# WATERSIDE MARKET

# UNEXPECTED EXPERIENCES

# 3. Battleship Wisconsin - Norfolk

Step aboard the legendary Battleship Wisconsin, where history and excitement blend seamlessly. Beyond its naval heritage, the battleship offers captivating escape rooms, relaxing yoga sessions, and even unforgettable overnight

# FOR FIRST-TIME TRAVELERS

# 4. Virginia Living Museum - Newport News

Encounter fascinating wildlife up close at the Virginia Living Museum. From native animals and plants to field conservation and interactive exhibits, this museum offers an educational and engaging experience for all ages.

# UNDERRATED EXPERIENCES

# 5. Cape Henry Lighthouse - Virginia Beach

Discover the hidden gem of Cape Henry Lighthouse, offering breathtaking views of the coastline and a glimpse into the region's maritime past. A visit to this historical beacon is a must for any offbeat traveler.

# 6. Lake Drummond/Great Dismal Swamp - Suffolk

Unravel the mysteries of Great Dismal Swamp National Wildlife Refuge and its centerpiece, Lake Drummond. The serene wilderness and unique ecosystem make it an underrated and captivating destination for nature

# LOCAL FAVORITES

# 7. Mango Mangeaux - Hampton

Tickle your taste buds at Mango Mangeaux, a beloved local eatery in Hampton. Indulge in a fusion of delectable cuisines, where classic Southern dishes meet the exotic flavors of the Caribbean.

# NEW & NOTEWORTHY

# 1. Waterman Spirits - Virginia Beach

The O.G. of O.J. Cocktails

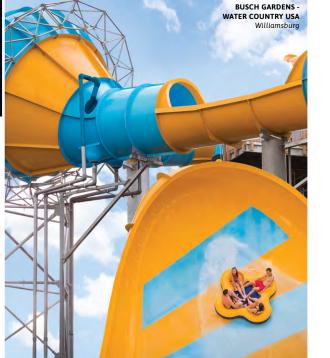
Experience the authentic taste of Virginia spirits at Waterman Spirits. This newly established gem offers a diverse range of handcrafted liquors, showcasing the essence of the region's rich history and culture.

# 2. Williamsburg Wild Airboat Tours - Williamsburg

Embark on an exhilarating adventure with Williamsburg Wild Airboat Tours. Glide through marshes and waterways on high-speed airboats, and admire the untamed beauty of Virginia's natural landscapes.

# COASTAL **VIRGINIA**

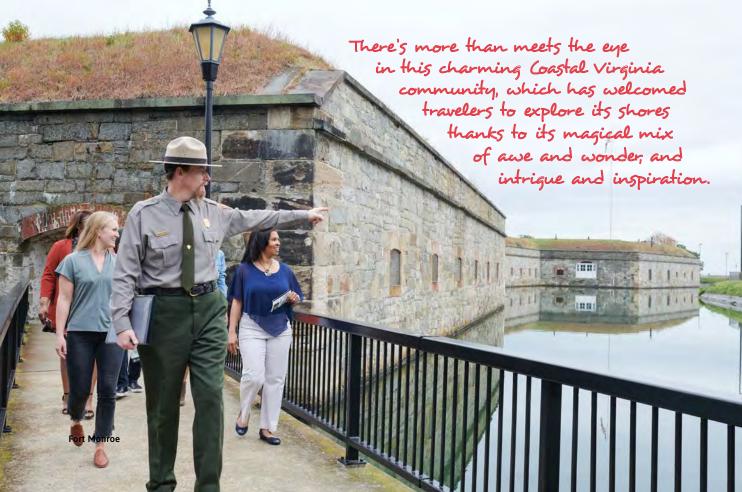
Welcome to Virginia's Coastal region, also known as Hampton Roads, a captivating destination that offers something for everyone. Discover vibrant neighborhoods like Norfolk's NEON District and Virginia Beach's ViBe District, unwind on familyfriendly beaches such as Sandbridge and Buckroe Beach, and take in American history at the prominent sites of the Historic Triangle - creating cherished memories for all who visit.





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# GO BEYOND FAMILIAR IN HAMPTON



# DISCOVER THE MUST-SEE CITY BY THE SEA WITH A "SEA TO STARS" PASS



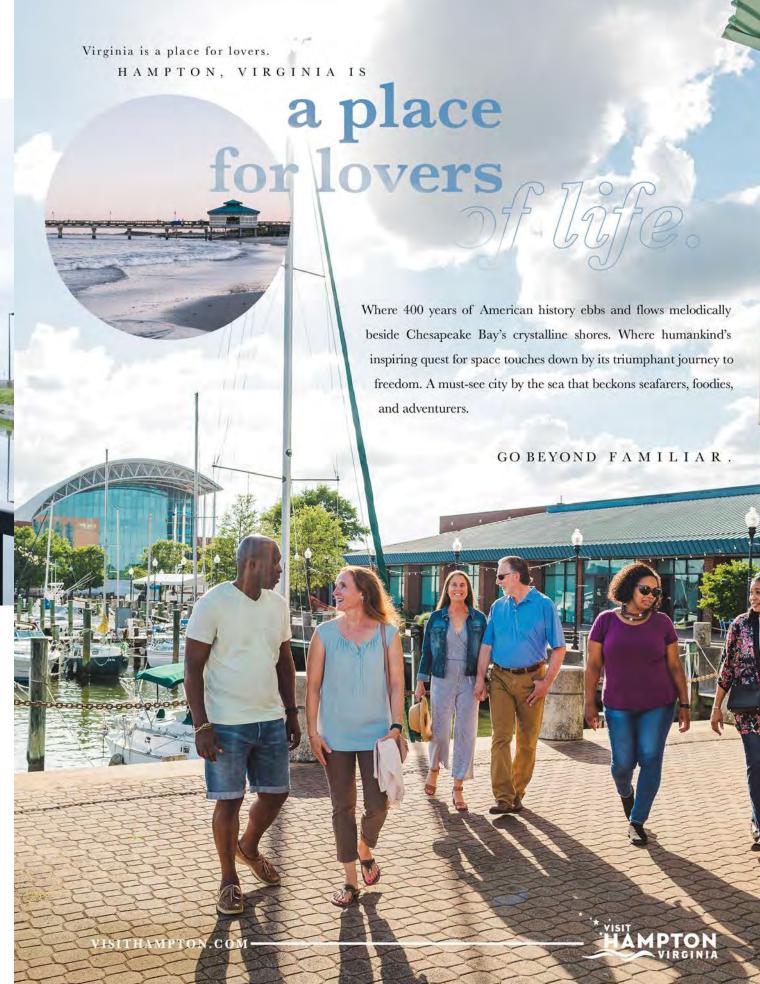
For first-time visitors, the best way to experience Hampton is with a "Sea To Stars" pass, promising four immersive experiences for one price.

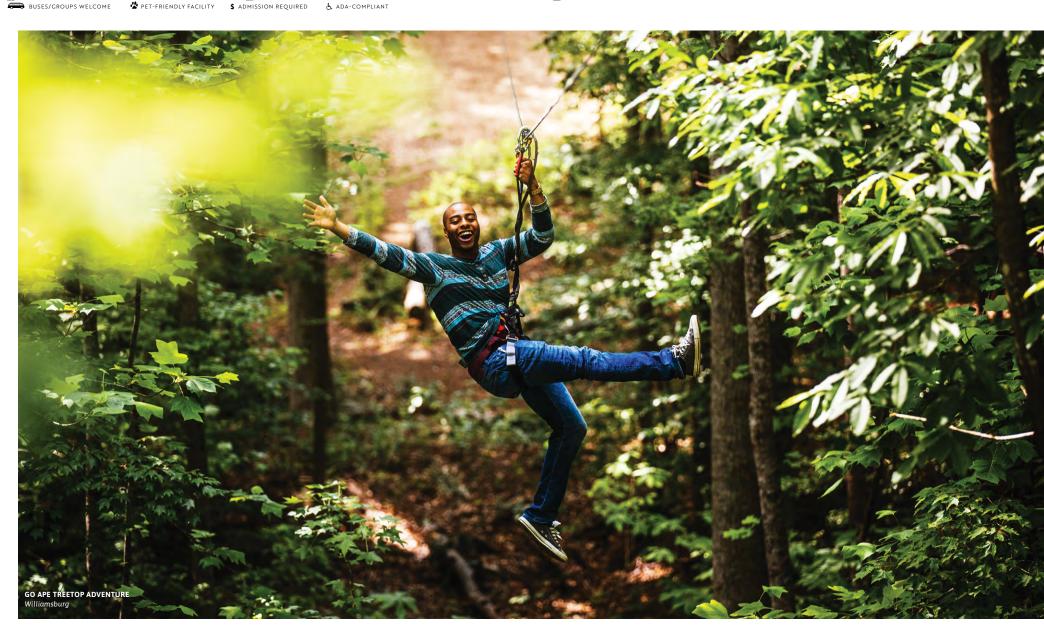
Visit "Freedom's Fortress," Fort Monroe National Monument, where enslaved Africans first landed on English North American shores, and escaped enslaved found sanctuary during the Civil War.

Cruise the beautiful Chesapeake Bay aboard the all-new Hampton Queen, or go back in time at the Hampton History Museum to see how Hampton earned its reputation as "America's Gateway."

Finally, gaze into the wonders of the universe at the Virginia Air & Space Science Center, and discover Hampton's heritage as the site where the heroes of "Hidden Figures" sent men to the moon.

Virginia is a place for lovers — Hampton is a place for lovers of life. So go beyond familiar and order your "Sea To Stars" pass at VisitHampton.com.





**East Coast Gateway** Welcome Center at New Kent vo Virginia Tourism Corporation I-64 Eastbound Mile Marker 213 New Kent 23124 804-966-7450

# **CHARLES CITY COUNTY**

# **Charles City County Visitor** 10760 Courthouse Rd Charles

City; 804-652-1516; charlescity. org. Guests can experience "The story of America in one small county" and learn about things to see and do. &

# THINGS TO DO

# **Edgewood Plantation**

4800 John Tyler Memorial Hwy., Charles City; 804-829-2962: edgewoodplantation. com. Circa 1849. The surprise is inside. 7,000 square feet, 10 fireplaces.

# Historic Shirley

501 Shirley Plantation Rd., Charles City; 804-829-5121; historicshirley.com Virginia's oldest plantation founded in 1613. Offering guided tours and exhibits of a historic home and outbuildings circa 1738. \$==

# Kittiewan Plantation

12104 Weyanoke Rd. Charles City; 804-829-2272; kittiewannlantation org 18thcentury plantation and home of the Archeological Society of Virginia.

# **North Bend Plantation** 12200 Weyanoke Rd.,

Charles City; 804-829-5176; northbendalantation com-Tour the smoke, dairy and ice houses and slave quarter site.

# Richard M. Bowman Center for Local History 10790 Courthouse Rd., Charles

City; 804-652-1516. The History Center is a county-owned reference library and archives.

# **Sherwood Forest Plantation** 14501 John Tyler Memorial Hwy., Charles City; 804-829-

5377; sherwoodforest.org. Home of 10th U.S. President John Tyler from 1842-1862. \$

# Westover Plantation 7000 Westover Rd., Charles

City; 804-829-2882; jamesriverplantations.org. Circa 1730. Grounds, garden, and outbuildings open 9am-6pm. House interior closed. 9

# **CHESAPEAKE**

#### Chesapeake Convention & Visitors Bureau

1224 Progressive Dr., Chesapeake; 757-382-6411; visitchesapeake.com. A great vacation is within reach. Within an hour or less of the area's beaches, theater, arts, professional sporting events, and historical sites. 🖚 📽

# Chesaneake Visitor Center

1224 Progressive Dr. Chesapeake; 757-382-6411; visitchesapeake.com. Visitor center offering maps, brochures, coupons, and more.

# THINGS TO DO

# Chesapeake Arboretum

624 Oak Grove Rd. Chesapeake: 757-819-7510. Come explore free nature trails and gardens.

# Chesapeake Planetarium 310 Shea Dr., Chesapeake;

757-547-0153; cpschools.com/ page/about-planetarium. Free public programs to include telescope observations offered

# Dismal Swamp Canal Trail

1200 Dismal Swamp Canal Trail, Chesapeake; 757-382-6411; cityofchesapeake. net/dsct. A nature and history devotee's delight. Great outdoor recreation playground.

# FRANKLIN / SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY

Includes Capron, Courtland

# **Downtown Franklin Visitors**

120 S. Main St., Franklin; 757-562-8506; franklinya.com/ government/departments/ tourism. Stop in to learn what Downtown Franklin has to offer &

# Franklin Business Center

601 N. Mechanic St., Suite 300, Franklin; 757-562-1958; visitfranklinsouthamptonva. com. Come discover Franklin Southampton! 🖚 🕹 🔡

# Franklin/Southampton Area Chamber of Commerce

108 W. Third Ave., Franklin; 757-562-4900; fsachamber. com. A short drive away from the ordinary. Explore, experience, enjoy. 📽

# THINGS TO DO

# Cattashowrock Town

27345 Aquia Path, Courtland; 757-562-7760: cheroenhakanottoway.org. Tour the 17th Century replica Native American Palisade Village.

# Nottoway Indian Tribe of Virginia Community House and Interpretive Center

23186 Main St., Capron; 757-876-7597: nottowayindians. org. Nottoway Indian History From Barter..To Buffer..To Be.

# Rawls Museum Arts 22376 Linden St., Courtland;

757-653-0754; rawlsarts. com. Displays world-class art classical art. &

# Southampton Agricultural & Forestry

26315 Heritage Ln., Courtland; 757-647-3468; facebook.com/rtraviscovington. Preserving antique farm equipment, hand tools, and rural wares.

# Village Fire Engine Exhibit

100 South Main St., Franklin; 757-562-8581: franklinva.com. See antique fire trucks and other City of Franklin

# **HAMPTON**

Includes Fort Monroe

## **Hampton Visitor Center**

120 Old Hampton Ln., Hampton; 757-727-1102; visithampton.com. Full-service visitor center adjoining the Hampton History Museum.

# THINGS TO DO

# Aberdeen Gardens Historic Museum

57 N. Mary Peake Blvd., Hampton; 757-251-2283; visithampton.com/attraction/ aberdeen-gardens-historic-museum. Museum celebrates the history, heritage, and future of Aberdeen Gardens.

# Air Power Park

413 W. Mercury Blvd., Hampton; 757-726-0650; hampton.gov/facilities/ facility/details/Air-Power-Park-23. Outdoor air and spacecraft displays. 🖚

# Bluebird Gap Farm

60 Pine Chapel Rd., Hampton; 757-825-4750; hampton.gov/bbgf. A 60-acre farm/park/zoo with farm animals and Virginia wildlife.

# **Buckroe Beach**

100 S. First St., Hampton; 757-850-5134; hampton.gov/parks. Chesapeake Bay beach with playground, bandstand, beach rentals, picnic shelters.

# Casemate Museum at Fort Monroe

Casemate 20, Bernard Rd., Hampton; 757-788-3391; fmauthority.com/visit/ casemate-museum. Features Jefferson Davis's post-Civil War cell, Battle of the Ironclads.

# The Charles H. Taylor Arts Center

4205 Victoria Blvd., Hampton; 757-727-1490: hamptonarts.net. Hampton's 1925 Neoclassical library hosts contemporary art, sculpture, photography, more,

# Fort Monroe Visitor & Education Center 30 Ingalls Rd., Fort Monroe; 757-690-8181; Fortmonroe.org. Orients visitors

to the largest moat encircled stone fort and National Monument.

# Fort Wool

Hampton Roads Harbor, Hampton; 757-722-9102; misshamptoncruises com. Island fortress dating back to 1819. Learn about the island aboard the Miss

# Grandview Nature Preserve State Park Dr. at Beach Rd., Hampton;

757-850-5134 hampton gov/parks 578acre preserve on Chesapeake Bay, home to aquatic species, waterfowl.

# Hampton University Museum 100 East Queen St., Hampton; 757-

727-5308; hamptonu.edu/museum. Exceptional collection of African, African American, American Indian, Asian, and Pacific Islands art.

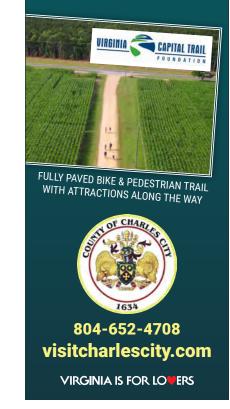
# Larry King Law's Langley Speedway

3165 N. Armistead Ave., Hampton; 757-865-7223; langley-speedway.com. NASCAR Late Model Stock Car racing and other exciting events.









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# Little England Chapel

4100 Kecoughtan Rd., Hampton; 757-660-8646. Virginia's only known African American missionary chapel, A National Historic Landmark -

# Miss Hampton II Harbor

710 Settlers Landing Rd., Hampton; 757-722-9102; misshamptoncruises.com. Double-decked tour boat. Narrated cruises of Hampton Roads harbor \$

# Ocean Eagle - Hampton Roads Charters

Downtown Public Pier Hampton; 757-868-3474; hamptonroadscharter.com. A 65-foot vessel offering daily Chesapeake Bay fishing, tackle included.

# Peninsula Pilots Baseball

War Memorial Stadium, 1889 West Pembroke Ave Hampton; 757-245-2222; peninsulapilots.com. Coastal Plains League baseball season runs June-August. 🖚

# St. John's Church

100 W. Queen's Way, Hampton; 757-722-2567; stjohnshampton org. Established 1610. The oldest, continuous Englishspeaking parish in the U.S.

# Virginia Air & Space Center and 3D IMAX Theater

600 Settlers Landing Rd. Hampton; 757-727-0900; vasc. org. Hands-on air, space, and science exhibits. Flight simulators and 3D. \$

# **NEW KENT**

Includes Fort Eustis

# **New Kent Visitors & Commerce**

Center I-64, Exit 211, 7324 Vineyards Pkwy., New Kent; 804-966-8787: visitnewkent com Clean restrooms, picnic area, and history and attractions.

# **NEWPORT NEWS**

# **Newport News Tourism**

702 Town Center Dr., Newport News: 757-886-7777; newportnews.org. Providing maps, tips and smiles to make your visit

# Newport News Visitor Center vg

13560 Jefferson Ave., Newport News; 757-886-7777; newport-news.org. Let the Newport News Visitor Center be your GPS for exploring this nautical city. It's where maps meet smiles and your breakthrough adventure begins!

# THINGS TO DO

# Battle of Dam No. 1

13560 Jefferson Ave. Newport News; 757-886-7912; nnparksandrec.org/hikingwalking-trails Extensive 1862 Peninsula Campaign earthworks. National Register of Historic Places. 🖚

## Battle of Lee's Mill

Rivers Ridge Cir., Newport News; 757-886-7777; newportnews.org. First engagement of 1862 Peninsula Campaign massive original Confederate

# **City Center at Oyster Point** Thimble Shoals Blvd. at

Jefferson Ave., Newport News; 757-873-2020; citycenteratoysterpoint.com Urban festival marketplace with shopping, dining, and regularly-scheduled ongoing events. 💳📽

# **Civil War Driving Tour**

13560 Jefferson Ave., Newport News; 757-886-7777; newport-news.org. Self-guided tour of 1862 Peninsula Campaign battle sites and

#### CNU's Mary M. Torggler Fine Arts Center

1 Avenue of the Arts, Newport News; 757-594-0800; thetorggler.org. Major exhibitions: community art gallery: art classes, workshops

# 11523 Jefferson Ave.

Newport News; 757-886-7912; nnparksandrec.org/directoryparks/listing/deer-park. Azalea gardens, picnicking hiking trails, and "Boundless" playground. Ranger station.

#### **Downing-Gross Cultural Arts** Center

2410 Wickham Ave., Newport News; 757-247-8950; downinggross.org. Restored historic 1917 building with community art gallery and meeting spaces. 276-seat theatre, named after Newport News native Ella Fitzgerald, hosts year-round entertainment. \$

#### The Founders' Trail

13560 Jefferson Avenue Newport News; 757-886-7777; newport-news.org. Self-guided driving tour of Newport News' 17th- and 18th-century

# Harwood's Mill Park

Oriana Rd., Newport News; 757-886-7912: nnnarksandrec org/directory-parks/listing/ fishing, paddleboating, hiking, picnicking, 5.5-mile naturalsurface mountain bike trail.

# **Historic Endview**

362 Yorktown Rd., Newport News; 757-887-1862; newportnewshistory.org. Built in 1769, Endview Plantation is now a living history museum During the Peninsula Campaign, it served as generals McLaws and Toombs.

# Historic Hilton Village

Warwick Blvd. at Main St. Newport News; 757-886-7777; newport-news.org, English village-style neighborhood. built during WWI for shipyard workers. 🚎 📽

## Historic North End/Huntington Heights

Huntington Ave. at Warwick Blvd., Newport News; 757-886-7777: newport-news.org. National Historic Register district, with homes built in early 1900s. 🖚 📽

# **Huntington Park**

9285 Warwick Blvd., Newport News; 757-886-7912; nnparksandrec.org/directoryparks/listing/huntington-park James River beach, boat ramp, "Fort Fun" playground, tennis picnicking.



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# Huntington Park Rose Garden

9285 Warwick Blvd., Newport News; 757-886-7777; nnparksandrec.org/ directory-facilities/listing/rose-garden. Virginia's only "An American Rose City Garden." Hundreds of roses.

# James A. Fields House

617 27th St., Newport News; 757-813-6014; jamesafieldshouse.blogspot.com. Restored home of African American community leader, highlighting local history. \$

# King-Lincoln Park

600 Jefferson Ave., Newport News; 757-886-7912; nnparksandrec.org/ directory-parks/listing/king-lincolnnark Nature programs saltwater fishing, interpretive center, picnicking, playground. Special events.

Lee Hall Depot 9 Elmhurst St., Newport News; 757-888-3371; newportnewshistory. org. Lee Hall Depot, circa 1881, has exhibits highlighting the impact of the railroad on Warwick County, including information on railroad history and Lee Hall village. \$ ===

Lee Hall Mansion 163 Yorktown Rd., Newport News; 757-888-3371; newportnewshistory. org. Lee Hall, circa 1859, served as headquarters for Confederate generals during the 1862 Peninsula Campaign.
The mansion gives visitors glimpses of pre-Civil War wealth. \$

# The Mariners' Museum and

100 Museum Dr., Newport News; 757-596-2222; marinersmuseum.org. Come find your connection at America's National Maritime Museum! \$ 🖚 🕹

# Matthew Jones House

Taylor Avenue and Harrison Rd., Fort Eustis Military Base, Newport News; 757-886-7777; nps.gov/articles/jones.htm. Architectural house museum dating from 1720s. In-house history collections.

## **Newport News Golf Club at** Deer Run

901 Clubhouse Way, Newpor News; 757-886-7925; nngolfclub.com. 36-hole. four-star Golf Digest-rated facility 20 minutes from Williamsburg. PGA pros, clubhouse, restaurant, driving range, pro shop. A country club experience without the expense. \$ ===

# Newport News Park

13560 Jefferson Ave.. Newport News; 757-886-7912; nnparksandrec.org. 7,711-acre park, nine times larger than NYC Central Park! Canoeing, paddleboats, fishing, hiking, biking, camping, geocaching, archery, disc golf, picnicking, playgrounds. Arboretum, Japanese tea house.

#### **Newport News Park Campsites** 13564 Jefferson Ave.,

Newport News; 757-888-3333; nnparksandrec.org/camping. 188 campsites in wooded setting. Utility hookups, camp store, playgrounds. \$ ----

# **Newport News Park Discovery** Center

13560 Jefferson Ave., Newport News; 757-886-7916; nnparksandrec.org/directoryfacilities/listing/newport-news-park-di. Nature and Civil War exhibits. Interactive displays. Wildlife rehabilitation center.

# The Newsome House Museum & Cultural Center

2803 Oak Ave., Newport News; 757-247-2360; newportnewshistory.org. J. Thomas Newsome (1869-1942) was a lawyer, businessman, and journalist Today his Victorian-style home is devoted to the expression of African American culture and historical themes. 🖚

# **Peninsula Community Theatre** 10251 Warwick Blvd., Newport

News; 757-595-5728; pctlive. org. Plays, musicals, and children's shows staged in restored movie theater. \$



# NORFOLK



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Peninsula SPCA and Barnyard 523 J. Clyde Morris Blvd.

Newport News; 757-595-1399; peninsulaspca.org. Visit with and feed donkeys, llamas, chickens, rabbit, and goats!

# Riverview Farm Park

105 City Farm Rd., Newport News; 757-886-7912; nnparksandrec.org/directoryparks/listing/riverview-farmpark. Walking trails, "Fantasy Farm" playground, and "Fido Field" dog park.

# **U.S. Army Transportation**

300 Washington Blvd., Fort Eustis Army Base, Fort Eustis; 757-878-1115; transportation. army.mil/museum. Full-size and model vehicles. aircraft watercraft rail and experimental equipment.

Virginia Living Museum vg 524 J. Clyde Morris Blyd. Newport News; 757-595-1900; thevlm.org. Indoor and outdoor animal exhibits, visit the universe in our planetarium, plus explore the Dinosaur Discovery Trail.

# Virginia War Museum

9285 Warwick Blvd., Newport News; 757-247-8523; newportnewshistory.org. Established in 1923, the Virginia War Museum explores U.S. military history from 1775 to the present in its nine galleries of uniforms, artwork, and weapons. \$==

## The Yard District

Downtown Newport News, between 23rd and 28th Sts Newport News; 757-886-7777 newport-news.org. Revitalized hotspot near the James River, teeming with new businesses.

# Young's Mill

13055 Warwick Blvd., Newport News; 757-886-7777; newportnews.org. Reconstructed 1820s tide mill: 1862 Confederate campground, Original fortifications remain.

# **NORFOLK**

# VisitNorfolk vc

232 E. Main St., Norfolk; 757-664-6620; visitnorfolk.com. Norfolk, Virginia...a walkable, waterfront city offering diverse attractions, historic landmarks, and culture. Tourist Information Center is open Monday-Friday from 8:30am-5pm and 11am-2pm on Saturday and Sunday.

## THINGS TO DO

# **Armed Forces Memorial**

Beside Town Point Park, Norfolk; 757-664-6620; visitnorfolk.com/listings. armed-forces-memorial/29 Twenty cast-bronze letters written home by U.S. service members

# Arthur and Phyllis Kaplan

Orchid Conservatory Between Hampton Blvd. and Elkhorn Ave at 44th St. near the Perry Library. Norfolk: 757-683-5839; odu.edu/sci/ research/orchid-conservatory The conservatory houses the orchids of Norfolk physician Arthur Kaplan

# **Battleship Wisconsin**

One Waterside Dr., Norfolk; 757-664-1000: nauticus org/ battleship-wisconsin. Tour one of the largest and last battleships built by the U.S. Navy! \$

# Chrysler Museum Glass Studio 745 Duke St., Norfolk;

757-664-6200: chrysler org. Lively glassmaking demonstrations complement the museum's extensive glass collection.

# Chrysler Museum of Art

One Memorial Place, Norfolk; 757-664-6200; chrysler.org. World-class art collection. stunning glass galleries, and interpretive programs.

# **Elmwood Cemetery**

238 East Princess Anne Rd., Norfolk; 757-441-2576; norfolk.gov/facilities/facility/ details/47. Historic cemetery that exemplifies the Victorian neriod's Christian view of death as temporary sleep.

#### Fort Norfolk

810 Front St., Norfolk; 757-640-1720; norfolkhistoricalsociety. wildapricot.org/ftnorfolk. Last remaining of 19 harborfront forts authorized in 1794 by President George Washington

# **Hampton Roads Naval**

Museum One Waterside Dr., Ste. 248, Norfolk; 757-322-2987; hrnm. navy.mil. Explore over 238 years of exciting Naval history!

# Hermitage Museum and Gardens

7637 North Shore Rd Norfolk; 757-423-2052; thehermitagemuseum.org. Historic estate featuring an art museum and waterfront gardens. \$ 🖚 🛎 🕹 🔡

# The MacArthur Memorial

MacArthur Sq., Norfolk; 757-441-2965: macarthurmemorial org. Museum about the life and times of General Douglas

# **Moses Myers House**

323 F Freemason St. Norfolk 757-333-1087; chrysler.org. This home is the oldest Jewish home in America. 🖚

#### Nauticus

One Waterside Dr., Norfolk; 757-664-1000; nauticus.org. Nauticus explores the naval natural, and economic power of the sea through hands-on exhibits, demonstrations, 3D films, and the mighty Battleship Wisconsin! \$ ===

## **Naval Station Norfolk**

9079 Hampton Blvd., Norfolk; 757-444-7955; cnic.navy.mil/ regions/cnrma/installations/ ns norfolk.html. Call or visit our website for tour availability and information

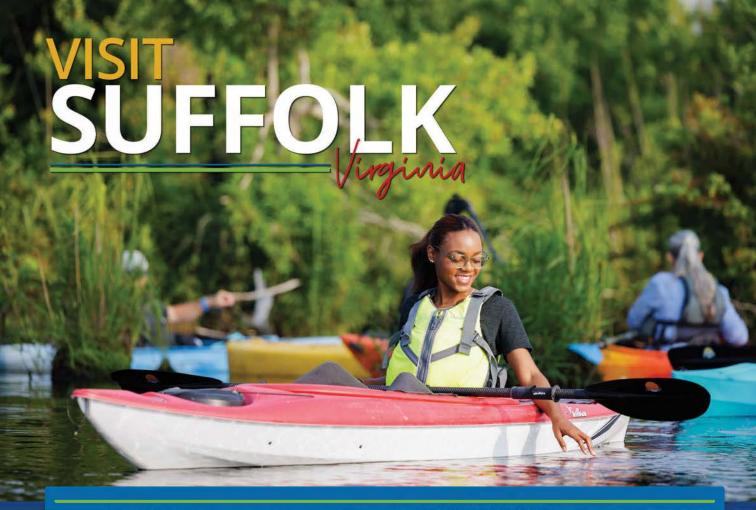
# Norfolk Botanical Garden

6700 Azalea Garden Rd., Norfolk; 757-441-5830; norfolkbotanicalgarden.org. 175 gorgeous acres, 60 themed gardens, children's garden, and

#### Norfolk Southern Museum 3 Commercial Pl. Norfolk:

757-823-5325; nscorp. the-norfolk-southern-story/ norfolk-. Artifacts including sections of a Civil War-era track, vintage hand tools, and













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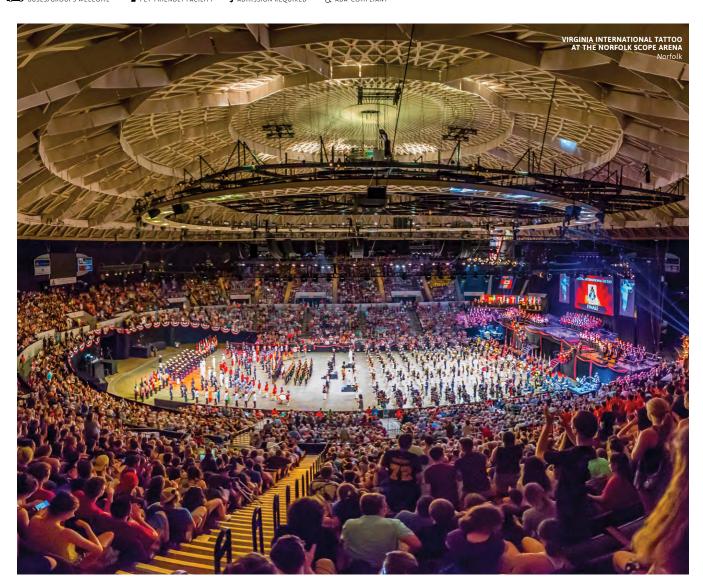
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Whatever adventure you're seeking, Suffolk is like no other.



# Norfolk State Planetarium

700 Park Ave., Norfolk; 757-823-8600; userweb.jlab. org/~salgado/astropage/ index.html. Regularly sponsors lecture series to the public, in-service teachers courses, and workshops.

## Saint Paul's Episcopal Church 201 St. Paul's Blvd., Norfolk;

757-627-4353; stpaulsnorfolk. org. Built in 1739, St. Paul's Church is Norfolk's oldest building.

# Virginia Arts Festival

440 Bank St Norfolk 757-282-2819; vafest.org. Presenting great performers from around the world to local audiences and making our region a cultural destination for visitors. Music, dance, and theater from some of today's most influential composers, choreographers, and playwrights as well as education programs that reach tens of thousands of area schoolchildren each year. \$ 章 齿 永

# Virginia Opera

160 W Virginia Beach Blvd., Norfolk: 757-627-9545: vaopera.org. The official opera company of Virginia performing in Norfolk, Richmond, and Fairfax. \$

Virginia Zoo 3500 Granby St., Norfolk; 757-441-2374; virginiazoo. org. Home to more than 700 animals representing over 150 species. \$

# Willoughby-Baylor House 601 E Freemason St., Norfolk;

757-664-6200: chrysler.org. Federal townhouse built in 1794. Local history with changing exhibitions.

# **POQUOSON**

500 City Hall Ave., Poquoson; 757-868-5314; poquoson-va. gov. Shopping, dining, outdoor recreation, and beautiful waterfront framed in a relaxed, unhurried setting!

# THINGS TO DO

# Poquoson Museum

968 Poguoson Ave Poguoson; 757-868-6830; poquosonmuseum.com. Great local history, enlightening walking trail, and magnificent garden. 🖚 📽

oquoson Seafood Festiva 830 Poquoson Ave., Poquoson; 757-868-3580; poquosonseafoodfestival.com Chesapeake Bay seafood and entertainment for the whole family.

# **PORTSMOUTH**

**Portsmouth Welcome Center** 206 High St., Portsmouth; 757-393-5111; visitportsva. com. Get attraction brochures, dining suggestions, itineraries, information, gifts, and more. **~**\*&

# THINGS TO DO

# **Atlantic Union Bank Pavilion**

16 Crawford Circle, Portsmouth; 757-393-8181; pavilionconcerts.com. 6,500-capacity waterfront venue hosting live entertainment Reserved and lawn. \$ == &.

Chevra T'helim Jewish Museum & Cultural Center 607 Effingham St., Portsmouth; 757-391-9266; Established 1917, completed 1922: learn about Jewish history, faith, and culture. Tours available

# The Children's Museum of Virginia

221 High St., Portsmouth; 757-393-5258; childrensmuseumvirginia.com Interactive exhibits full of fun and learning that spark the imagination. \$===

# **Commodore Theatre**

421 High St., Portsmouth; 757-393-6962: commodoretheatre. com. 1940s Art Deco movie 

# Fresnel Lens

Adjacent to the Portsmouth Seawall, near High St. Landing, Portsmouth; 757-393-8591; portsvacation.com/places/thefresnel-lens. Among the largest and brightest of its kind, with more than 250 prisms of optical glass. 🖚 🛎 🕹

# The Hill House Museum 221 North St., Portsmouth;

757-393-0241; thehillhousemuseum.org. Circa 1820 historic home. Call for hours and group tours. \$

# History Alive

206 High St., Portsmouth; 757-705-8130: historyalive. info. Portsmouth's historical characters brought to life for a guided tour. \$



Visit the #1 day-trip destination from Williamsburg for its world-famous hams, downtown shops, restaurants, attractions and special events. Smithfield and Isle of Wight County also offer a relaxing WEEKEND GETAWAY that's easy to get to from Coastal Virginia, the Richmond and D.C. areas. GenuineSmithfieldVA.com



# The Smithfield Inn

For over 250 years, family and friends have been celebrating and creating traditions at the Smithfield Inn. Guests may enjoy gracious southern hospitality while dining and staying at this historic icon of Smithfield located on Main Street. Yes! George Washington did sleep here.

# SmithfieldInn.com

112 Main Street, 757.357.1752



Windsor Castle Park is a 208-acre park nestled along the banks of the Pagan River & Cypress Creek and located in the heart of downtown Smithfield offering walking trails, a fishing pier, seasonal outfitters, picnic area, dog park, mountain bike path, and children's natural play area.

# WindsorCastlePark.com 705 Cedar Street, 757.542.3109



Smithfield Station Waterfront Hotel, Restaurant and Marina, sits proudly on the banks of the Pagan River, offering a one-of-a-kind experience combining overnight accommodations, a delicious waterfront restaurant, conference space, shopping, a 100-slip marina and more.

# SmithfieldStation.com

415 S. Church Street, 877.703.7700



# Maggie Casey's Celtic Treasure

Discover a wee bit of Ireland, Scotland and Wales in this charming shop filled with fine Celtic jewelry, sweaters, handbags, accessories, and home goods. You'll also find authentic Guinness dothing and barware as well as a delectable selection of sweets, jams, & teas. Open 7 days a week! On Facebook as:

Maggie Casey's Celtic Treasure 124 Main Street, 757.542.4333



# St. Luke's Historic Church & Museum

"The Oldest Brick Church Building in North America," completed in 1686, remains a vibrant national symbol of religious freedom, national historic landmark, museum, open cemetery, wedding venue, picnic area, and gift shop. Grounds open daily between sunrise and sunset. Museum and gift shop schedule online. Group tours available with reservation.

# StLukesMuseum.org

14477 Benns Church Blvd., 757.357.3367



# Smithfield VSI Events

Held riverside at Windsor Castle Park, check out the hottest festivals in Coastal Virginia! Enjoy Winter's BOB Fest, Spring's Wine & Brew Fest and Fall's Bacon & Bourbon Music Fest. Upscale five-course dining events are hosted in the historic18th Century Manor House featuring bourbons, wines and spirits.

SmithfieldVAEvents.com 302 Jericho Rd., 757.357.5182





**Hoffler Creek Wildlife Preserve** 4510 Twin Pines Rd., Portsmouth; 757-686-8684; hofflercreek.org. A natural getaway for hikers, kayakers, birders, and wildlife watchers.

# Lightship Portsmouth Museum

London Slip at the corner of London and Water Sts., Portsmouth; 757-393-8591; portsmouthlightship.com. Restored 1916 Lightship with realistic artifacts, uniforms, photographs, and models.

# **Paradise Creek Nature Park**

1141 Victory Blvd., Portsmouth; 757-399-7487; paradisecreeknaturepark. com. Restored urban wetland. Trails, art, kayak, nature center.

# **Path of History Walking Tour** From Norfolk Naval Shipyard to the Portsmouth Navy Medical Center, Portsmouth; 757-393-5111; visitportsva. com. Self-guided walking tour history.

# Pokey Smokey II

5 Cpl. J.M. Williams Ave., Portsmouth; 757-393-8481; portsmouthparks.com/165/ pokey-smokey-2. A miniature train at City Park. Great for kids. \$

# Portsmouth Art & Cultural Center

400 High St., Portsmouth; 757-393-8543; portsmouthartcenter. com. Offering quality educational art exhibits, lectures, classes, and performances. \$ --- &.

#### Portsmouth City Park/Links at City Park

5 Cpl. J.M. Williams Ave., Portsmouth; 757-465-2937; portsmouthparks.com. A 93acre waterfront park. Fishing, nine-hole golf, foot golf, playground. 🖚 🛎 🕹

#### **Portsmouth Colored Community Library Museum** 904 Flm Avenue

Portsmouth; 757-393-8591; Portsmouth's African American heritage through exhibits, photos, journals, and memorabilia. 🖚 🖔

#### **Portsmouth Naval Shipyard** Museum

2 High St., Portsmouth; 757-393-8591; portsmouthnavalshipyard museum.com. Ship models, military artifacts exhibits portraying life in 18th-20th

# **Portsmouth Splash Park**

900 Elm Ave., Portsmouth; 757-393-8481; portsmouthparks. com. Aquatic park, 12 spray nozzles, and raindeck

# SMITHFIELD AND ISLE **OF WIGHT**

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# Smithfield & Isle of Wight Convention and Visitors

319 Main St., Smithfield: 757-357-5182; genuinesmithfieldva. & arts center. Open daily. 📽

# THINGS TO DO

Arts Center @ 319 319 Main St., Smithfield 757-357-7707: smithfieldarts. org. Located in visitor center,

# gallery, resident artists, gift Boykin's Tavern Museum

of Wight; 757-357-5182; thfieldva.com Restored 1762 tavern. National landmark self-guided tours by appt. Monday-Friday.

# Courthouse of 1750

130 Main St., Smithfield; 757-356-9016; GenuineSmithfieldVa.com. One of four arcaded Colonial courthouses with semi-circular

# Fort Boykin Historic Park

Smithfield; 757-357-0115; genuinesmithfieldva.com Site of 1623 Colonial fort. Open daily. Free. 🖚📽

# Historic Downtown Smithfield 319 Main St., Smithfield: 757-357-5182; genuinesmithfieldva

com. Visit Genuine Smithfield, Virginia and savor our smalltown southern charm!

# Walking Tour 319 Main St., Smithfield; 757-

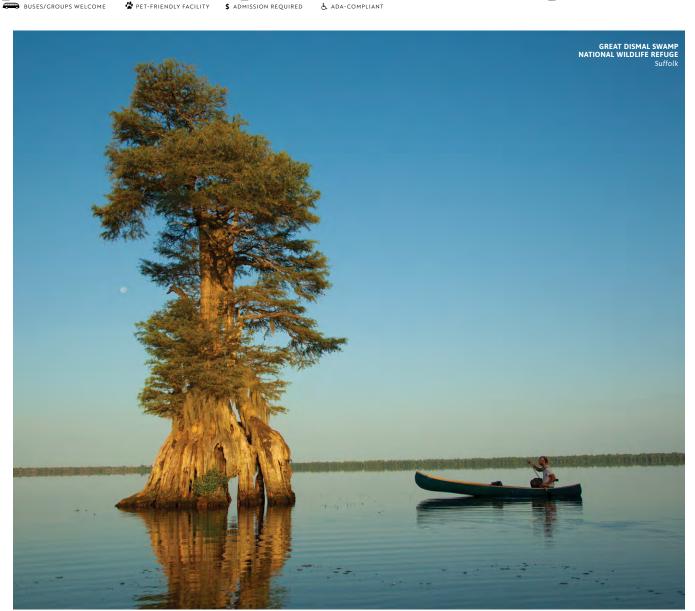
357-5182; genuinesmithfieldva. com. Over 50 historic registry. \$



# Busch Gardens + Water Country USA

Immerse yourself in a European-themed setting built within Virginia's natural landscape; filled with award-winning coasters, entertainment, and special events all year long. Virginia's largest water park offers endless summer fun with over 40 slides, pools, and lazy rivers.





Historic Fort Huger Fort Huger Dr., Rushmere; 757-357-5182. Restored strategic Civil War Fort protecting Richmond on the James River. 🖧

# Isle of Wight County Museum 103 Main St., Smithfield; 757-

356-1223; historicisleofwight. com. Home of the world's oldest ham. Interactive exhibits. \$

# Isle of Wight Courthouse Randall Booth Records Room

17000 Josiah Parker Circle, Isle of Wight County; 757-357-3191; genuinesmithfieldva. com. Source of genealogy records that were saved during

# Lundeen Bronze Statues

319 Main St., Smithfield; 757-357-5182; genuinesmithfieldva. com/business/detail/52/ bronze-sculptures-by. The largest collection of Lundeen statues in the USA.

Maggie Casey's Celtic Treasure 124 Main St., Smithfield; 757-542-4333; facebook.com/ mcceltictreasure. Fine Celtic jewelry, sweaters, handbags & accessories, Guinness ware and homegoods.

# **Porcine Parade**

319 Main St., Smithfield; 757-357-5182; genuinesmithfieldva. com. Walking tour of life-size hog statues, created by local artists.

# The Schoolhouse Museum

516 Main St., Smithfield; 757-365-4789; theschoolhousemuseum. com. Restored one-room schoolhouse built to educate county African American

Smithfield Center 220 North Church St., Smithfield; 757-356-9939; smithfieldcenter.com. Located in the beautiful, historic downtown Smithfield groups will find everything needed for a meeting, conference, wedding or

# reception.

**Smithfield Events** Windsor Castle Park, 705 Cedar St., Smithfield; 757-357-5182: smithfieldvaevents.com. Bringing first-class events to the Town of Smithfield and supporting local charities. See website for calendar of events.

## **Smithfield Station Waterfront** Restaurant, Inn and Marina 415 S. Church St., Smithfield;

757-357-7700: smithfieldstation.com. One-of-a-kind waterfront inn combines fine amenities, unique conference space, on-site dining and a fully equipped marina.

#### St. Luke's Historic Church & Museum

14477 Benn's Church Blvd., Smithfield; 757-357-3367; stlukesmuseum.org. Uncover the unique, enriching story that is St. Luke's! \$===

# Windsor Castle Park

708 Cedar St., Smithfield; 757-542-3109; genuinesmithfieldva. com. Downtown Smithfield's riverside park - trails, kayak launch, dogpark, fishing pier.

# **SUFFOLK**

Suffolk Visitor Center 524 North Main St., Suffolk; 757-514-4130; visitsuffolkva. com. Inside the historic Nansemond County courthouse (1837). Open daily

9am-5pm. 🖚 🕹 🕹

# THINGS TO DO

Cedar Hill Cemetery 105 Mahan St., Suffolk; 757-514-4130; visitsuffolkva.com. Unique 32-acre cemetery is a Virginia Civil War Trail site. Guided tours.

# **Decent People Taproom** 5140 River Club Dr #120,

Suffolk; 757-977-1211; decentpeopletaproom.com. 44 Self-Serve Taps of craft beer, cider, and wine.

# **Great Bottles**

3575 Bridge Rd. # 21, Suffolk; 757-686-2222; greatbottlesva. com. Wines, craft beers, tastings, and wine classes.

#### **Great Dismal Swamp Narrated** Bus Tour

524 N. Main St., Suffolk; 757-514-4130; visitsuffolkva.com. Discover the natural beauty and history of the Great Dismal Swamp. \$ € &



# **Great Dismal Swamp National**

Wildlife Refuge 3100 Desert Rd., Suffolk; 757-986-3705; fws.gov/northeast/

## Haven & Hull (Beer & Wine Sanctuary)

115 W. Washington St., Suffolk; 757-539-5397; facebook.com/ uncorkdsuffolk. Lovely tasting room and shop. Wine, beer, and desserts

#### Legends of Main Street: A Suffolk Ghost Walk

524 North Main St., Suffolk; 757-514-4130; visitsuffolkva. com Stroll historic downtown by lantern light with a costumed guide. \$==

# Nansemond Brewing Station 212 E. Washington St..

Suffolk; 757-647-5316; nansemondbrewing.com. 3.000-square-foot tasting room, 10-barrel brew house Live music & events. 🖚 🛎 🕹

#### Phillips-Dawson House Circa 1881

137 Bank St., Suffolk: 757-539-2781; suffolkhistory. org. Beautiful historic home. Changing exhibit gallery, archival materials, and objects

# **Planters Peanut Center**

308 West Washington St. Suffolk: 757-539-4411: suffolkpeanuts.com, Peanuts roasted in the shell daily by a 1936 model roaster.

# Riddick's Folly House Museum 510 North Main St. Suffolk:

757-934-0822; riddicksfolly.org. Tour a Greek Revival mansion (1837). Virginia Civil Trail site.

# **Skydive Suffolk**

200 Gene Bolton Dr. , Suffolk; 757-539-3531; skydivesuffolk. com. Premier skydiving center offering tandem, sport jumps and accelerated freefall.

# Suffolk Art Gallery 118 Boslev Ave., Suffolk:

757-514-7284; visitsuffolkva. com. Contemporary art gallery and museum unites whimsy and creativity through ever-changing exhibits and programs.

# Suffolk Center for Cultural Arts 110 W. Finney Ave., Suffolk:

757-923-0003; suffolkcenter. org. Art galleries, historical exhibits and theatrical, dance and musical productions.

# Suffolk Farmers Market

524 North Main St., Suffolk; 757-514-4130: visitsuffolkva. com Outdoor farmers market offering fresh local produce

# Suffolk Seaboard Coastal Trail King's Hwy. (Driver Village),

Suffolk; 757-514-7250; suffolkva.us/266/Parks-Recreation, Former railroad right-of-way now 10-ft wide pedestrian and bicycle trail. 🖚📽 🖔

#### **Suffolk Seaboard Station** Railroad Museum

326 North Main St. Suffolk; 757-514-4135; suffolktrainstation.com. Restored 1885 station, HO-scale model memorabilia caboose and gift shop. \$==

# **SURRY COUNTY**

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#### **Surry County Visitors Center** 267 Church St., Surry; 757-294-0644; surrycountytourism com. Just a short, free ferry ride from Williamsburg; come, visit and Savor the Secrets of

# THINGS TO DO

# Bacon's Castle

465 Bacon's Castle Trail, Surry; 757-357-5976: baconscastle. org. The nation's oldest brick nome, circa 1665. \$ 🖚 🖧

# **Chippokes Plantation State**

695 Chippokes Park Rd., Surry; 757-294-3728; virginiastateparks.gov, chippokes-plantation.

# Gray's Creek Marina

633 Marina Dr., Surry; 757-294-3700; surrycountytourism. com/grays\_creek.htm. Free boat, kayak, and canoe launch; fishing pier; bathhouse; marina 📽 🕹

# VIRGINIA BEACH

Includes Fort Story

# Virginia Beach Visitor Information Center

2100 Parks Ave., Virginia Beach: 757-385-7873 visitvirginiabeach.com Visitor information available Monday-Friday 9am-5pm, Saturday-Sunday 10am-4pm.

# Virginia Beach Convention &

Visitors Bureau 600 22nd St. 2nd Floor. Virginia Beach; 757-385-4700; visitvirginiabeach.com. Vacation in Virginia Beach and learn how to "Live the Life."

#### THINGS TO DO

#### The Adventure Park at Virginia Aguarium

801 General Booth Blvd. Virginia Beach; 757-385-4947; myadventurepark.com. Head for the treetops on 13 different rope courses. \$

#### Surry County Historical Society **Atlantic Wildfowl Heritage**

281 Bank St., Surry; 757-294-0404; surrycountyvahistory. org. Information available on history, churches, cemeteries, genealogy research. 🖚 🖔

Jamestown-Scotland Ferry

Rt. 31, Surry; 800-823-3779

virginiadot.org/comtravel/

**Nottoway Indian Tribe of** 

Virginia 23186 Main St., Capron; 757-

653-7932; nottowayindians. org. Educating through

programming and sharing

Smith's Fort

Register, 🕹

Smith's "New Fort."

**Surry County Historic** Courthouse Complex 28 Colonial Trail East., Surry;

local cultures and traditions.

217 Smith Fort Ln., Surry; 757-

294-3872; preservationvirginia

org. 1609 site of Captain John

757-269-3161; surrycountyva.

circuit-court. Original county

records dating to incorporation

gov/departments/clerk-of-

in 1652. National Historic

ferry-jamestown. Operates 24

between Surry and Jamestown

hours a day, 365 days a year

# **Surry Farmers Market**

45 School St., Surry; 757-294-0644; surrycountytourism. com/174/surry-farmersmarket. Fresh local produce & prepared foods. Fridays 4-7pm. <del>← \*</del> & &

# Museum/Dewitt Cottage 1113 Atlantic Ave., Virginia

Beach; 757-437-8432; awhm. org. Oldest remaining structure on oceanfront. Home to Atlantic Wildfowl Heritage

# **Back Bay National Wildlife** Refuge

4005 Sandpiper Rd Virginia Beach; 757-301-7329; fws.gov/ refuge/back\_bay.

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# **Cape Henry Lighthouse-Joint** Expeditionary Base Little

Creek-Fort Story
Enter through Gate 8 at 89th St. and Atlantic Ave., Fort Story; 757-422-9421; preservationvirginia.org. The oldest government-built lighthouse, circa 1792. \$

**Cape Henry Memorial Cross** Joint Expeditionary Base Little

Creek-Fort Story, Virginia Beach; 757-898-2410; nps.gov came. Memorial marking first landing site of Jamestown's colonists in 1607

Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunne 32386 Lankford Hwy., Cape Charles: 757-331-2960: cbbt. com. An engineering marvel and east coast scenic shortcut (toll road). \$ 🖚 📽

# Chesaneake Bay Center

2500 Shore Dr., Virginia Beach; visitvirginiabeach.com. Information on nature-based tourism activities in the area

#### Edgar Cayce's A.R.E. Association for Research and Enlightenment

215 67th St. Virginia Beach 757-428-3588; edgarcayce.org. International headquarters of Edgar Cayce. Groups welcome.

# **False Cape State Park**

4001 Sandpiper Rd., Virginia Reach: 757-426-7128: virginiastateparks.gov/ false-cape.

# Ferry Plantation House

4136 Cheswick Ln., Virginia Beach; 757-473-5182; ferryplantation.org. 1830 Federal farm house with docents dressed in Civil War era costumes.

# **First Landing State Park** 2500 Shore Dr. Virginia Beach; 757-412-2300; virginiastateparks.gov/first

# **Francis Land House** 3131 Virginia Beach Blvd.

Virginia Beach: 757-385-5100. museumsyborg Plantation home built in 1805. Site includes gardens and a nature trail. \$ ===

# Lynnhaven House

4409 Wishart Rd., Virginia Beach; 757-385-5100; museumsvb.org. 18th-century brick house with period furniture and tours by docents in period dress.

# **Military Aviation Museum**

1341 Princess Anne Rd., Virginia Beach; 757-721-7767; militaryaviationmuseum.org. Houses one of the largest collections of World War I and II era military aircraft. \$==

# Motor World Family Thrill Park 700 South Birdneck Rd.

Virginia Beach; 757-422-6419; notorworld.com. Race cars for all ages, kiddie rides, thrill rides, paintball, arcade. \$==

# Ocean Breeze Waterpark 849 General Booth Blvd

Virginia Beach; 757-422-4444; oceanbreezewaterpark.com. This family-friendly destination offers over 30 rides and attractions. \$ ===

#### **Princess Anne County Training** School/Union Kempsville High School Museum

5100 Cleveland St., Virginia Beach; 757-385-5100; museumsvb.org. Built in 1938 using funds raised by the African American community.

# Sandler Center for the **Performing Arts**

201 Market St. Virginia Beach. 757-385-2787; sandlercenter. org. Virginia Beach's cultura venue for top artists and area performing arts organizations.

# Thoroughgood House

1636 Parish Rd., Virginia Beach; 757-385-5100: museumsyh org. A National Historic Landmark likely constructed by Adam Thoroughgood's great-grandson. \$ ====

#### Virginia Aquarium & Marine Science Center vo

717 General Booth Blvd. Virginia Beach; 757-385-3474: virginiaaquarium.com. Explore exhibits, see marine animals & take a boat trip. \$

#### Virginia Beach Surf & Rescue Museum

2401 Atlantic Ave., Virginia Beach; 757-422-1587; vbsurfrescuemuseum.org Explore fun history exhibits and a great boardwalk souvenir shop!\$

# Virginia Museum of Contemporary Art

2200 Parks Ave., Virginia Beach; 757-425-0000; virginiamoca.org. Contemporary art exhibitions, events, classes, and activities for all ages. \$ ===

# Zeiders American Dream Theater

4509 Commerce St., Virginia Beach; 757-499-0317; thez. org. A non-profit theater company that provides artistic experiences. \$

## WILLIAMSBURG Includes Jamestown

Colonial Williamsburg

# **Regional Visitor Center** 101 Visitor Center Dr.,

Williamsburg; 757-220-7645; colonialwilliamsburg com/ plan/visitor-center/. The official regional visitor center with information on area tourism 🚐

# Visit Williamsburg

421 N. Boundary St Williamsburg; 757-229-6511; visitwilliamsburg com In Williamsburg, life moves one pace. Yours. Plan your trip to experience world class attractions, theme parks. golf, history, and much more #visitwilliamsburg. 🖚 📽

# THINGS TO DO

# The Art Museums of Colonial

326 Francis St Williamsburg; 877-686-6121; colonialwilliamsburg.com/ art-museums. Quirky toys, whimsical whirligigs, carousel characters, backwoods banios British ceramics antique instruments, textiles, firearms, clothing, and more!

# Berkeley: Virginia's Most

Off Scenic Route 5, between Richmond and Williamsburg, Charles City; 804-829-6018; berkeleyplantation.com. Birthplace of Wm. H. Harrison, ninth U.S. President and Benjamin Harrison signer of the Declaration of Independence. First Thanksgiving, "Taps," and Civil War headquarters. Original 1726 Georgian mansion. Outstanding gardens overlooking the James River. Guided house tours, exhibits, and grounds tours at your own pace. Special events and activities for everyone. **\$** 

# Busch Gardens vg

1 Busch Gardens Blvd., Williamsburg; 757-229-4386; buschgardens.com/va. Busch Gardens Williamsburg has fun for the whole family. The best rides, entertainment, and thrilling attractions! Named the World's Most Beautiful Theme Park. \$

# Church on the Main

4692 Sir Gilbert Loop, Williamsburg: exploreiccva. com. Historical site of a brick Anglican Church built in the 1750s

# Colonial Williamsburg

101 Visitor Center Dr. Williamsburg; 800-447-8679; colonialwilliamsburg.com. Colonial Williamsburg offers an 18th-century living history experience in the restored and preserved capital of Virginia the intellectual flash point for the founding fathers of the American Revolution, \$

#### **Historic James River** Plantations

Along scenic VA Route 5 in Charles City County; jamesriverplantations. org. Visit historic James River Plantations: for more information, see listings under Charles City County

# Historic Jamestowne

1368 Colonial Pkwv.. Jamestown; 757-856-1250; historicjamestowne.org. Original site of 1607 James Fort. Archaeology, living 

# James River Plantation - Civil War Trail and Tours

Virginia Route 5 Scenic Byway, Williamsburg; 804-829-2480; pineygrove.com. Self-guided grounds tours of Edgewood, North Bend, Piney Grove, Westover. Progressive "Tours-by-the-Owners" are also available. \$

# Jamestown Settlement

2110 Jamestown Rd. Williamsburg; 757-253-4838; jyfmuseums.org. Living-history museum explores the world of America's first permanent English colony. Expansive gallery exhibits and film trace history of Jamestown and Powhatan Indian, European, and West Central African cultures that converged in 1600s Virginia. Features outdoor re-creations of three ships, fort, and a Paspahegh town. Gift shop. Cafe. \$ == 6

# Piney Grove at Southall's Plantation - 1790

Rt. 5 Virginia Scenic Byway, Williamsburg; 804-829-2480; pineygrove.com. Rare example of early Virginia log architecture. Gardens and nature \$

#### Tomb of the Unknown Patriotic Soldier - The American Revolution

4692 Sir Gilbert Loop. Williamsburg: exploreiccva com. Battle of Green Spring, which took place in the fields near Church on The Main on July 6 1781

# Virginia Musical Museum

6316 Richmond Rd. Williamsburg: 757-303-5907: virginiamusicalmuseum. com. Museum with focus on historical instruments and Virginia music legends. \$===

# Water Country USA

176 Water Country Pkwy., Williamsburg; 757-229-4386; watercountryusa.com. Guests can spend a hot summer day in a fun and refreshing way at Water Country USA, Virginia's largest water park. The park offers fun for the entire family in a cool beach vibe, with resort-style amenities and more than 40 state-of-the-art water rides and attractions.

# **York River State Park** 9801 York River Park Rd.

Williamsburg: 757-566-3036: virginiastateparks.gov 

# YORKTOWN

# Visit Yorktown

301 Main St., Yorktown; 757-890-5900: visitvorktown org. Experience 18th-century homes, battlefields, museums, or the beautiful waterfront. Picturesque streets are lined with art galleries, antique and specialty shops, and one-of-akind lodging and restaurants.

# THINGS TO DO

#### **American Revolution Museum** at Yorktown 200 Water St., Rt. 1020

Yorktown; 757-253-4838; jyfmuseums.org. Living-history museum explores the national story of the American Revolution Stories of citizens and soldiers unfold through immersive gallery exhibits with period artifacts, dioramas, short films, and interactive experiences. Features outdoor re-creations of Continental Army encampment and Revolution-era farm. Gift shop Cafe. \$ = 人

# Colonial Parkway

From Jamestown to Williamsburg and Yorktown, Yorktown; 757-898-2410; nps. gov/colo. This scenic roadway links the primary sites of the "Historic Triangle."

# **Riverwalk Landing**

425 Water St., Yorktown; 757-890-5900; riverwalklanding.com. Waterfront development on the beautiful York River, Features shopping, riverfront dining, sunset sails, segway tours, performance venue, a beautiful beach, recreational piers, and free parking.

# Watermen's Museum

309 Water St., Yorktown: 757-887-2641 watermens org. Museum tells the story of "lives along the Chesapeake Bay" and the history of the people who work and harvest the bounty of the bay. \$==

# York County Historical Museum

301 Main St., Yorktown; 757-898-4490; yorkcounty.gov/ychm. View artifacts telling the rich stories of York County's nast 🚐 🛦

# Yorktown Battlefield

1000 Colonial Pkwy., Yorktown; 757-898-2410; nps.gov/colo. Site where the British surrendered to General George Washington's allied armies in 1781.

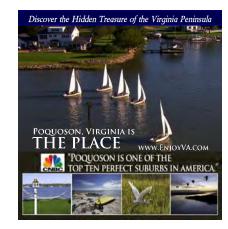
# Yorktown Market Days

331 Water St., Yorktown; 757-890-5900; yorktownmarketdays.com. A cool breeze off the water; friendly faces; a variety of fresh, local food from seasonal produce, fresh flowers, and baked goods to gourmet dog treats and handmade soaps and candles.

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