants offer gourmet three-course, prix-fixe menus with a percentage of proceeds donated to Feed More, the local food pantry. *rrweek.com*

APRIL 25-26
RAGNAR TRAIL RICHMOND
This overnight trail relay combines camping and running. Pocahontas State Park. *804-285-9495 or runragnar.com*

APRIL 26
HERBS GALORE
Pick up gardening accessories and hundreds of native and specialty plants from over 75 vendors, plus music and food trucks. Maymont. *804-525-9000 or maymont.org*

APRIL 26
ASHLAND TRAIN DAY
The 21st annual festival and railroad extravaganza celebrates Ashland's love for trains with Touch a Truck, kid zones, a scavenger hunt, model trains, real trains, music, games, food and more. Downtown Ashland. *804-412-7288 or ashlandtrainday.com*

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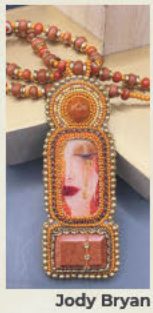
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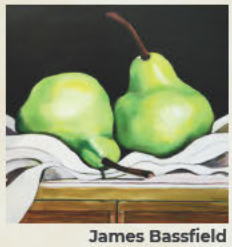

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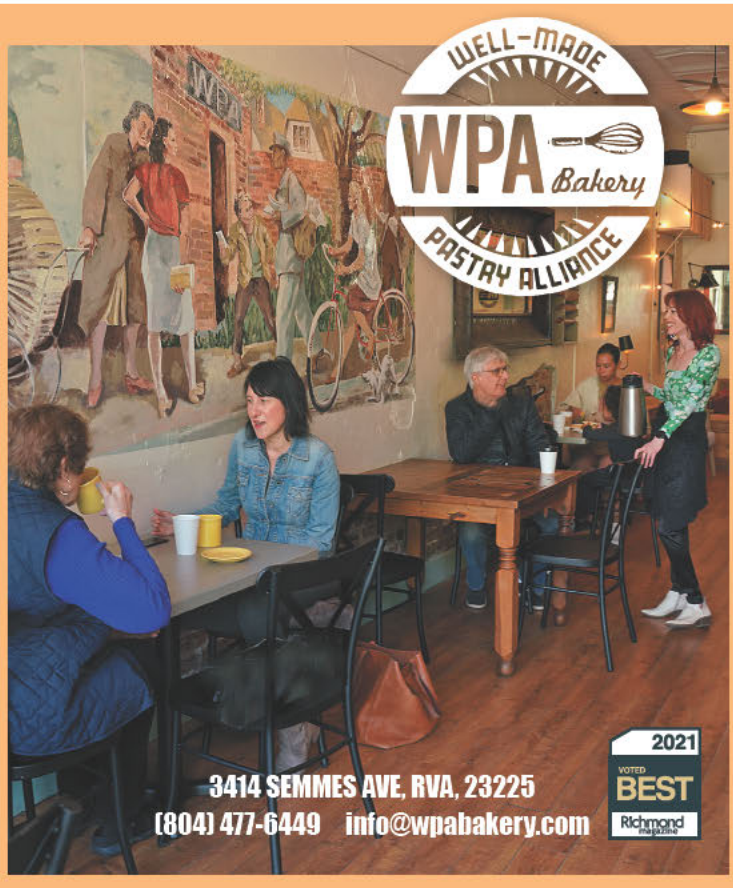


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MAY

MAY-SEPTEMBER
DOGWOOD DELL FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS
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MAY-SEPTEMBER
FOURTH FRIDAYS ASHLAND
Celebrate arts and culture by strolling the streets for sidewalk sales, art exhibits, live music and outdoor dining. Fourth Fridays, May-September. Downtown Ashland. *804-496-1434 or ashlandvirginia.com*

MAY-SEPTEMBER
GIVE ME LIBERTY
A reenactment of Patrick Henry's "give me liberty or give me death" speech. Every Sunday between Memorial Day and Labor Day, and on the Fourth of July. Historic St. John's Church. *804-648-5015 or historicstjohnschurch.org*

MAY-SEPTEMBER
GOLDEN SUMMER-BRATION
Kings Dominion celebrates its 50th anniversary with live entertainment, special culinary treats, refreshed sections in the park and the opening of the world-record-setting Rapterra roller coaster. *804-876-5000 or kingsdominion.com*

MAY-OCTOBER
POCAHONTAS PREMIERES
Outdoor concert series on select days in the Heritage Amphitheater. Pocahontas State Park. *804-796-4255 or virginiastateparks.gov*

MAY 2
SPRING PLANT SALE
More than 40 vendors selling plants ranging from familiar favorites to rare exotics and other garden-related items. Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden. *804-262-9887 or lewisginter.org*

MAY 2-JUNE 27
FRIDAY CHEERS
This summer concert series brings the best music at the best price to downtown Richmond on Fridays in May and June. Brown's Island. *804-788-6466 or venturerichmond.com*

MAY 2-JAN. 25, 2026
'FANCY: COSTUMES, CHARACTERS AND THE RICHMOND MASQUE'
Explore the ways Richmonders have used creative clothing to disguise themselves for frivolity, celebration and performance. The Valentine. *804-649-0711 or thevalentine.org*

MAY 3
¿QUE PASA? AND CINCO DE MAYO FESTIVAL OF VIRGINIA
An annual celebration of Hispanic culture. Brown's Island. *804-378-4099 or vahcc.com*

MAY 3
RUN WILD RACES
Tour the Metro Richmond Zoo at your personal top speed while raising money for animal conservation with Run Wild Races, a 5k and 10k race, 1-mile fun run or obstacle course. *804-739-5666 (zoo)* or *runwildraces.com*

MAY 3
RICHMOND BLUEGRASS JAM
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Dr. Kathleen Brown
University of Pennsylvania

March 23, 2025
Good Wives, Nasty Wenches, and Anxious Patriarchs: Gender, Race, and Power in Colonial Virginia

Rice's Hotel / Hughlett's Tavern
73 Monument Place, Heathsville, VA



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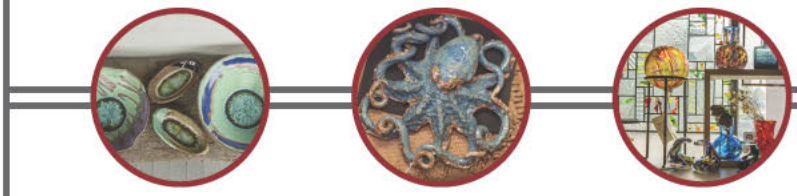
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MAY 3-4

ARTS IN THE PARK

The 52nd annual edition of this regional arts and crafts showcase, where works by more than 450 artists are displayed and available for sale. Byrd Park. *804-358-2711 or richmondartsinthepark.com*

MAY 9-10

CAP2CAP

Explore historic State Route 5 between Richmond and Williamsburg on the Virginia Capital Trail in the 20th annual Cap2Cap ride. This is a bike ride, not a race, with vendors and entertainment. Starts at Dorey Park in Henrico County. *804-788-6453 or virginiacapitaltrail.org*

MAY 10-11

FORT CLIFTON FESTIVAL

The 48th annual festival includes arts and crafts vendors offering everything from paintings to clothing; plus live entertainment, a kid's area, and food and beer vendors. Fort Clifton, Colonial Heights. *804-520-9390 or colonialheightsva.gov/532/fort-clifton-festival*

MAY 16-18

DOMINION ENERGY RIVERROCK

The nation's premier outdoor sports and music festival, with a mud run, trail runs, bouldering, concerts and demos. Brown's Island and Historic Tredegar. Free for spectators. *804-285-9495 or riverrockrva.com*

MAY 16-18

LEBANESE FOOD FESTIVAL

Enjoy roasted lamb, falafel and baklava, plus music and dancing at the 40th annual Lebanese Food Festival. Saint Anthony Maronite Church. *804-270-7234 or lebanesefoodfestival.com*

MAY 22

TRI-CITY CHILI PEPPERS

The hottest new baseball team in the Coastal Plain League, the Tri-City Chili Peppers are putting the cosmic in baseball with fun under the black lights. Shepherd Stadium in Colonial Heights. *804-499-3104 or chilipeppersbaseball.com*

MAY 26

MEMORIAL DAY CELEBRATION

The annual Memorial Day Ceremony includes patriotic music, military tributes, speakers and time to remember all who made the ultimate sacrifice in service to this country. Virginia War Memorial. *804-786-2060 or vawarmemorial.org*

MAY 29-JUNE 1

RICHMOND GREEK FESTIVAL

Fill up on moussaka, pastitsio, souvlaki and baklava while watching traditional Greek dances. Saints Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Cathedral. *804-358-5996 or greekfestival.com*

MAY 31-JUNE 1

RUN AND RIDE

Get a behind-the-scenes look at your favorite rides and attractions as you experience a course unlike any other with a run through Kings Dominion. Choose the Half Marathon, 10k, 5k or the 1-mile Fun Run distances. Kings Dominion. *804-876-5000 or kingsdominion.com*

MAY 31-SEPT. 1

ULTIMATE DINOSAURS

Prehistoric creatures meet cutting-edge technology. Augmented reality transforms detailed skeletons into moving, flesh-and-bones animals to reveal bizarre Mesozoic Era-creatures. Science Museum of Virginia. *804-864-1400 or smv.org*

JUNE

JUNE-OCTOBER

MUSIC AT MAYMONT

Live music on the lawn as the sun sets and the stars come out. Bring folding chairs or a picnic blanket and enjoy something tasty from local food trucks and craft beverage vendors. Maymont. *804-525-9000 or musicatmaymont.com*

JUNE 7
ASHLAND STRAWBERRY FAIRE
This festival fills the town with strawberry treats and booths featuring food, music and crafts. Don your best strawberry-themed outfit and get the Faire started. On the streets of Randolph-Macon College. *804-997-1946 or ashlandstrawberryfaire.com*

JUNE 14
JUNETEENTH, A FREEDOM CELEBRATION
This event observes Juneteenth National Freedom Day, the oldest emancipation commemoration, and features The Freedom Market, children's activities, a symposium and a torchlight night walk on the Trail of Enslaved Africans. Presented by the Elegba Folklore Society. *804-644-3900 or efsinc.org*

JUNE 14-JULY 5
'UN/BOUND'
"Un/Bound: Free Black Virginians, 1619-1865" i s an exhibition at the Virginia Museum of History & Culture. *804-340-1800 or virginiahistory.org*

JUNE 20-22
MAJOR LEAGUE FISHING TACKLE WAREHOUSE INVITATIONALS
The James River welcomes 150 professional anglers to compete over three days in a five-fish, weigh-in format for a top award of up to $115,000. Osborne Park and Boat Landing. *270-252-1000 or majorleaguefishing.com*

JUNE 21
JUNETEENTH FESTIVAL
Henrico County's festival will be back this year at Dorey Park for a day of family fun, with performances on two stages, an expanded vendor fair, historical and educational exhibits, a kids' zone and fireworks. *804-652-1440 or henrico.gov*

JUNE 27-JULY 10
HILL OF HEROES FLAG DISPLAY
During the weeks surrounding Independence Day, volunteers install 12,000 flags as part of the "Hill of Heroes" display and community event to honor the nearly 12,000 Virginians killed in service to the country from World War II through the present day. Virginia War Memorial. *804-786-2060 or vawarmemorial.org*

JUNE-TBD
CHESTERFIELD COUNTY JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION
Join the festivities at various programs and events throughout the month of June, culminating with the third annual Chesterfield Juneteenth Celebration. *804-748-1161 or chesterfield.gov*

JUNE-TBD
DINE OUT FOR PRIDE
Join Richmond restaurants in celebrating National Pride Month with Diversity Richmond and OutRVA's Dine Out For Pride event. With each signature item sold, $1 will be donated in equal parts to OutRVA, a community initiative of the Richmond Region Tourism Foundation, and Diversity Richmond, which is celebrating its 25th year as the hub of Richmond's LGBTQ+ community. *outrva.com/dineoutforpride*

JULY

JULY-AUGUST
THE OASIS: A HIGH NOON SUMMER CONCERT SERIES
Free lunch hour concerts in a historic garden. Noon-1 p.m., select Thursdays. Check online for the full schedule. The Valentine. *thevalentine.org*

JULY-MAY 2026
'TELLING TALES: STORIES OF ASIAN AMERICANS IN RICHMOND'
Through photographic portraits and stories, individuals in the region will share their experi- ›





ences as Asian Americans living and working in the Richmond region. The Valentine. *804-649-0711 or thevalentine.org*

JULY 4
CITIZENSHIP CEREMONY
Celebrate America by welcoming new citizens at the annual citizenship ceremony. Virginia Museum of History & Culture. *804-340-1800 or virginiahistory.org*

JULY 4
FIREWORKS
Kings Dominion: Doswell, July 4-6, *804-876-5000 or kingsdominion.com*
Chesterfield County Fairgrounds: 6901 Hopkins Road, North Chesterfield. *804-748-1161 or chesterfield.gov*
Dogwood Dell: Byrd Park, S. Arthur Ashe Blvd. *804-646-5733 or rva.gov*
Henrico County's Red, White and Lights: laser light show, Meadow Farm Museum at Crump Park, 3400 Mountain Road. *804-501-7275 or henrico.gov/rec*

JULY 18-20
BLACK PRIDE RVA
A celebration of the Black LGBTQ+ community of Greater Richmond, with panels, parties and other events. Multiple locations. *804-801-9620 or blackpriderva.com*

JULY-TBD
HANOVER TOMATO FESTIVAL
This popular tradition features craft vendors, music, kid's activities and more. Free. Pole Green Park, Mechanicsville. *804-365-6000 or hanovertomatofestival.com*

AUGUST

AUG. 1
804 DAY
RVA's biggest block party with four stages of great live music, food, drinks and lots of community. *shockoerecords.com/804day*

AUG. 1-31
FOOD AND WINE FESTIVAL
The Food and Wine Festival returns to Kings Dominion on selected days with a special selection of Virginia wines, unique food pairings, live music and lawn games. *804-876-5000 or kingsdominion.com*

AUG. 2
VIRGINIA BREWS
Celebrate Virginia Craft Beer Month at the seventh annual Virginia Brews craft beer festival featuring beverages from around the commonwealth, music, food trucks and access to all museum exhibitions. Virginia Museum of History & Culture. *804-340-1800 or virginiahistory.org*

AUG. 15-16
NASCAR WEEKEND
NASCAR returns to Richmond Raceway with the NASCAR Craftsman Truck Series regular-season finale on Friday, and Cup Series drivers vying for a spot in the playoffs under the lights on Saturday. Richmond Raceway. *866-455-7223 or richmondraceway.com*

AUG. 16
34TH DOWN HOME FAMILY REUNION
A weekend-long celebration of African American folklife with world music and dance, a heritage market, children's events, interactive site demonstrations and down-home healthy food. Presented by Elegba Folklore Society. *804-644-3900 or efsinc.org*

AUG. 22-30
CHESTERFIELD COUNTY FAIR
Ride a ride. Watch a show. Visit an exhibit. Find the fun. It's all at the Chesterfield County Fair at the Fairgrounds on Courthouse Road in Chesterfield. *chesterfieldcountyfair.org*

AUG. 23
ASHLAND HALF MARATHON
Run 13.1 miles through rolling hills and picturesque fields, and maybe even race a train or two. Ashland. *804-285-9495 or sportsbackers.org*


Richmond Folk Festival

AUGUST-TBD
FESTIVAL OF RACING
Colonial Down's Festival of Racing, one of Virginia's most prestigious horse races, features the Grade 1 Arlington Million, the Grade 2 $500,000 Beverly D., and the Grade 2 $500,000 Secretariat Stakes. All three races are slated to be run over the acclaimed Secretariat Turf Course. Colonial Downs. *804-966-7223 or colonialdowns.com/racing*

AUGUST-TBD
CARYTOWN WATERMELON FESTIVAL
Sidewalk sales, live music and lots of watermelon. Carytown. Free. *carytownwatermelonfestival.com*

AUGUST-TBD
RICHMOND JAZZ AND MUSIC FESTIVAL
Experience a joyful display of jazz, funk, soul, and R&B on multiple stages at one of the East Coast's largest music festivals, which draws nationally and internationally known artists. Maymont and other city venues. *804-644-8515 or richmondjazzandmusicfestival.com*

SEPTEMBER

SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER
HALLOWEEN HAUNT AT KINGS DOMINION
This theme park goes to the ghouls with more than 400 monsters roaming the grounds, daytime Tricks & Treats, thrilling rides, attractions, shows and haunted mazes. Select weekends. Kings Dominion, Doswell. *804-876-5000 or kingsdominion.com*

SEPTEMBER-TBD
'WEST BY WATER'
Richmond photographer John Henley and writer Harry Kollatz Jr. join forces in this exhibition to tell the story of the city's historic James River & Kanawha Canal. The Valentine. *804-649-0711 or thevalentine.org*

SEPT. 11
PATRIOT DAY CEREMONY
This event commemorating Sept. 11, 2001, includes speakers, music and time to remember those who lost their lives that day. Virginia War Memorial. *804-786-2060 or vawarmemorial.org*

SEPT. 13
VIRGINIA DISTILLED
Enjoy a night out filled with music, food trucks and samples of spirits from Virginia distilleries. Virginia Museum of History & Culture. *804-340-1800 or virginiahistory.org*

SEPT. 20-21
BIER GARDEN
Toast the fall with family and friends at this two-night, Bavarian-style festival of food, music and many varieties of beer. Kids will enjoy the Kinderzone. Maymont. *804-525-9000 or maymont.org*

SEPTEMBER-TBD
43RD STREET FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS
This juried fine arts and craft show features 75 local and regional artisans, music, and food. West 43rd Street and Forest Hill Avenue. *804-233-1758 or robincagepottery.com/events2*

SEPTEMBER-TBD
RICHMOND INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL
Screenings of more than 150 films from across the globe, plus concerts, industry panels and other media presentations. Locations vary. *804-219-0675 or rvafilmfestival.com*

SEPTEMBER-TBD
RUN RICHMOND 16.19
Experience 400 years of Black history on a unique running course of 16.19k and 6.19k through Richmond. *runrichmond1619.org*

SEPTEMBER-TBD
RUN WILD RACES
Tour the Metro Richmond Zoo at your personal top speed while raising money for animal conservation with Run Wild Races, a 5K and 10K race, 1-mile run or obstacle course. Metro Richmond Zoo. *804-739-5666 (zoo) or runwildraces.com*

SEPTEMBER-TBD
VA PRIDEFEST 2025
Celebrating unity and diversity, this annual event features dozens of vendors, food and music in an atmosphere welcoming to all. Sponsored by OutRVA. Location TBD. *804-592-1093 or vapride.org*

OCTOBER

OCT. 1-31
ARTOBERVA
More than 150 artists and organizations participate in this monthlong celebration of the arts, presented by Richmond's CultureWorks. Multiple locations. *804-340-5280 or artoberva.com*

OCT. 1-31
ASHLAND HALLOWEEN
A month of dastardly days and nightmarish nights jam-packed with events and promotions, including a scavenger hunt, Halloween market, and spooky lights tour. Downtown Ashland. *804-412-7288 or ashlandvirginia.com/halloween*

OCT. 4-5
2ND STREET FESTIVAL
Jackson Ward, the neighborhood once known as the "Harlem of the South," is the site for a long-running celebration of history and culture. Enjoy multiple music stages, food vendors and a marketplace. Second Street. *804-788-6466 or venturerichmond.com*

OCT. 10-12
RICHMOND FOLK FESTIVAL
An eclectic mix of musicians, artisans, dancers, and more from all over the world bring their unique cultural traditions to Richmond. A hearty food selection rounds out the experience. Downtown's riverfront from Historic Tredegar to Brown's Island. *804-788-6466 or richmondfolkfestival.org*

OCT. 13-19
DOMINION ENERGY CHARITY CLASSIC
Part of the PGA TOUR Champions (players aged 50 and older), this tournament returns as some of golf's greatest players compete in the opening event of the FedEXCup Playoffs. The Country Club of Virginia, James River Course. *804-234-8840 or dominionenergycharityclassic.com*

OCT. 15-NOV. 9
GARDEN GLOW
Experience the unexpected as dramatic lighting and light sculptures transform familiar landscapes into an unforgettable, immersive after-dark experience. Maymont. *804-525-9000 or maymont.org*

OCT. 17-18
RICHMOND OKTOBERFEST
Enjoy bratwurst, knockwurst and other German classics, plus entertainment and, of course, beer, at this annual celebration. Proceeds benefit local

college scholarships and German cultural groups. Richmond Raceway Complex, Old Dominion Building. *804-342-0310 or richmondoktober festinc.com*

OCT. 17-19
NIGHTMARE WEEKEND
GalaxyCon gets creepy at the Nightmare Weekend with three days of scary celebrities, petrifying parties, villainous vendors, ghastly gaming, creepy cosplay contests and fearful fun for everyone. Richmond Convention Center. *919-907-0424 or galaxycon.com/pages/richmond*

OCT. 17-19
RICHMOND TATTOO & ARTS CONVENTION
Get some new ink or watch the artists in action at the nation's longest continually operating tattoo convention, now in its 37th year. *richmond tattooconvention.com*

OCT. 17-30
HALLOWEEN LIGHTS TOUR
Get a little spooky in style and see the best of Richmond's Halloween displays. You and your group will ride in a comfortable, climate-controlled, spooky bus to see all the best displays in the city and the surrounding area. *804-213-2330 or discover richmondtours.com*

OCT. 18
MID-LOTHIAN MINES DAY
Immersing attendees in Midlothian's history of coal mining and railroads, this event features period displays, crafters, exhibits, coal mine walking tours, music and children's activities. Mid-Lothian Mines Park. *804-751-4946 or midlomines.org*

OCT. 20-26
RICHMOND RESTAURANT WEEK
More than 40 of the area's hottest restaurants offer a gourmet, three-course, prix-fixe menu with a portion of each meal donated to Feed More. *rrweek.com*

OCT. 24-26
EERIE CANAL CRUISES
Riverfront Canal Cruises hosts three special nights of hauntingly narrated canal boat tours. Canal Walk's Turning Basin, 139 Virginia St. *venturerichmond.com*

OCTOBER-TBD
ARMENIAN FOOD FESTIVAL
A tradition for more than 60 years, this festival features authentic Armenian cuisine, music and dancing. St. James Armenian Church. *804-282-3818 or stjamesva.org*

OCTOBER-TBD
OYSTER WEEK RVA
The second annual Richmond Oyster week to benefit the Chesapeake Bay Foundation is designed to showcase the world class oysters grown locally. Participating restaurants will be serving up Virginia oysters and will donate 15% of oyster sales to save the bay. *eat@rrweek.com* or *oysterweekrva.com*

OCTOBER-TBD
VIRGINIA VINES
Enjoy a night out filled with music, food trucks and samples of wines from Virginia wineries. Virginia Museum of History & Culture. *804-340-1800 or virginiahistory.org*

NOVEMBER

NOVEMBER-DECEMBER
KINGS DOMINION'S WINTERFEST
The theme park transforms into a winter wonderland featuring millions of lights, a 300-foot tree, live shows, ice rink and festive treats. Kings Dominion, Doswell. *804-876-5000 or kingsdominion.com*

NOVEMBER-DECEMBER
LIGHT UP THE TRACKS
Downtown Ashland hosts a mile-long holiday light display and six weeks of special events. *804-496-1434 or ashlandvirginia.com* ›

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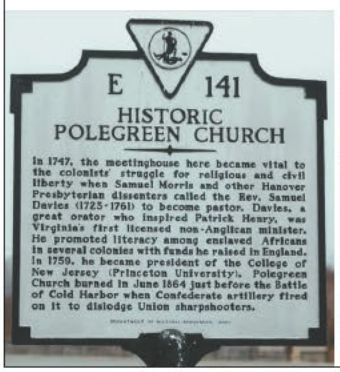
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NOVEMBER-DECEMBER

TACKY LIGHTS TOURS

More than 80 homes participate in this annual Richmond tradition of over-the-top holiday displays of lights and decorations. Check local bus, trolley and limo services for tour info, and find the complete lineup for self-guided tours at *richmond.com*.

NOV. 1

HOPS IN THE PARK

Craft breweries gather to offer samples and sips in the historic setting of the 17th-century re-creation of the Citie of Henricus. Henricus Historical Park. *804-748-1611 or hopsinthepark.com*

NOV. 11

VETERANS DAY CEREMONY

Those who have served and who are currently serving in the United States Armed Forces are honored by guest speakers, patriotic music and recognition of the winners of the Veterans Day Student Essay Contest. Virginia War Memorial. *804-786-2060 or vawarmemorial.org*

NOV. 15

ALLIANZ PARTNERS RICHMOND MARATHON

With three different distances, great course support and a post-race party on Brown's Island, runners of all ages can experience "America's Friendliest" races. *804-285-9495 or richmondmarathon.org*

NOV. 24-JAN. 4, 2026

DOMINION ENERGY GARDENFEST OF LIGHTS

Appealing to all ages, the gardens are transformed with half a million lights and hand-crafted botanical decorations. Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden. *804-262-9887 or lewisginter.org*

NOV. 28-30

MODEL RAILROAD SHOW

Train lovers of all ages will enjoy exploring elaborate displays of scaled locomotives riding through intricate landscapes and miniature cities, plus train-themed hands-on activities and live demos. Science Museum of Virginia. *804-864-1400 or smv.org*

NOVEMBER-TBD

CRAFT + DESIGN

Craft + Design is a museum-quality show featuring artists from around the country. Main Street Station. *804-353-0094 or visarts.org*

NOVEMBER-TBD

INLIGHT RICHMOND

Organized by 1708 Gallery, InLight is a free public exhibition of light-based art and multimedia featuring performances, sculpture, video, and interactive projects that illuminate pathways, walls, sidewalks and green spaces. Location TBD. *804-643-1708 or 1708gallery.org/inlight*

NOVEMBER-TBD

JEWISH FOOD FESTIVAL

Savor classics such as beef brisket, stuffed cabbage and latkes during this annual food festival organized by Keneseth Beth Israel. Weinstein JCC. *804-288-7953 or richmondjewishfoodfestival.com*

NOVEMBER-DECEMBER TBD

SOUL SANTA

It's that time of year again when the big guy himself comes to visit. Soul Santa will be at the Black History Museum & Cultural Center of Virginia. Join him for crafts, storytelling, photos and fun. *804-780-9093 or blackhistorymuseum.org*

DECEMBER

DEC. 3

COLONIAL HEIGHTS CHRISTMAS PARADE

This parade begins at 7 p.m. and follows the Boulevard from Temple Avenue to the Colonial Heights Courthouse. *804-520-9390 or colonialheightsva.gov/627/Christmas-Parade*

DEC. 4-7
BIZARRE BAZAAR'S CHRISTMAS COLLECTION
Virginia's largest gift show features artists, crafters, home decor, clothing, jewelry and much more. Richmond Raceway Complex. *804-673-7015 or thebizarrebazaar.com*

DEC. 5
PEARL HARBOR DAY REMEMBRANCE CEREMONY
Virginians who died on the morning of Dec. 7, 1941, will be commemorated with wreaths and a reading of names. Virginia War Memorial. *804-786-2060 or vawarmemorial.org*

DEC. 6
ASHLAND CHRISTMAS MARKET
Inspired by open-air holiday markets around the world, downtown shops and businesses take their wares to the streets with sidewalk sales, displays, and specials, along with over 100 local artists and makers. Downtown Ashland. *804-496-1434 or ashlandvirginia.com*

DEC.6
DOMINION ENERGY CHRISTMAS PARADE
The 2-mile parade features floats, bands, huge helium balloons, majorettes, horses and, naturally, Santa Claus. It begins at the Science Museum of Virginia and continues downtown via Broad Street. *804-788-6470 or richmondparade.org*

DEC. 6
RVA ILLUMINATES
A downtown tradition since 1984, this event opens the holidays as millions of tiny lights outlining the city's skyline are lit. Kanawha Plaza. *804-646-5733 or rva.gov*

DEC. 7-24
LEGENDARY SANTA
Families can visit Legendary Santa, a Richmond holiday tradition since 1936, and explore holidays around the world in the museum's Holiday Village exhibit. Children's Museum of Richmond, Downtown. *804-474-7000 or childrensmuseumofrichmond.org*

DEC. 13
CARMAX TACKY LIGHT RUN
Dress up in your tackiest gear for a holiday fun run through some of the region's most festive neighborhoods. *804-285-9495 or sportsbackers.org*

DEC. 14
WINTER WANDER
A holiday festival featuring local goods, crafts, food, music and dance. Tours of the historic Wickham House and the Court End neighborhood offered. Free shuttles run from the Valentine to nearby cultural sites for open houses and special tours. East Clay Street. *804-649-0711 or thevalentine.org*

DEC. 20-22
MIRACLE OF CHRISTMAS
A live nativity pageant at the Metro Richmond Zoo celebrates the birth of Jesus Christ. The 20-minute pageant will be presented three times each evening with live musical performances provided by local churches and performing arts groups. Metro Richmond Zoo. *804-739-5666 (zoo) or metrorichmondzoo.com/moc*

DEC. 27
CAPITAL CITY KWANZAA FESTIVAL
Billed as one of the largest Kwanzaa festivals on the East Coast, Richmond's celebration includes a ceremony, performances, food, workshops, children's activities and The African Market. Sponsored by Elegba Folklore Society. *804-644-3900 or efsinc.org*

DECEMBER-TBD
MERRY MARKET
Kickstart your holiday shopping with 60-70 local artisans, warm treats and hot cocoa — or something stronger — around cozy fire pits while listening to carolers, and meet St. Nicholas, too. Maymont. *804-525-9000 or maymont.org*

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Highland County

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Hopewell

Located a short drive from Richmond, come Discover Hopewell. Your adventure begins hiking the Hopewell Riverwalk at City Park before settling into a kayak to explore the flat water of the Appomattox and James Rivers. Fishing piers are open daily at Hopewell City Marina, and Old City Point Waterfront Park. Stroll historic Downtown, Appomattox Manor and Weston Manor. Enjoy fine waterfront dinning and desert before taking in a show at the Beacon Theatre. Information: **visithpg.com**

Jamestown Settlement

At Jamestown Settlement, explore the compelling story of America's beginnings. You'll learn about the Virginia Indians who occupied the region for centuries, the arrival of European colonists to Jamestown in 1607 and the first documented arrival of West Central Africans in 1619. Just a short drive away, the American Revolution Museum at Yorktown tells the story of America's fight for independence and the formation of a new nation. With attractions such as our re-created encampment, a Revolution-era farm and dynamic gallery exhibits, you'll be at the heart of revolutionary moments in our nation's history. Both museums welcome guests daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., except Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's days. Visit **jyfmuseums.org.**

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outdoor adventurer in you. So, pack your bags, lace up your shoes, and get ready to create lasting memories exploring the banks of both the Potomac and Rappahannock rivers. Plan for unexpected memories at **visitkinggeorge.com/48-hours**.

Lexington, Buena Vista & Rockbridge County

Seize the day trip! At the southern gateway to the Shenandoah Valley, Lexington invites you to experience 30 family-friendly attractions within 30 miles. Find fun at Virginia Safari Park and Dinosaur Kingdom II, then be inspired by the geological wonder Natural Bridge State Park. Follow iconic landmarks along the Blue Ridge Parkway and Appalachian Trail before sipping a craft beer on the Shenandoah Beerwerks Trail. Tour downtown by horse-drawn carriage and grab a bite or hit the shops. Start exploring at **lexingtonvirginia.com**.

Mecklenburg County

Escape the city and discover the charm of Mecklenburg County, Virginia — just a short drive away! Home to Buggs Island Lake and Lake Gaston, enjoy scenic water recreation, award-winning wineries, and craft breweries. Wander the vibrant Mural Trail, explore historic treasures like MacCallum More Museum & Gardens or unwind at cozy parks and campgrounds. With endless outdoor adventures, delightful dining and authentic Southern hospitality, Mecklenburg offers "More of What Matters." Start your journey at **VisitMeckVA.com**!

Northern Neck

The NNK250 commemoration highlights the role of the Northern Neck in founding the United States of America. Make a weekend trip to the Northern Neck National Heritage Area to tour historic sites, taste local wine, and explore nature and water trails that surround the peninsula. The Northern Neck is known for seafood and has farm stands and small markets throughout the region. The opportunities to unplug — and recharge — are abundant! Learn more at **northernneck.org**.

Orange County

Established in 1734, Orange County's story is authentically American. Nestled in the Piedmont region of Virginia, famed for rolling hills, horses and world-renowned wines, Orange County is rich in agricultural and intellectual gifts. From the Revolutionary War and the founding of the Constitution to today's craft beverage scene, Orange County is a cradle of American patriotism with an extraordinary sense of place. Whether you're strolling down the tree-lined boulevards in our picturesque downtowns, dining in our chef- and family-owned restaurants, enjoying a hike through the foothills of the Blue Ridge or revisiting America's roots at James Madison's Montpelier, Orange County is a community where the past is abundantly present! **visitorangevirginia.com**

Petersburg Area Regional Tourism

Discover the Best PART of Virginia, where history, attractions, and adventure await! Easily accessible via Interstates 95, 85, 295 and Route 460, this area features two scenic rivers, trails, NHRA racing, and charming downtowns offering restaurants, art, B&Bs, a boutique hotel and grapes & hops. Explore historical landmarks like Pamplin Park, Petersburg National Battlefield and Blandford Church. Learn about civil rights, military history and the legacy of Czech and Slovak immigrants. Whether you're seeking outdoor fun, cultural sites or local flavors, you'll find it here. Visit **BestPARTVA.org** and start planning your unforgettable trip today!

Sail Yorktown

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Smith Mountain Lake

Smith Mountain Lake, nestled at the foot of Virginia's Blue Ridge Mountains, offers 20,000 acres of pristine water and 500 miles of shoreline. Known for serene boating, thrilling water sports and world-class fishing, it's a haven for outdoor enthusiasts. Off-water attractions include golf, hiking, wineries and vibrant events throughout the year. Discover everything this destination offers and plan your visit with a FREE guide by logging onto **VisitSmithMountainLake.com**.

Spotsylvania County

Make Spotsylvania Your Spot! Located less than an hour's drive north of Richmond, Spotsylvania County is a one-of-a-kind destination that boasts water sports and fishing on Lake Anna, a multi-track raceway, award-winning wineries and breweries, a world-famous distillery and diverse dining options, as well as miles of scenic trails on Civil War battlefields. Explore museums highlighting local history, aviation, railroads and much more. Spotsylvania has a SPOT for everyone — Make it YOURS! **VisitSpotsy.com**

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Discover the rural charm of Surry County, Virginia!

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One hour from Richmond, where the Rappahannock River meets the Chesapeake Bay, is Virginia's River Realm with 8 great, small towns and 465 miles of shoreline. Find its hidden gems – locally farmed produce, fresh seafood, wineries, waterfront restaurants, boating, camping, boutique shopping, plus unique events and attractions. Enjoy the wonder of a perfect oyster, the promise of a back road or a secret cove and the pleasure of sharing a table with friends. **virginiasriverrealm.com**

Virginia State Parks

Virginia's 41 diverse state parks offer adventure from coastal shores to stunning mountains. Choose a park for your favorite kind of adventure. For water lovers, consider 25 parks with paddle-craft access, many offer guided kayaking tours. For hikers, you'll find 400+ miles of multi-use trails. And for biking enthusiasts, there's a park for every riding style. Within a two-hour drive of Richmond find 20 state parks. Book a park cabin or campsite when exploring further! **virginiastateparks.gov**

West Point and King William County

Discover the charm of West Point and King William County, just a short drive east of Richmond. Nestled between the Pamunkey, Mattaponi and York rivers, the historic town of West Point celebrates its heritage as a Native American village, port and resort town. Stroll down Main Street to Beach Park, shop quaint boutiques and savor local fare. Venture into King William to explore rolling farmlands, artisan farms, Native American museums, a winery, outdoor recreation and unique shops and restaurants. Stay in one of the area's many vacation rentals and soak in the coastal and country charm of WPKW. **visitwestpointkingwilliam.com**

Yorktown

Step back in time to explore 18th-century landmarks, then unwind with modern-day delights that the whole family will enjoy. Nestled between the American Revolution Museum at Yorktown and the Yorktown Battlefield, this charming destination boasts a picturesque one-mile stretch filled with specialty shops, captivating museums, waterfront dining and unique shopping experiences. Rent a paddleboard, kayak or electric bike to take in the stunning views of the York River and enjoy an unforgettable sunset. Stroll down Main Street and visit the Gallery at York Hall, featuring the work of talented local artists, or explore several fascinating National Park Service sites. Treat yourself to irresistible goodies at a cozy café or candy shop, and for a fun, nostalgic twist, hop aboard an old-fashioned Stanley Steamer Wagon for a journey through the past. At Riverwalk Landing, enjoy free outdoor concerts, bustling Saturday farmers' markets, and vibrant music and food festivals. With the complimentary Yorktown Trolley connecting all the top attractions, your adventure will be both seamless and stress-free. Whether it's a quick getaway or a weekend escape, Yorktown offers unforgettable memories for every visitor. Make your own history in Yorktown — plan your trip today at **visityorktown.org**.



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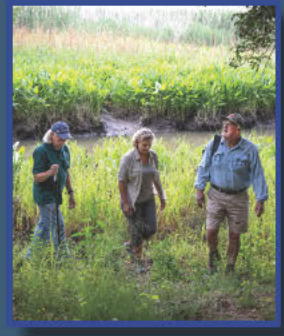
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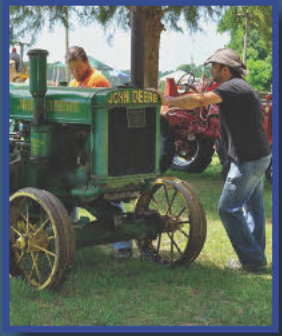
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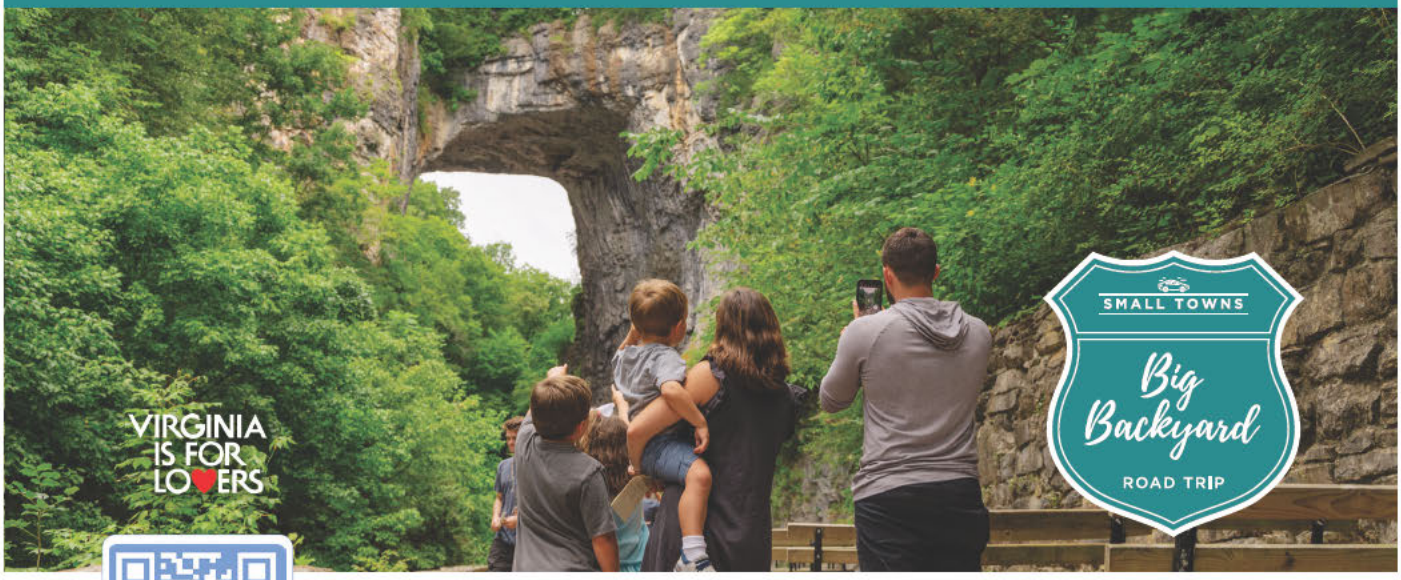


Discover Hopewell

Discover **Hopewell, Virginia** located just 20 minutes south of Richmond at the convergence of the James and Appomattox Rivers. Come take in a show at the historic **Beacon Theater**. Explore the water on foot or kayak at the **Hopewell Riverwalk**. Visit historic **Weston Manor** and **Appomattox Manor** to walk in the footprints of the nation's founders. Enjoy drinks and dinner on the deck of the **Boathouse at City Point** overlooking the James River.



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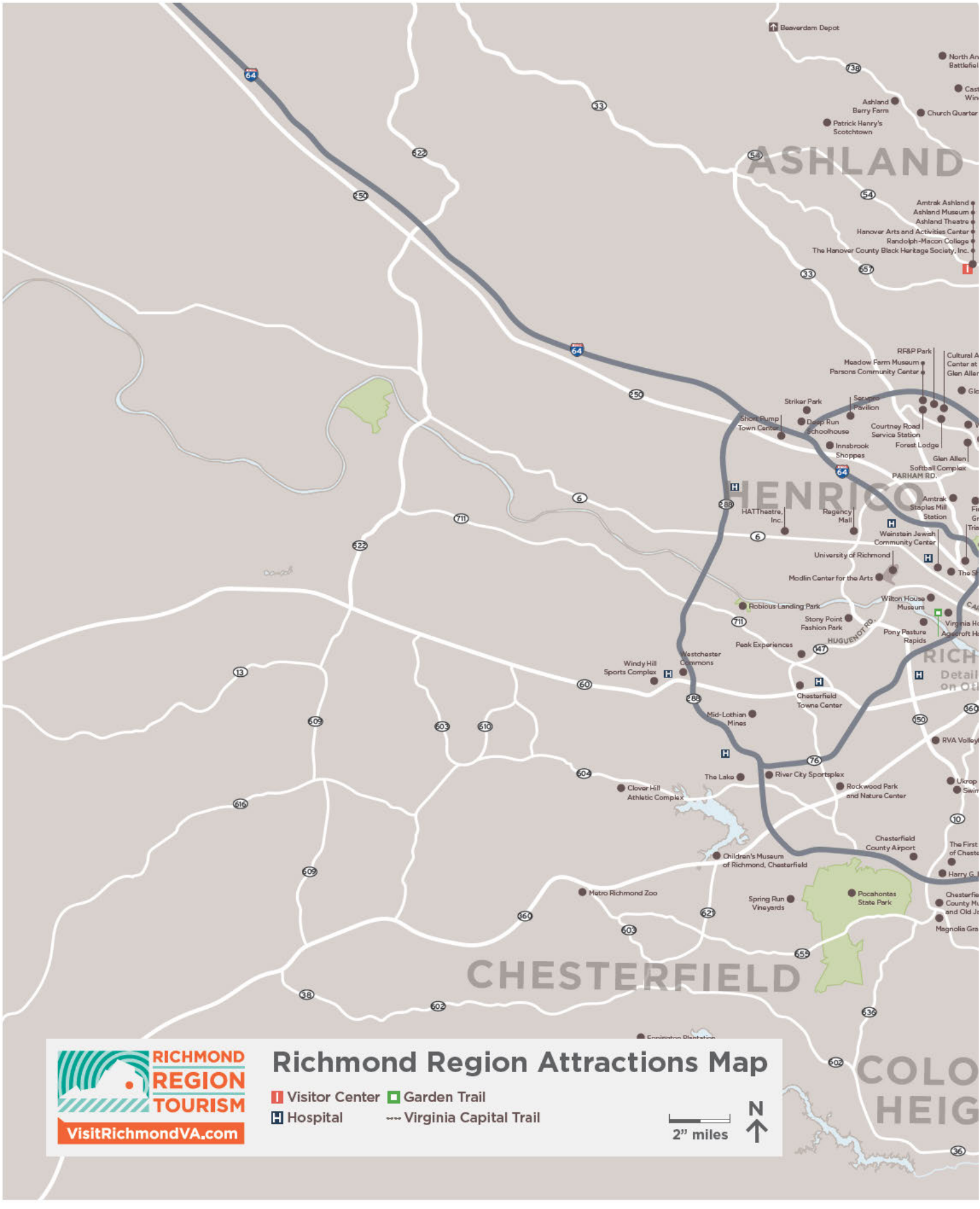
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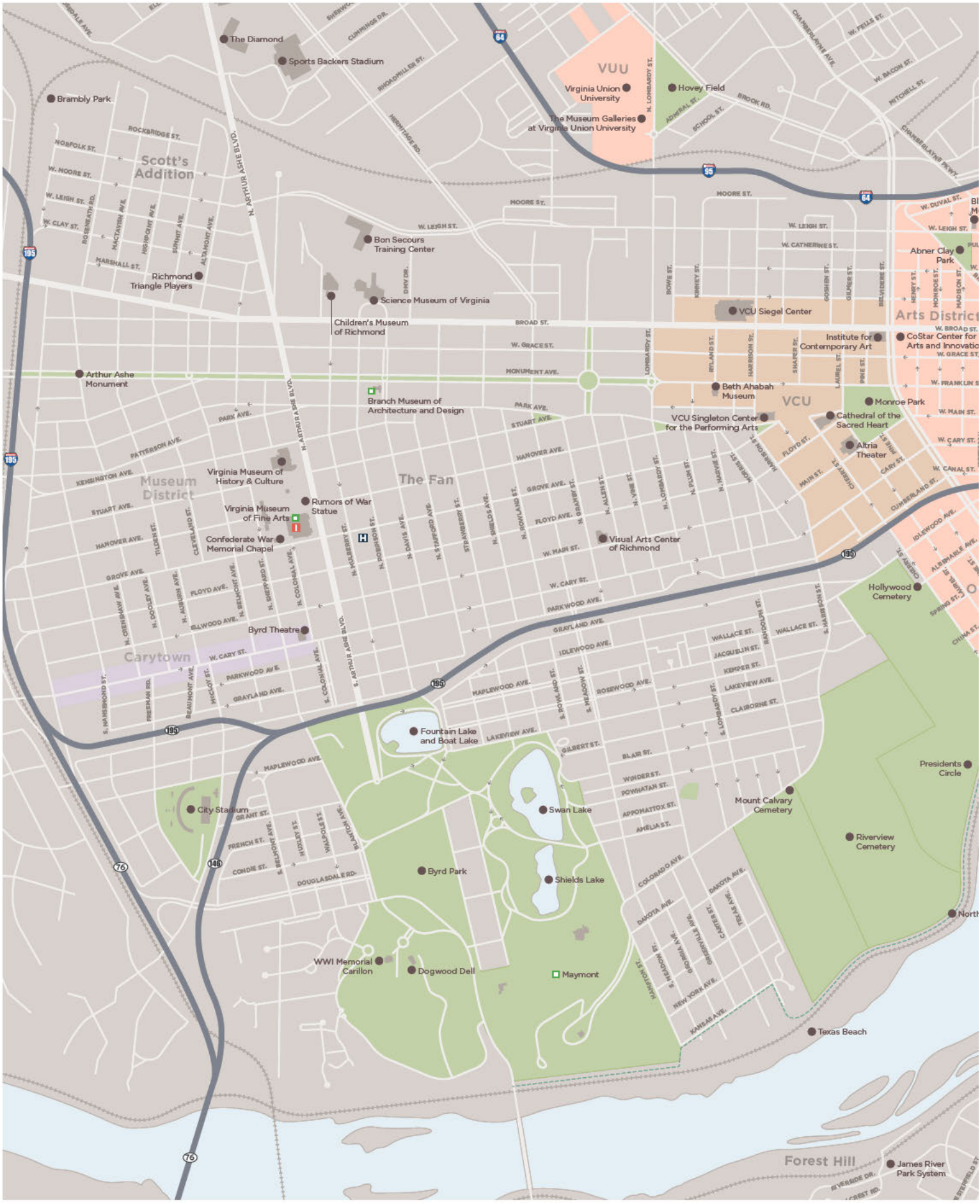
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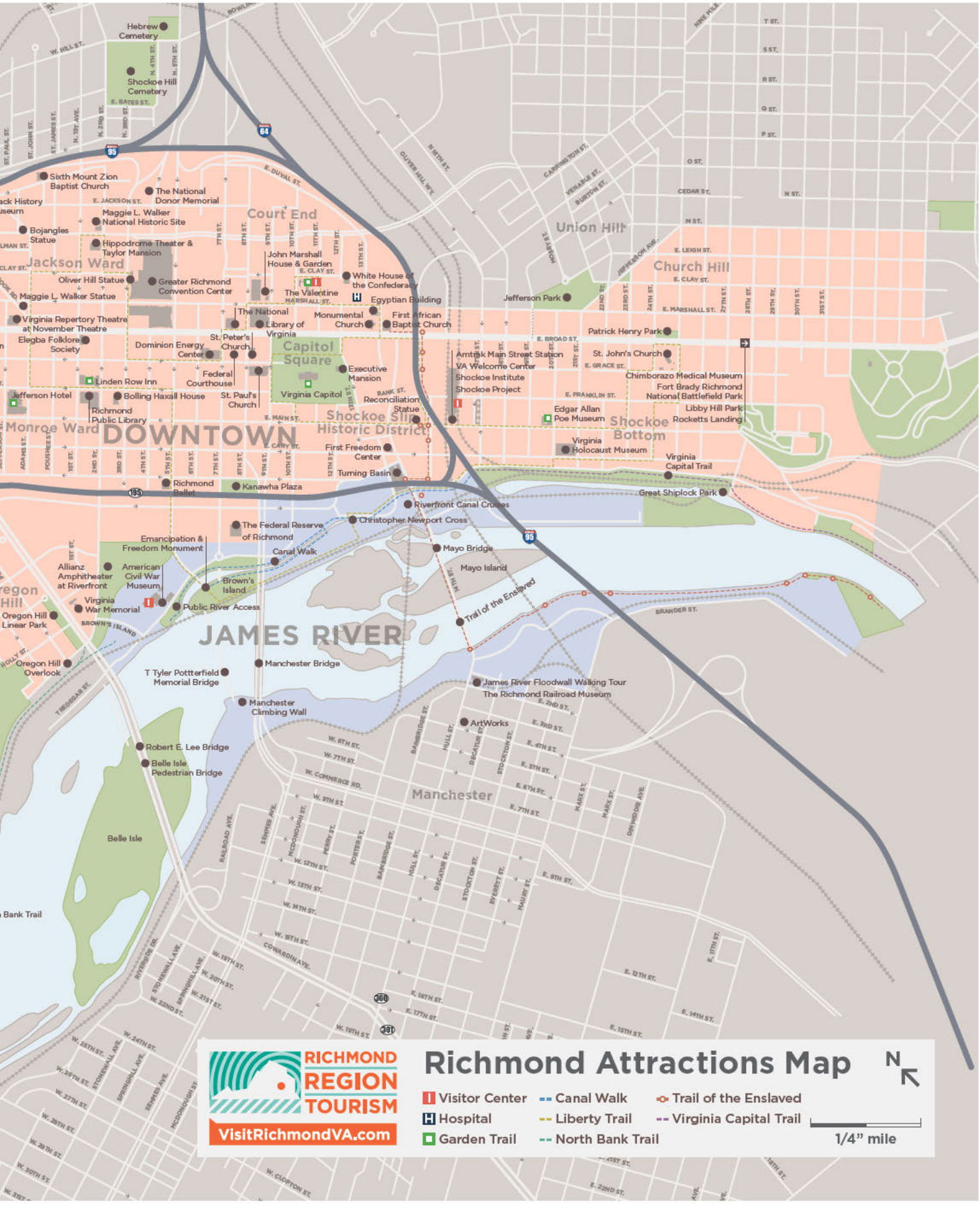
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RVA Volley
The Lake
River City Sportsplex
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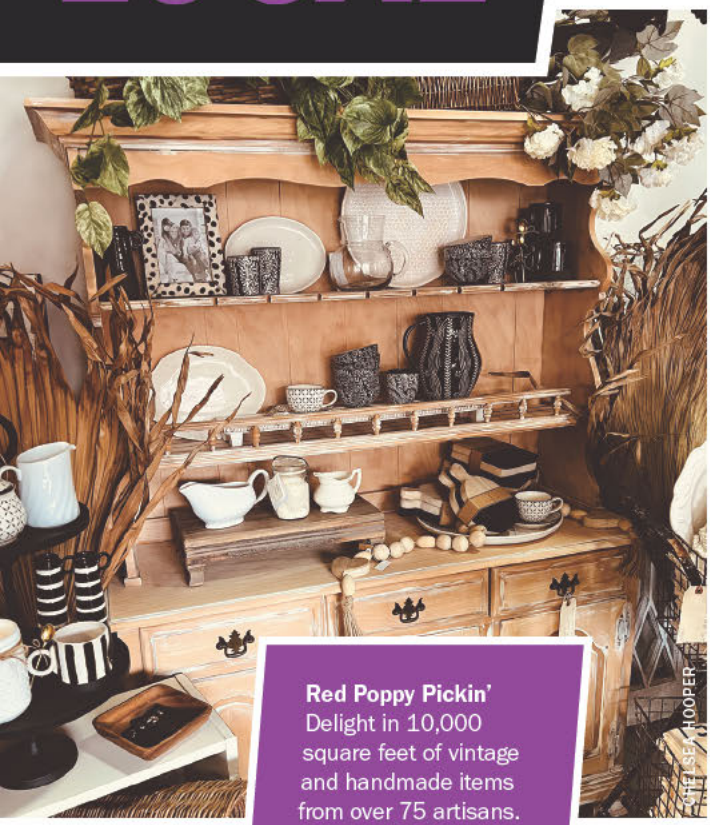

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Fort Clifton Park
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Keystone Truck & Tractor Museum
Amtrak Petersburg Station
Virginia State University
Appomattox River Trail
Violet Bank Museum


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John Marshall House & Garden
White House of the Confederacy
Oliver Hill Statue
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Library of Virginia
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Elegba Folklore Society
Dominion Energy Center
St. Peter's Church
Capitol Square
Amtrak Main Street Station
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St. John's Church
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Linden Row Inn
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Jefferson Hotel
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St. Paul's Church
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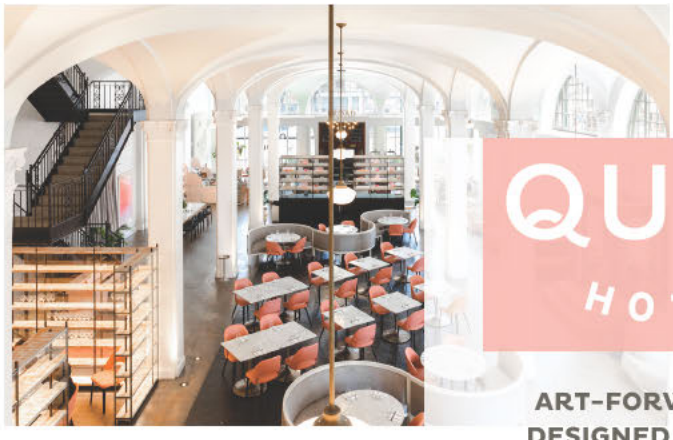


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Courtyard Richmond Downtown, 1320 E. Cary St., 804-754-0007	Mod/Lux	
Courtyard Richmond Scott's Addition, 3800 W. Broad St., 804-877-0010	Mod/Lux	
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Graduate by Hilton Richmond, 301 W. Franklin St., 804-644-9871	Moderate	
Hampton Inn & Suites Richmond - Downtown, 700 E. Main St., Suite A, 804-643-5400	Mod/Lux	
Hilton Richmond Downtown, 501 E. Broad St., 804-344-4300	Mod/Lux	
Holiday Inn Express Richmond - Downtown, 201 E. Cary St., 804-788-1600	Moderate	
Homewood Suites by Hilton Richmond - Downtown, 700 E. Main St., Suite B, 804-643-2900	Mod/Lux	
The Jefferson Hotel, 101 W. Franklin St., 888-918-1895	Luxury	
Linden Row Inn, 100 E. Franklin St., 804-783-7000	Moderate	
Moxy Richmond Downtown, 501 E. Franklin St., 804-956-2400	Mod/Lux	
Omni Richmond Hotel, 100 S. 12th St., 804-344-7000	Mod/Lux	
Quirk Hotel Richmond, 201 W. Broad St., 804-340-6040	Luxury	
Residence Inn Richmond Downtown, 1320 E. Cary St., 804-225-5550	Moderate	
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All Day Inn, 5500 Williamsburg Road, 804-222-2041	Budget	
Best Western Plus Richmond Airport, 5300 Airport Square Lane, 804-222-8200	Budget	
Candlewood Suites Richmond Airport, an IHG Hotel, 5400 Audubon Drive, 804-652-1888	Moderate	
Capital Inn, 5408 Williamsburg Road, 804-222-1020	Budget	
Courtyard Richmond Airport, 5400 Williamsburg Road, 804-652-0500	Moderate	
Dominion Inn & Suites, 5203 Williamsburg Road, 804-222-6450	Budget	
DoubleTree by Hilton Richmond Airport, 445 International Center Drive, 804-236-1111	Moderate	
Express Airport Inn, 5700 Williamsburg Road, 804-222-2780	Budget	
Fairfield Inn & Suites Richmond Airport, 5252 Airport Square Lane, 804-226-1100	Moderate	
Four Points by Sheraton Richmond Airport, 4700 S. Laburnum Ave., 804-226-4300	Moderate	
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Hilton Garden Inn Richmond Airport, 441 International Center Drive, 804-222-3338	Moderate	
Holiday Inn Express Richmond - Mechanicsville, 7441 Bell Creek Road, 804-559-0022	Moderate	
Holiday Inn Express Richmond Airport, an IHG Hotel 491 International Center Drive, 804-222-1499	Moderate	
HomeTowne Studios Richmond - Airport/Sandston, 5209 Williamsburg Road, Building B, 804-440-5770	Budget	
Homewood Suites by Hilton Richmond - Airport, 5996 Audubon Drive, 804-737-1600	Moderate	
Hyatt Place Richmond Airport, 4401 S. Laburnum Ave., 804-549-4865	Moderate	
Microtel Inn & Suites by Wyndham Richmond Airport, 6000 Audubon Drive, 804-737-3322	Budget	
Motel 6 Sandston, VA - Richmond, 5704 Williamsburg Road, 804-222-7600	Budget	
Quality Inn Richmond Airport, 5240 Airport Square Lane, 804-226-1800	Moderate	
Red Roof Inn Richmond - Airport/Sandston, 5209 Williamsburg Road, Building A, 937-327-6542	Budget	
Sheraton Richmond Airport Hotel, 5501 Eubank Road, 804-226-6400	Mod/Lux	
Super 8 by Wyndham Richmond Airport VA, 5110 Williamsburg Road, 804-222-8008	Budget	
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Best Western Doswell Hotel, 16220 International St., 804-612-8680	Moderate	
Best Western Plus Glen Allen Inn, 8607 Telegraph Road, 804-266-3500	Moderate	
Candlewood Suites Richmond North - Glen Allen, an IHG Hotel, 10609 Telegraph Road, 804-262-2240	Moderate	
Comfort Suites at Virginia Center Commons, 10601 Telegraph Road, 804-262-2000	Moderate	
Comfort Inn & Suites Ashland – Richmond North, 80 Cottage Green Drive, 804-823-8699	Bud/Mod	
Country Inn & Suites by Radisson, Ashland - Hanover, VA, 11600 Lakeridge Parkway, 804-798-7378	Moderate	
Country Inn & Suites by Radisson Doswell, 16250 International St., 804-612-8450	Moderate	
Courtyard Richmond North/Glen Allen, 10077 Brook Road, 804-266-6900	Moderate	
Days Inn by Wyndham Ashland, 806 England St., 804-742-2946	Moderate	
Days Inn by Wyndham Doswell/Kings Dominion Area, 16102 Theme Park Way, 804-685-0256	Bud/Mod	
Diamond Inn & Suites, 1600 Robin Hood Road, 804-353-1287	Budget	
Fairfield Inn & Suites Richmond Ashland, 11625 Lakeridge Parkway, 804-412-4800	Moderate	
Hampton Inn & Suites Richmond/Virginia Center, 1101 Technology Park Drive, 804-261-2266	Moderate	
Hampton Inn Richmond - North/Ashland, 705 England St., 804-752-8444	Moderate	
Holiday Inn Express & Suites Richmond North Ashland, an IHG Hotel, 107 S. Carter Road, 804-752-7889	Moderate	
Knights Inn Ashland, 103 N. Carter Road, 804-800-5167	Budget	
La Quinta Inn & Suites by Wyndham Richmond - Kings Dominion, 16280 International St., 804-258-5300	Moderate	
Motel 6 Ashland, 101 N. Cottage Green Drive, 804-752-7777	Budget	
OYO Hotel Doswell Kings Dominion, 10222 Kings Dominion Blvd., 628-254-6684	Budget	
Quality Inn North, 801 E. Parham Road, 804-266-8753	Moderate	
Quality Inn & Suites Ashland near Kings Dominion, 107 N. Carter Road, 804-521-2377	Moderate	

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Quality Inn Central, 3207 N. Arthur Ashe Blvd., Building A, 804-359-9441	Budget	
Red Roof Inn Doswell - Kings Dominion, 16116 Theme Park Way, 937-327-6521	Budget	
Rodeway Inn Central Richmond, 3207 N. Arthur Ashe Blvd., Building B, 804-359-0776	Bud/Mod	
Sleep Inn Richmond North, 950 E. Parham Road, 804-515-7800	Moderate	
SpringHill Suites Richmond North/Glen Allen, 9701 Brook Road, 804-266-9403	Moderate	
Super 8 by Wyndham Richmond/Chamberlayne Rd., 5615 Chamberlayne Road, 804-262-8880	Budget	
Tru by Hilton Ashland, 101 N. Carter Road, 804-365-5830	Moderate	
Virginia Crossings Hotel & Conference Center, Tapestry Collection by Hilton, 1000 Virginia Center Parkway, 804-727-1400	Moderate	
WoodSpring Suites Ashland-Richmond North, 11530 Lakeridge Parkway, 804-585-1106	Budget	
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America's Best Value Inn Richmond South, 2126 Willis Road, 804-271-1281	Budget	
Best Western Plus Governor's Inn, 9826 Midlothian Turnpike, 804-323-0007	Moderate	
Best Western Premier Richmond City Gateway, 4303 Commerce Road, 804-592-2900	Moderate	
Candlewood Suites Colonial Heights - Ft Lee, an IHG Hotel, 15820 Woods Edge Road, 804-526-0111	Moderate	
Candlewood Suites Richmond-South, an IHG Hotel, 4301 Commerce Road, 804-271-0016	Moderate	
City Motel, 3015 Jefferson Davis Highway, 804-231-1196	Budget	
Colony House Motor Lodge, 6414 Midlothian Turnpike, 804-276-7563	Budget	
Comfort Inn Chester - Richmond South, 2100 W. Hundred Road, 804-823-8698	Moderate	
Comfort Inn South Chesterfield - Colonial Heights, 15720 Woods Edge Road, Colonial Heights, 804-214-3372	Moderate	
Comfort Suites Southpark, 931 South Ave., 804-451-1589	Moderate	
Country Inn & Suites by Radisson, Richmond I-95 South, VA, 2401 Willis Road, 804-275-5900	Budget	
Country Inn & Suites by Radisson, Chester, VA, 2406 W. Hundred Road, 804-751-0080	Moderate	
Courtyard Richmond Chester, 2001 W. Hundred Road, 804-414-1010	Moderate	
Days Inn by Wyndham Chester, 2410 W. Hundred Road, 804-318-4357	Moderate	
Days Inn by Wyndham Richmond/South, 6910 Midlothian Turnpike, 804-745-7100	Moderate	
Delta Hotels Colonial Heights, 401 E. Roslyn Road, 804-520-5880	Moderate	
DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Richmond - Midlothian, 1021 Koger Center Blvd., 804-379-3800	Mod/Lux	
Extended Stay America - North Chesterfield, 241 Arboretum Place, 804-272-1800	Moderate	
Extended Stay America Premier Suites - Colonial Heights - Ft. Gregg-Adams, 441 Charles H Dimmock Parkway, 804-206-7005	Moderate	
Fairfield Inn & Suites Richmond Midlothian, 150 N. Pinetta Dr., 804-447-8326	Moderate	
Fairfield Inn Richmond Chester, 12400 Redwater Creek Road, 804-778-7500	Moderate	
Four Points by Sheraton Richmond, 9901 Midlothian Turnpike, 804-323-1144	Moderate	
Hampton Inn Chester, 12610 Chestnut Hill Road, 804-768-8888	Moderate	
Hampton Inn Richmond - Southwest - Hull Street, 3620 Price Club Blvd., 804-675-0000	Moderate	
Hampton Inn Richmond - Midlothian Turnpike, 800 Research Road, 804-897-2800	Moderate	
Hampton Inn Southpark, 403 E. Roslyn Road, Colonial Heights, 804-520-7333	Moderate	
Hampton Inn Richmond - South, 4300 Commerce Road, 804-743-3550	Moderate	
Hilton Garden Inn Richmond South/Southpark, 800 Southpark Blvd., 804-520-0600	Moderate	

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Holiday Inn Express & Suites Richmond - Brandermill - Hull St., 5030 W. Village Green Drive, 804-744-7303	Moderate	
Holiday Inn Express Chester, an IHG Hotel, 1911 W. Hundred Road, 804-751-0123	Moderate	
Holiday Inn Express Richmond E. - Midlothian Tpke., an IHG Hotel, 8710 Midlothian Turnpike, 804-320-8900	Moderate	
Homewood Suites by Hilton Richmond - Chester, 12810 Old Stage Road, 804-751-0010	Moderate	
Hyatt Place Richmond/Arboretum, 201 Arboretum Place, 804-560-1566	Moderate	
Hyatt Place Richmond/Chester, 13148 Kingston Ave., 804-530-4600	Moderate	
Interstate Inn, 2201 Indian Hills Road, 804-526-4772	Budget	
InTown Suites Extended Stay Richmond VA - Chester, 2601 Perdue Springs Drive, 804-706-1999	Budget	
InTown Suites Extended Stay Richmond VA - Midlothian, 11551 Green Spring Road, 804-897-7180	Budget	
La Quinta Inn & Suites by Wyndham Richmond - Midlothian, 1301 Huguenot Road, 804-302-0195	Moderate	
La Quinta Inn by Wyndham Richmond South, 9040 Pams Ave., 804-743-0770	Moderate	
Midlothian Inn, 6523 Midlothian Turnpike, 804-276-8241	Budget	
Motel 6 Richmond, VA - Midlothian Turnpike, 100 Greshamwood Place, 804-745-0600	Budget	
Quality Inn Chester - South Richmond, 12711 Old Stage Road, 804-796-5200	Moderate	
Red Roof Inn Chester, 2405 W. Hundred Road, 804-715-4229	Budget	
Red Roof Inn Richmond South, 4350 Commerce Road, 937-328-1462	Budget	
Residence Inn Richmond Chester, 800 Bermuda Hundred Road, 804-530-5501	Moderate	
Residence Inn Richmond West/Midlothian, 1350 Johnston Willis Drive, 804-525-9090	Mod/Lux	
Richmond Inn, 6346 Midlothian Turnpike, 804-276-8500	Budget	
Rodeway Inn Colonial Heights I-95, 2310 Indian Hill Road, 804-520-1010	Budget	
Rodeway Inn Richmond South, 2125 Willis Road, 804-271-6031	Budget	
Sleep Inn Richmond South, 2321 Willis Road, 804-275-8800	Budget	
Sleep Inn & Suites Harbour Pointe, 6451 Bayside Lane, 804-639-3500	Moderate	
SpringHill Suites Chester, 12301 Redwater Creek Road, 804-777-9598	Moderate	
Suburban Studios Chester I-95, 2403 W. Hundred Road, 804-748-6321	Moderate	
Super 8 by Wyndham Chester/Richmond Area, 2421 Southland Drive, 804-554-3836	Budget	
Super 8 by Wyndham Hull Street/Midlothian/Richmond Area, 10300 Hull Street Road, 804-276-3900	Budget	
Super 8 by Wyndham Richmond Midlothian Turnpike, 8260 Midlothian Turnpike, 804-510-1823	Budget	
TownePlace Suites Richmond Colonial Heights, 937 South Ave., 804-631-9525	Moderate	
VIP Inn, 2301 Willis Road, 804-271-6081	Budget	
White House Motor Lodge, 9401 Jefferson Davis Highway, 804-275-2616	Budget	
WoodSpring Suites Richmond Colonial Heights Fort Gregg-Adams, 255 Jennick Drive, 804-520-5585	Budget	
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Aloft Richmond West Short Pump, 3939 Duckling Drive, 804-433-1888	Mod/Lux	
Best Western Plus Executive Hotel, 7007 W. Broad St., 804-672-7007	Moderate	
Candlewood Suites Richmond - West Broad, an IHG Hotel, 2100 Dickens Road, 804-324-3900	Moderate	
Candlewood Suites Glen Allen - Short Pump, an IHG Hotel, 4120 Tom Leonard Drive, 804-364-2000	Moderate	
Comfort Suites Innsbrook - Short Pump, 4051 Innslake Drive, 804-217-9200	Moderate	

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Country Inn & Suites by Radisson, Richmond West at I-64, VA, 8010 W. Broad St., 804-755-6605	Moderate	
Courtyard Richmond Northwest/Short Pump, 3950 Westerre Parkway, 804-346-5427	Moderate	
Courtyard Richmond West, 6400 W. Broad St., 804-282-1881	Moderate	
Drury Plaza Hotel Richmond, 11049 W. Broad St., 804-354-1542	Moderate	
Econo Lodge, 7300 W. Broad St., 804-672-8621	Budget	
Embassy Suites by Hilton Richmond, 2925 Emerywood Parkway, 804-672-8585	Moderate	
Extended Stay America - Glen Allen, 4231 Park Place Court, 804-747-5253	Budget	
Extended Stay America - Glenside North, 6807 Paragon Place, 804-285-7050	Budget	
Extended Stay America - Glenside South, 6811 Paragon Place, 804-285-2065	Budget	
Extended Stay America - Innsbrook, 10060 W. Broad St., 804-747-0840	Budget	
Extended Stay America - Richmond West End I-64, 10961 W. Broad St., 804-747-8898	Budget	
Fairfield Inn & Suites Richmond Innsbrook, 9937 Mayland Drive, 804-545-4200	Moderate	
Hampton Inn & Suites Glenside, 5406 Glenside Drive, 804-756-1777	Moderate	
Hampton Inn & Suites Richmond Short Pump, 12341 W. Broad St., 804-773-7111	Moderate	
Hampton Inn Richmond West Innsbrook, 10800 W. Broad St., 804-747-7777	Moderate	
Hilton Garden Inn Richmond Innsbrook, 4050 Cox Road, 804-521-2900	Moderate	
Hilton Richmond Hotel & Spa Short Pump, 12042 W. Broad St., 804-364-3600	Mod/Lux	
Holiday Inn & Suites Richmond – West End, an IHG Hotel, 8008 W. Broad St., 804-697-6379	Moderate	
Holiday Inn Express Richmond I-64 Short Pump Area, an IHG Hotel, 9933 Mayland Drive, 804-934-9300	Moderate	
Holiday Inn Express Richmond - Midtown, an IHG Hotel, 2000 Staples Mill Road, 804-359-6061	Moderate	
Home2 Suites by Hilton Richmond Glenside, 2915 Emerywood Parkway, 804-956-2300	Moderate	
Home2 Suites by Hilton Richmond Short Pump, 209 Towne Center West Blvd., 804-956-2990	Moderate	
HomeTowne Studios by Red Roof Richmond, VA., 7201 W. Broad St., Building B, 804-672-2666	Budget	
Homewood Suites by Hilton Richmond-West End/Innsbrook, 4100 Innslake Drive, 804-217-8000	Moderate	
Hyatt House Richmond Short Pump, 11800 W. Broad St., 804-360-7021	Moderate	
Hyatt Place Richmond Innsbrook, 4100 Cox Road, 804-747-9644	Moderate	
Motel 6 Richmond I-64 West, 7831 Shrader Road, 804-273-6100	Budget	
Red Roof Inn, 7201 W. Broad St. Building A, 804-672-1108	Budget	
Regency Inn, 1500 E. Ridge Road, 804-285-9061	Budget	
Residence Inn by Marriott Richmond Midtown/Glenside, 5416 Glenside Drive, 804-799-1200	Moderate	
Residence Inn Richmond Northwest/Short Pump, 3940 Westerre Parkway, 804-762-9852	Moderate	
Residence Inn Richmond West End, 2121 Dickens Road, 804-285-8200	Moderate	
Richmond Marriott Short Pump, 4240 Dominion Blvd., 804-965-9500	Mod/Lux	
Rodeway Inn, 7300-A W. Broad St., 804-420-9546	Budget	
Springhill Suites by Marriott Richmond Northwest, 9960 Independence Park Drive, 804-217-7075	Moderate	
Super 8 by Wyndham Richmond/Broad Street, 7200 W. Broad St., 804-201-9015	Budget	
The Westin Richmond, 6631 W. Broad St., 804-282-8444	Moderate	
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WoodSpring Suites Richmond West I-64, 16900 W. Broad St., 804-269-7746	Budget	







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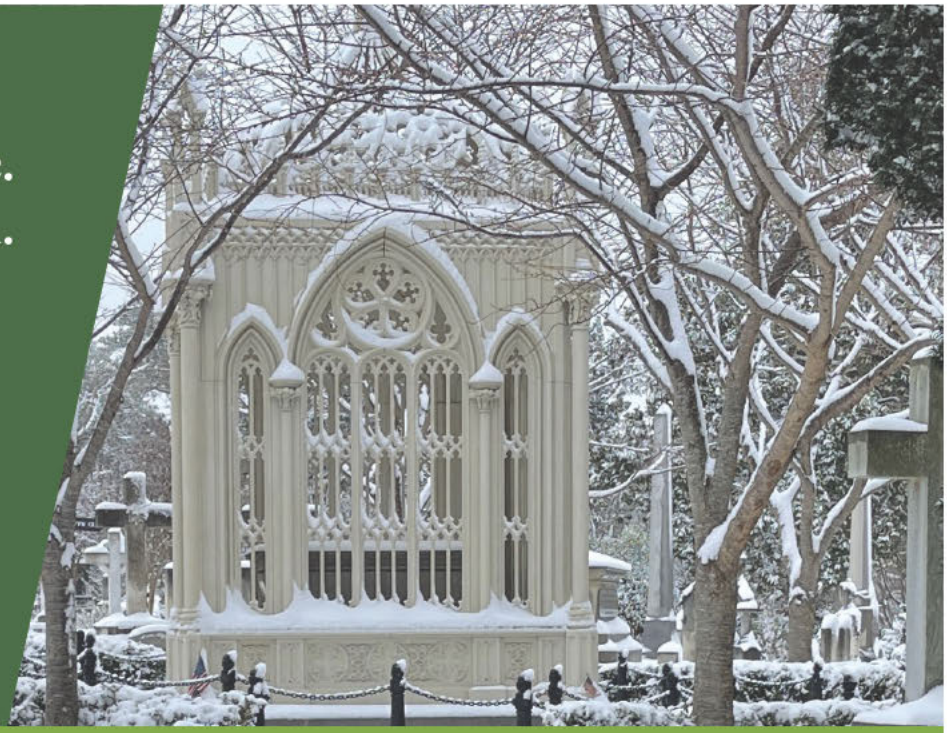
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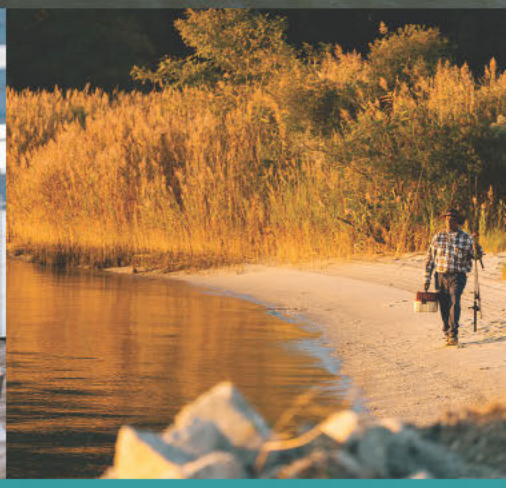
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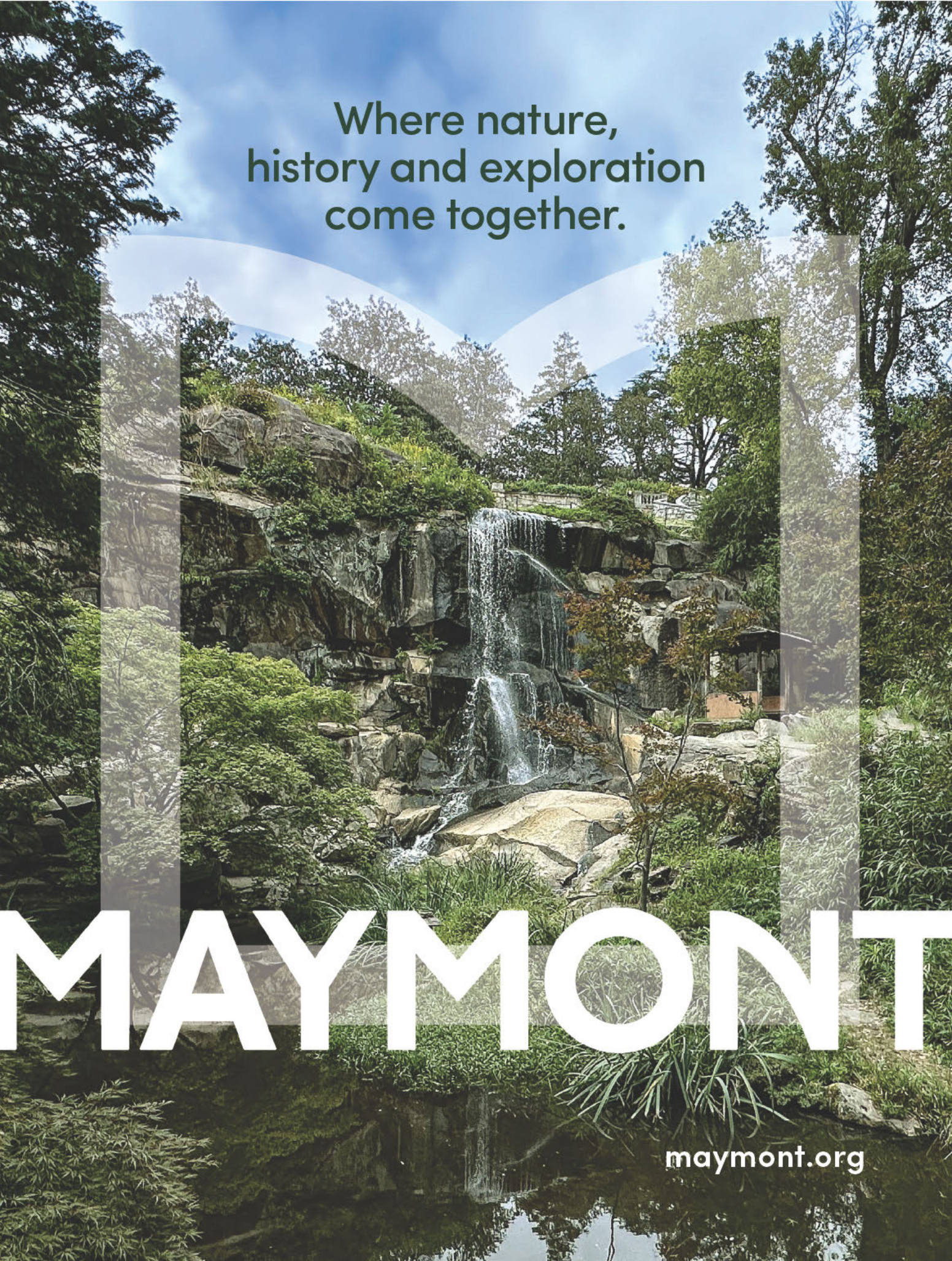
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