

2020 OFFICIAL VISITOR'S GUIDE

# CHESAPEAKE

## VIRGINIA



YOUR GUIDE ON WHERE TO  
SHOP, DINE AND PLAY.





# WELCOME TO THE HEART OF COASTAL VIRGINIA!

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VIRGINIA







SITUATED ON THE ATLANTIC INTRACOASTAL WATERWAY, just minutes from the Virginia Beach oceanfront and downtown Norfolk, Chesapeake offers an endless range of outdoor activities, terrific shopping, phenomenal food and beautiful wildlife. Here you will find an impressively diverse collection of geography encompassing urban delights, rural masterpieces, and an endless menu of outdoor options and indoor fun. With Chesapeake as the perfect beginning of your Coastal Virginia getaway, it is easy to explore all the region has to offer.

*Looking for more information?* Be sure to stop by our Visitor Center for an abundance of informational brochures about area attractions and events. Or visit our website [www.VisitChesapeake.com](http://www.VisitChesapeake.com).







# ON THE WATER

## Marinas

### Atlantic Yacht Basin

2615 Basin Road • 757-482-2141

One of the oldest, largest and best-known marinas on the Intracoastal Waterway. It has breathtaking water views and easy bike access to shops, parks, and eateries.

### Centerville Waterway Marina

100 North Centerville Turnpike • 757-547-4498

This family-owned and operated marina has a combined 145 years of experience selling and servicing new and used boats and much more.

### Top Rack Marina

5532 Bainbridge Point • 757-227-3041

A full-service marina with amenities including high-speed fueling, pump out, extra-wide wet slips for transient vessels, bathrooms, showers, and air-conditioned changing areas.

## Public Boat Ramps

### Ballahack Boat Ramp

3825 Dismal Swamp Canal Trail • 757-382-6411

Open sunrise to sunset, this concrete boat ramp accommodates boats up to 22' with adjacent pier and gravel parking lot. Children and pets welcome.

### Bob's Fishing Hole

4243 South Battlefield Boulevard  
757-421-2855

Buy your bait, launch or rent your boat – it's a great place to plan to catch bass, catfish, perch, crappie and bluegill, from the shore or boat.

### Dismal Swamp Canal Trail

1246 Dismal Swamp Canal Trail • 757-382-6411

This multi-purpose linear trail accommodates horse owners, bicyclists, walkers, joggers, and boat owners. Features a kayak/canoe launching dock and pier.

### Elizabeth River Park

1400 Elizabeth River Way • 757-382-6411

Located along Scuffletown Creek, this is a tributary to the Southern Branch of the Elizabeth River. The boat ramp is open 24 hours a day.

### Great Bridge Lock Park

100 Locks Road • 757-382-6411

Located along the Intracoastal Waterway this 19-acre park features a two-lane boat ramp, an ADA-accessible canoe/kayak put-in, picnic shelters, a large playground, and a foot-trail.



## GoChesapeake

732 Eden Way • [GoChesapeake.net](http://GoChesapeake.net)

This special concierge and lifestyle service is for yacht owners, captains, and guests traveling the Intracoastal Waterway. Guest service professionals provide the ultimate personalized, professional concierge services available.

There are few places in the country that offer as many ways to enjoy the water as Chesapeake, Virginia. Whether your go-to vessel is powered by motor, sail, or paddle, Chesapeake is ready when you are.

Chesapeake is located at Mile Marker 12 on the **Atlantic Intracoastal Waterway**, a 3,000-mile waterway along the Atlantic and Gulf coasts of the Eastern United States. It provides a navigable route along its length without many of the hazards of travel on the open sea. Each year over 4,000 boaters ply through our waters, and Chesapeake is excited to welcome you to our coastal community. Along the way you will find **Top Rack Marina** which is home to the **Top Rack Sea Store**, along with waterfront dining at the **Amber Lantern** and **Amber Lantern Deli**. The **Atlantic Yacht Basin** is within walking distance of eateries, grocery, retail, and parks.

Listed on the National Register of Historic Places the **Dismal Swamp Canal** extends 22 miles along the

border of the **Great Dismal Swamp National Wildlife Refuge** connecting the Chesapeake Bay with the Albemarle Sound. The canal is also part of the Atlantic Intracoastal Waterway hosting pleasure boaters on its waters, and hikers and bikers along its banks on the **Dismal Swamp Canal Trail**. The Dismal Swamp Canal is also home to the **Paddle For the Border** event held each May where over 350 kayakers come together for this paddle event from North Carolina to Chesapeake.

You can launch your boat into the Northwest River from **Bob's Fishing Hole**, or rent a Jon boat for your fishing adventures. Stock up on fishing supplies and you are ready to enjoy a day of fishing in one of the most beautiful areas in southeast Virginia. You can also launch your boat or pier fish at **Elizabeth River Park** or one of the several locations listed to the left.





# GREAT BRIDGE LOCK & THE LIQUID HIGHWAY

Chesapeake's **Great Bridge Lock Park** is the perfect place to spend an afternoon. You can picnic, play, fish and crab; but the name can be a little confusing. It might even sound like Chesapeake had a Scottish section until you see signs that read L-O-C-K as opposed to L-O-C-H. Still, it makes you think: What exactly is a lock? There has to be more to the name of this beautiful waterside park.

Locks are used to raise and lower water levels to help vessels easily travel between bodies of water. The Great Bridge Lock can hold up to 20 boats at a time while operators open and close four sets of gates and valves. What makes the Great Bridge Lock particularly unique is that it's a guard lock, meaning it protects water quality.

To understand how we got here, and what makes the Great Bridge Lock so cool, let's go back to the 19th century when the steam engine changed everything. Wind and row-powered boats gave way to huge, steam-powered vessels that could carry more goods, to more places, at a much faster rate. In Chesapeake, that meant boats needed a deeper and wider passage than the hand-dug **Dismal Swamp Canal**.

In 1850, steam-powered dredges called "Iron Titans," tore through tangles of roots and cypress knees to build the Albemarle and Chesapeake Canal. The Great Bridge Lock was in place to regulate travel – and business boomed. In 1912, the locks were put under the control of the Army Corps of Engineers as part of a project to connect the entire East Coast with one aquatic superhighway. In 1915, the Locks were left open as a part of this project. A few years later, in 1919, the Albemarle and Chesapeake Canal became a part of the new Atlantic Intracoastal Waterway.

Talk about a traffic boom. This waterway, still in use today, allowed vessels to travel from Florida to Maine without the dangers of the open ocean. It was a huge step for commercial and pleasure boats alike. However, certain things started to change. With high traffic keeping the lock open, the ecosystem suffered. Animals and plants that typically thrived were adversely affected.

Here's why. On one side of the lock, freshwater flows from the Currituck Sound in North Carolina. On the other side, salty water flows from the Elizabeth River fed by the Chesapeake Bay. Most plants and animals are suited for either fresh or saltwater. Not both. The mix caused harm to the ecosystem.

Part of what makes Chesapeake so special is its natural habitats, so action needed to be taken. A special guard lock to both protect the environment and allow for transportation was the solution. The lock was completed in 1932 and is still in use today.

Great Bridge Lock Park is not just a great spot to hang out, it's a modern marvel built to preserve the nature that Chesapeake holds so dear. So, whether you want to cast a line, have a picnic, launch a boat, or just relax and read on a beautiful day, Great Bridge Lock Park is the perfect place to enjoy nature and let the moments begin.





Some of the most pristine and beautiful waterfront can be experienced throughout Chesapeake. Visit these locations for front row seats to a water lover's paradise. You can walk, run, have a picnic, or watch a sunset while letting your cares float away.



## Waterways

### Deep Creek Lock Park

300 Luray Street • 757-382-6411

Heavily wooded, 25-acre site with a combination pedestrian bridge/elevated walkway system to traverse a tidal inlet and marsh area.

### Dismal Swamp Canal Trail

1246 Dismal Swamp Canal Trail • 757-382-6411

This multi-purpose linear trail accommodates horse owners, bicyclists, walkers, joggers, and boat owners. It runs 8.5 miles adjacent to the Dismal Swamp Canal and threads through some of the most uniquely historical and ecologically significant habitats in the U.S.

### Elizabeth River Park

1400 Elizabeth River Way • 757-382-6411

Located along Scuffletown Creek, the park boasts some of the most amazing sunsets. There is a walking trail, boat ramp, fishing and crabbing pier, dog park, and the Snack Shack open seasonally.

### Great Bridge Lock Park

100 Locks Road • 757-382-6411

Offering 19 acres of fishing, crabbing, and walking trails. The adjacent water is calm enough for rowing, paddling, and is easy to access via a boat ramp, and includes an ADA-accessible canoe and kayak launch.

### Lakeside Park

1441 Bainbridge Boulevard

757-382-6411

11-acre lakeside park featuring mature trees and scenic archway bridge and offering a fishing pier.

### Northwest River Park and Campground

1733 Indian Creek Road • 757-421-7151

Great fishing with an abundance of bass, plus trails, canoeing, camping, hiking, bicycling, playgrounds, & more! Rental cabins and camping facilities. Open sunrise to sunset. Children and pets welcome.

### Oak Grove Lake Park

409 Byron Street • 757-382-6411

65 acres of hardwood forest and wetlands feature five ADA-accessible fishing/observation platforms around the lake and is open to the public for bank fishing. Open sunrise to sunset.



## Waterfront Dining

### Amber Lantern Restaurant

5532 Bainbridge Point • 757-227-3057

Fine dining on the Intracoastal Waterway that offers a terrific ambiance and a wide variety of spectacular, Mediterranean-style dishes.

### Big Woody's Bar and Grill

123 North Battlefield Boulevard, Suite H • 757-436-1919

A variety of cuisines, a full bar with excellent drink specials, rockin' live entertainment, and the best wings in Hampton Roads.

### Lockside Bar and Grill

200 North Battlefield Boulevard, Suite 13 • 757-410-5999

Great food. Great atmosphere! Come join us for breakfast, lunch, or dinner.



# KAYAKING WITH KEVIN FONDA

As the owner/operator of **Adventure Kayak Tours**, and a kayaking enthusiast for most of my life, I love when someone wants to paddle one of my favorite spots. In fact, I recently received a call from a woman who wanted to check out Chesapeake's Northwest River Natural Area Preserve and I proudly told her I refer to that route as the "Paddle of Paradise."

Then she told me where she was visiting from... Alaska. I couldn't help being intimidated. We've all seen pictures of the sprawling glacial vistas and untouched wilderness.

About an hour into her rental she gave me a call.

"This place is amazing," she said. "I don't think I've booked a kayak long enough. Can I extend my rental?"

That call confirmed what I've known for years: Chesapeake's beauty can hang in there with some of the most famous scenery in the world. I've lived here for more than a decade and the pristine, one-of-a-kind natural setting is a big part of what drew me to the area and inspired me to make kayaking my profession.

The routes I take my clients on in Chesapeake have no wind. No waves. No big boats forming wakes. In Chesapeake it's just you, the kayak and lush scenery that hasn't changed for hundreds of years.

Words can't do it justice. Beyond the beauty, kayaking is essentially cheap therapy. When you're out on the water, completely removed from the hustle and bustle of the outside world, it clears your mind and helps you get perspective on the things that really matter.

It's serenity. It's peace and quiet. And if you're in Chesapeake, you owe it to yourself to give it a try.



**Adventure Kayak Tours** is open year-round. Offering rentals, guided tours, groups excursions, and stand up paddle boards. For more information, visit: [www.adventurekayaktours.net](http://www.adventurekayaktours.net)



# FISHING



Considered one of the best fishing spots in the country, Chesapeake offers a rare mix of pier and shoreline fishing – including both saltwater and freshwater fishing. Marinas and bait and tackle shops are numerous and the crabbing is second to none.

Winter striper and yellow perch are a catch away in **Northwest River Park. Lake Lesa** is stocked with trout November - April. The park also offers classes in fly fishing throughout the season as an alternative to traditional pole fishing.

Buy your bait, and launch or rent your boat at **Bob's Fishing Hole**.

And make sure to participate in one of the many tournaments throughout the year, where you can catch bass, catfish, perch, crappie and bluegill – from the shore or via boat.

If it's crabbing you love, visit **Elizabeth River Park** and **Great Bridge Lock Park** on the Elizabeth River. Always a family good time, these locations won't disappoint.

Boat ramps are available at **Elizabeth River Park, Great Bridge Lock Park, Dismal Swamp Canal Trail** and **Bob's Fishing Hole**.

# GET OUTDO

Even to the casual observer, Chesapeake VA is an outdoor lover's paradise. Outdoor enthusiasts take pilgrimage to Chesapeake to find inner peace in some of the best-preserved, natural spots on the East Coast. No matter your pursuit, find the perfect outlet for your passion in our Coastal Virginia paradise.





# HAPPY TRAILS TO YOU

Hikers, bikers, birders and dog walkers unite! Chesapeake has open trails that create a combined 353 square miles of some of the most immersive outdoor experiences in the country.

The **Chesapeake Arboretum** is a 48-acre sanctuary with botanical garden, vast vibrant florals, historic indigenous trees, and a host of trails – the longest of which is 1.1 miles. Tree lovers make swift tracks to the picturesque Lake Hughes, the Holly Garden, Native Woodland Garden or Stewartia Grove. The Camellia Cover is on the National Camellia Trail and doesn't disappoint. The **Dismal Swamp Canal Trail** is an 8.3-mile-long, paved multi-use trail that runs along the Dismal Swamp Canal. Nearby, the Black Bear Trail is a one-mile trail in to the Great Dismal Swamp National Wildlife Refuge that is great for biking, hiking and birding. Or stroll along the more than seven miles of winding trails at **Northwest River Park and Campground**.



## Grounds for Camping

### CHESAPEAKE CAMPGROUNDS

693 George Washington Hwy., South • 757-485-0149  
100-acre campground has two swimming pools, canoe rentals, pony rides, miniature golf and more.

### NORTHWEST RIVER PARK AND CAMPGROUND

1733 Indian Creek Road • 757-421-7151




With 763 acres of breathtaking parkland, complete with an 8-mile trail system, Northwest River Park and Campground is a favorite sport for avid campers. There are paddle boats, kayaks, canoes, hiking, new miniature golf course, biking and you can even trailer your horse for horseback riding in the equestrian area. Enjoy in-season hayrides and the 40-acre Lake Lesa.

## outdoors & recreation

### Parks




#### Battlefield Park

1775 Historic Way • 757-482-4480

Home to an interpretive historic pathway, and re-creation of the Causeway from 1775, family picnic area, and monument to the British troops who lost their lives during the battle.   


#### Bells Mill Park

424 Albemarle Drive • 757-382-6411

Footpath through natural area with elevated scenic overlook of Southern branch of Elizabeth River. Includes a 2.5-mile circular running trail, and outdoor cardio fitness equipment.   

#### Chesapeake Arboretum

624 Oak Grove Road • 757-819-7510

A mature hardwood forest with many varieties of native plants and trees. Part of the Virginia Birding and Wildlife Trails South Chesapeake Loop. There is a large gazebo for rent on the beautiful grounds. 

#### Chesapeake City Park

900 City Park Drive • 757-382-6411

Multi-amenity 90-acre site. Home to Fun Forest, Skate Park, Dog Park, and the Robert G. "Buddy" Bagley Stage.



#### Courtyard Square Park

208 Conquest Drive • 757-382-6411

273-acre park located behind Chesapeake City Hall, surrounded by connecting walkways and incorporating the City's Tree Trail. Featuring events such as farmers market, food trucks, and more.


#### Deep Creek Lock Park

300 Luray Street • 757-382-6411

25-acre site with 1-mile trail meandering through wooded area with scenic overlooks, horseshoes, and volleyball court.  




#### Deep Creek Park

437 George Washington Hwy., South • 757-382-6411

Home to ADA-accessible Destination Playground. The one mile perimeter trail connects to the Dismal Swamp Canal Trail. Features a dog park, inclusive playground, and multi-purpose athletic fields. 


#### Dismal Swamp Canal Trail

1246 Dismal Swamp Canal Trail • 757-382-6411

8.5-mile multi-purpose linear trail accommodates horse owners, bicyclists, walkers, joggers, and boat owners and runs adjacent to the Dismal Swamp Canal threading through some of the most uniquely historical and ecologically significant habitats in the United States.   


#### Elizabeth River Park

1400 Elizabeth River Way • 757-382-6411

Including a Ship's Store Snack Shack with restrooms and covered pavilion, multiple shelters and gazebos, docking facilities. There is a boat ramp, fishing pier, and outdoor fitness equipment. On the Southern Branch of the Elizabeth River with a view of the South Norfolk Jordan Bridge. 




#### Great Bridge Lock Park

100 Locks Road • 757-382-6411

19-acre park along the Intracoastal Waterway, with a two-lane boat ramp, ADA-accessible kayak launch, picnic shelters, and a foot-trail. Raised berm area, with interpretive signage explaining the lock system, permits spectators a great view of the many yachts that transit the lock on this busy waterway. 



### Great Dismal Swamp National Wildlife Refuge

3100 Desert Road, Suffolk • 757-986-3705

Over 112,000 acres of forested wetlands in southeastern Virginia and northeastern North Carolina with the 3,100-acre Lake Drummond at the center.   




### Indian River Park

2003 Rokeby Avenue • 757-382-6411

90-acre park, which contains a natural 70-acre area consisting of large mature hardwood and pines, a baseball field, play area, and bike trail with elevation changes.  


### Northwest River Park and Campground

1733 Indian Creek Road • 757-421-7151

This 763-acre park offers 66 groomed campsites and two cabins along with a miniature golf course; canoe, paddleboat, and bike rentals; walking trails; and a certified disc golf course.   


### Oak Grove Lake Park

409 Byron Street • 757-382-6411

65 acres of hardwood forest and wetlands feature five ADA-accessible fishing/observation platforms around the lake and is open to the public for bank fishing. There is also outdoor fitness equipment and a trail to walk or run. 

### Western Branch Park

4437 Portsmouth Boulevard • 757-382-6411

80-acre site offers lighted multi-purpose fields, dog park, tree trail, tennis and pickleball courts, and a two-mile walking trail. 

### Golf

#### Chesapeake Golf Club

1201 Clubhouse Drive • 757-547-1122

Semi-private facility featuring several strategically placed water hazards and unique doglegs.

#### Battlefield Golf Club at Centerville

1001 South Centerville Turnpike • 757-482-4779

A links-style treasure comprised of rolling hills, undulating fairways, tiered greens, strategically positioned water hazards, and bunkers.

### Tennis/Pickleball

The following public tennis courts are available in Chesapeake. For more information call 757-382-6411.

#### Deep Creek Community Center

2901 Margaret Booker Drive

6 tennis courts and 2 pickleball courts with lights.

#### Greenbrier Sports Park

1009 Greenbrier Parkway

8 tennis courts and 2 pickleball courts with lights.

#### Western Branch Park/Sports Complex

4437 Portsmouth Boulevard

6 tennis courts with lights and 2 pickleball courts with lights.

#### LEGEND:

 = hiking  = biking  = paddling

For a complete listing of parks and amenities, visit [www.CityofChesapeake.net/parks](http://www.CityofChesapeake.net/parks)



# BIRDING

Chesapeake has been a nationally recognized bird watcher's oasis since the 17th century. Recognized as one of the country's greatest birding sites, the **Virginia Birding and Wildlife Trail - South Chesapeake Loop** provides sanctuary to over 213 species of birds.

Five stops on the trail provide visitors the chance to catch a glimpse of resident species as well as more than 200 different kinds of neo-tropical songbirds during the spring and fall migration season.

## Virginia Birding and Wildlife Trail - South Chesapeake Loop

The sites in the South Chesapeake Loop offer a sample of habitats at the interface of pinewoods and the swampy bottomlands lining several rivers that drain the southeastern corner of the state. Typically, sites on this loop present a diverse assortment of wildlife that reflects this amalgam of habitats. At a single site, visitors may encounter birds ranging from nuthatches flitting through the pines, to prothonotary warblers nesting in hollow swamp trees, to stealthy great blue herons hunting in the shallows.



### Oak Grove Lake Park 409 Bryon Street

Oak Grove Lake makes up about half of the park's 130 acres. Most of the park's remainder is composed of forest that includes dense growth pines, maples, and tulip poplars. The sizable lake and mixed woodland provides an attractive habitat for dragonflies, butterflies, and songbirds. A 1.5 mile multi-use and ADA-accessible trail circles the perimeter of the 65-acre lake.

### A Place for Girls - Nellie Hayse Site 912 Cedar Road

Woodland trails, amidst the 8.5-acre natural area behind the Girl Scout program center, offer access to a diversity of ecological habitats including tidal Belles Mill Creek, marsh, a riparian bottomland, and an old pine stand. The woodland trails are worth birding during any season. In the summer, look for warblers, flycatchers and other woodland birds.

Boardwalks over the creek's brackish waters provide views of estuarine species such as killifish, fiddler and blue crabs. The elevated platform overlooking the creek is an excellent place to scan for large wading birds and provides eye-level views of the ospreys that nest nearby. The trail continues to meander past a canoe launch, picnic areas, and for the active naturalist, onto a fitness trail.

### Northwest River Park & Campground 1733 Indian Creek Road

Wildlife watching opportunities abound at this 763-acre park, but the Deer Island Trail is of particular interest to birders. Forests interspersed with wetlands offer a variety of woodlands and swamp associated birds, including prothonotary warblers. The park's aquatic habitats, such as riverside wetlands, swampy ponds, and open lake edges along Lake Lesa, attract an array of reptiles and amphibians for the curious visitor to discover.

### Dismal Swamp Canal Trail 1246 Dismal Swamp Canal Trail

With 8.5 miles of converted road bed, this multi-use trail allows people of all abilities to explore the wildlife of the Great Dismal Swamp. Running alongside the Dismal Swamp Canal and bordering both Great Dismal Swamp National Wildlife Refuge and Cavalier Wildlife Management Area-Dismal Swamp Tract-this trail offers a variety of habitats in an easily accessible setting. Bird life abounds as well as butterflies and dragonflies. Bear, bobcat, and otter frequent this area. Keep an eye out for any of the numerous reptiles and amphibians that inhabit the swamp. Abutting the single largest tract of land in the region-this trail provides a variety of wonderful wildlife viewing opportunities.

### Chesapeake Arboretum 624 Oak Grove Road

The Arboretum consists of 2 acres of gardens, the Caleb Williamson Farmhouse, and 48 acres of woodlands with 3.5 miles of mulched trails. Pick up a trail map from the box along the path near the farmhouse to begin exploring the grounds. Highlights of the trail include crossing a small clear stream that flows through the forest, which attracts reptiles, amphibians, and butterflies and provides a bathing spot for the woodland passerines that frequent the property.







# FAMILY FUN

There are a ton of great things to do and see in Chesapeake, rain or shine.

## Family Fun

### **AMF Bowling Center-Chesapeake Lanes** 112 Medical Parkway • 757-436-4444

Features 18-hole putt-putt golf course, arcade games and six billiards tables.

### **AMF Bowling Center-Western Branch Lanes** 3101 Lynnhurst Boulevard • 757-686-2695

Features 18-hole putt-putt golf course, arcade games and six billiards tables.

### **AR Workshop Chesapeake**

2125 Starmount Parkway, Suite 103 • 757-392-2789  
Boutique DIY studio that offers hands-on classes for creating custom on-trend, home décor from raw materials.

### **Ballhack Airsoft**

2900 Ballhack Road • 757-685-3356

With miles of trails, woods, swamp, and clearings centered around our Military Operations on Urban Terrain facility, the field provides varied terrain for multiple engagement types.

### **Bounce House**

4300 Portsmouth Boulevard, Suite 110 • 757-966-5596  
Indoor playground and family fun center.

### **Chesapeake Paintball**

3064 Yarkin Road • 757-279-8200

Boasting a fully-stocked pro-shop, two official size turf fields, a Military Operations on Urban Terrain site and over 20 acres of woods for a true paintball experience.

### **Chesapeake Planetarium**

310 Shea Drive • 757-547-0153

Free programs, including telescope observations. Reservations required.

### **Chilled Ponds Ice Sports Complex**

1416 Stephanie Way • 757-420-4488

Offering public skating sessions, birthday parties, learn-to-skate programs, adult and youth hockey leagues.

### **DEFY Chesapeake**

825 Greenbrier Circle, Suite P • 757-296-2001

Attractions include: aerial silks, battle beams, extreme dodgeball, foam pits, ninja obstacle course, and a warped wall.

### **Destination Playground at Deep Creek Park** 437 George Washington Hwy. South • 757-382-6411

A fully accessible innovative play area. This playground was designed for children of all abilities. ADA-accessible and endless fun for all.

### **Fun Forest at Chesapeake City Park**

900 City Park Drive • 757-382-6411

Ultimate children's playground, imagination center and family adventure area!

### **FunVille Playground and Café**

4300 Portsmouth Boulevard, #270B • 757-967-9122

Unlimited indoor playground, rope course, bumper cars, and toddler playground.

### **GLaZENFYRE: A Paint-It-Yourself Pottery Studio**

501A Kempsville Road • 757-436-9990

Paint-it-yourself pottery studio that now offers fusible glass and canvas painting. Private party room for birthdays, work groups, family reunions, or bridal showers.

### **Greenbrier Family Skating Center**

1409 Stephanie Way • 757-420-0258

Equipped with a large skating floor, high tech lighting, arcade rooms, full-service snack bar, and a friendly staff.

### **Hampton Roads Air Tours**

5190 W. Military Highway • 757-855-5525

This extravagant experience will give you a bird's-eye view as you soar through the skies and see all the sights that Hampton Roads has to offer.

### **Painting with a Twist**

1437 Sams Drive, #104 • 757-214-9022

Local artist instructors lead you step by step through the scheduled painting and you'll leave with a wall-worthy masterpiece!

### **PuzzleQuest Escape Room and Conference Center**

1245 Cedar Road, Suite B • 757-410-8379

Chesapeake's first escape room. Perfect for anyone who likes puzzles, anagrams, ciphers and more.

## Cinemas

### **Cinema Café Greenbrier**

1401 Greenbrier Parkway • 757-523-7469

One stop movie theater and restaurant that combines movies with a casual dining experience featuring a full-service menu.

### **Cinema Café Edinburgh**

1864 Edinburgh Lane • 757-523-7469

One stop movie theater and restaurant that combines movies with a casual dining experience featuring a full-service menu.

### **Cinemark Chesapeake Square and XD**

2413 Chesapeake Square Ring Road • 757-488-4695

Extra-large, extreme entertainment featuring huge wall-to-wall screens, wrap-around sound and a maximum comfort entertainment environment.

### **Regal Greenbrier Stadium 13**

600 Jarman Road • 757-420-3456

Enjoy crystal-clear, all digital projections to custom-built sound system and stunning 3D that will immerse you in the movie like never before.





Opening  
Summer  
2020

## Great Bridge Battlefield & Waterways Museum

1775 Historic Way • 757-482-4480

History lovers unite at the **Great Bridge Battlefield & Waterways Museum**, near the site of the **Battle of Great Bridge**. It was at this location patriots had their first victory against the British, creating momentum to fight on for Independence. This battle is credited for having led to the end of the British rule over America.

Adjacent to the museum is **Battlefield Park**, where you can meander through an interpretive trail with educational sign markers while enjoying the outdoors. The park is open to visitors year-round.

Both the Museum and Park are situated on a beautiful stretch of the **Atlantic Intracoastal Waterway**. From this vantage point you can watch the more than 4,000 vessels that ply this waterway annually, or walk the mile loop of wooded trails along the shoreline. The **Dominion Footbridge** offers a majestic view of the marsh, and it is the perfect location to spot water fowl, or even a bald eagle.

Annually, in December, the community comes together for the **Battle of Great Bridge Reenactment**. This weekend heritage celebration is a local's favorite and an opportunity to experience living history.



## History

### Chesapeake 9/11 Memorial

900 City Park Drive • 757-382-6411

A memorial in remembrance of the 9/11 tragedy with a steel beam from the World Trade Center. A rock from Shanksville and a limestone from the Pentagon, currently housed at the Chesapeake Visitor Center, will also reside here.

### Chesapeake Veterans Memorial

306 Cedar Road • 757-382-6151

Commemorates the service and sacrifice of Chesapeake citizens and loved ones who have served in all branches of the military.

### Great Bridge Battlefield & Waterways Museum

1775 Historic Way • 757-482-4480

Home to an interpretive historic pathway, an outdoor auditorium, a re-creation of the Causeway from 1775, a family picnic area, and a monument to the British troops who lost their lives during the battle. Grand opening for museum is planned for 2020.

### Virginia Civil War Trails

[www.civilwartrails.org](http://www.civilwartrails.org)

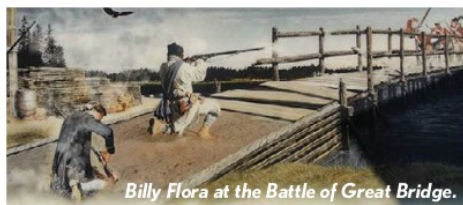
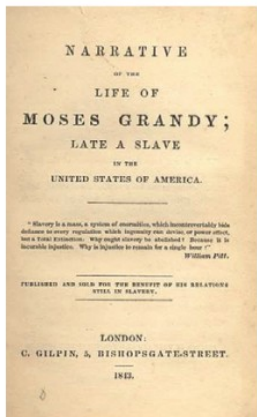
Sites in Chesapeake include the Dismal Swamp Canal, Village of Deep Creek, Village of Great Bridge, Glencoe, Pleasant Grove Baptist Church Cemetery, Seven Patriot Heroes, and Gabriel Chapel/Cuffeytown Cemetery.



# Chesapeake African American Heritage Trail

Once known as Norfolk County, Chesapeake's history runs deep. Along the path of this rich history are the stories of women and men of African heritage. Walk in the footsteps of freedom seekers, pioneers and heroes. Discover the triumphs and tragedies that define our nation. Visit sites that echo the heroic outcomes of the Revolutionary War and Civil War, the Underground Railroad and more. Listen to the companion podcast anytime as part of your journey of discovery.

To learn more about the African American Heritage Trail, including location details and directions visit [www.VisitChesapeake.com/AAHT](http://www.VisitChesapeake.com/AAHT).



A variety of books reflecting history, including several by renowned African American authors are available for purchase in the Chesapeake Visitor Center located at 1224 Progressive Drive. (757) 382-6411

## trail sites

### Battlefield Park • 1775 Historic Way

On the grounds of the Great Bridge Battlefield and Waterways Historic Park and Museum, you will learn about William "Billy" Flora (1755-1818), a Revolutionary War Hero of the Battle of Great Bridge in 1775. Also, the story of Lord Dunmore's Ethiopian Regiment is told.

### Unknown & Known Afro-Union Civil War Soldiers Memorial 1001 Bells Mill Road

The only memorial of its kind in Virginia dedicated to saluting Afro-Union Soldiers and Sailor Patriot Heroes.

### Great Dismal Swamp • 1246 Dismal Swamp Canal Trail

During the American colonial period, groups of enslaved people seeking freedom created communities in heavily wooded and swampy areas. Known as Maroon Communities, many were sustained for generations.

Moses Grandy, whose written account of his life as an enslaved man and skilled waterman, was published in 1843.

The Great Dismal Swamp National Wildlife Refuge is nationally recognized as part of the historic Underground Railroad network.

### Dismal Swamp Canal Superintendent's House 3500 Dismal Swamp Canal Trail (off Glencoe Street)

The Dismal Swamp Canal - an 18th century endeavor, was conceived by a group that included George Washington. After 12 years of grueling work, accomplished mostly by enslaved people in highly unfavorable conditions, the canal opened in 1805. Dating back to the late 1700s, the home of the original project's superintendent still stands today on the bank of the canal.

### Cornland School • 2309 Benefit Road

Originally built in 1885 by people formerly enslaved, the Cornland School is a historic one-room schoolhouse. It is the only known school of its kind still standing in Coastal Virginia.

### Cuffeytown and the Cuffeytown Historic Cemetery 2216 Long Ridge Road

Dating back to the 1800s, Cuffeytown was formed by black people who were born free. It is also known for the Cuffeytown 13, a group of African-Virginian Union Army Civil War Veterans who served in the Colored Troops Infantry Regiments, which were organized in 1863 and 1864.

## Listen to Our Podcast

### EARLY AMERICAN HISTORY MEETS MODERN TECHNOLOGY.

Listen as a companion to your exploration of the Chesapeake African American Heritage Trail. Or listen anywhere, anytime. Podcast episodes include the stories behind several historic sites, and other topics related to African American culture.

Visit [www.VisitChesapeake.com/AAHT](http://www.VisitChesapeake.com/AAHT) for complete list of episodes.







## IN 2 HOURS

### DISMAL SWAMP CANAL TRAIL

If you like outdoor activities in a beautiful location that's steeped in history, this is for you. At 8.5 miles long, this multi-use trail along the historic **Dismal Swamp Canal** is a hot spot for cycling, walking, running, horseback riding, birding, and more. The popular **Black Bear Trail** is a mile-long favorite for hiking, biking and spotting wildlife of all kinds. The park is open dusk to dawn every day of the year.

**The north trail head is located near the intersection of Dominion Boulevard and Old Route 17.**



# MAKE A LIFETIME OF MEMORIES



## IN 4 HOURS

### NORTHWEST RIVER PARK AND CAMPGROUND

In this sprawling 763-acre park you can rent canoes, kayaks and paddle boats year-round, hike, bike, picnic and explore the glassy-calm **Lake Lesa**. This fully-stocked lake provides some of the best trout fishing in the region. And you can play a round of disk or miniature golf to finish out your day. So, get your piece of the great outdoors. The park is open 9am to sunset year round.

**1733 Indian River Creek Road**





**IN 2 HOURS**

## SHOPPING

If it's retail therapy you're seeking, shop at **3 Little Black Birds, refreshed**, the **Vintage Trixie** and the **October Moon**. Finish the day with a delicious meal at **Off the Hook Seafood & Chophouse**.



**IN 4 HOURS**

## SOUTH NORFOLK JORDAN BRIDGE, ELIZABETH RIVER PARK AND H.E. WILLIAMS CANDY COMPANY

There's nothing like taking the walking path on the scenic **South Norfolk Jordan Bridge**. Taller than the Brooklyn Bridge, this mecca for selfies connects Chesapeake with our sister city, Portsmouth, providing a spectacular view of Elizabeth River Park below. A round-trip hike is 2 miles and takes about one hour.

**Elizabeth River Park** offers excellent fishing, crabbing and a peaceful place for a leisurely stroll. Bring a picnic lunch and take advantage of one of our picnic shelters. And don't leave your four-legged kids at home. And if your sweet tooth starts to beckon, the 100-year-old **H.E. Williams Candy Company** is a short drive away.



**IN 2 HOURS**

## GREAT BRIDGE BATTLEFIELD AND WATERWAYS HISTORIC PARK AND MUSEUM

Rich in history and drama, this is home of the **Battle of Great Bridge**, where you can learn about the many ways in which it played a critical role in the Revolutionary War. Follow up your history lesson with a hike around the waterways — and just over the bridge you'll find **Chesapeake Municipal Center Tree Trail**, with a 1.1-mile loop dotted by directional markers. Museum opening in 2020.

**1775 Historic Way • 757-482-4480**



**IN 8 HOURS**

## THE GREAT DISMAL SWAMP NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Here, you'll find some of the purest water in the world in the calm, amber-colored **Lake Drummond**. Adorned with majestic Bald Cypress trees, kayakers come from far and near to explore this unique and historically important environment. While the waters are shallow, visitors can sometimes lose sight of the fastest route back to shore. That's why we recommend contacting **Adventure Kayak Tours** to guide you through the waters while educating you about the lake's fascinating history, flora and fauna.

**Ballahack Boat Ramp • 3825 Dismal Swamp Canal Trail**











# GREAT THINGS ARE IN STORE IN CHESAPEAKE.

With a wide spectrum of shops, services and eateries – Chesapeake is the perfect place to get your shopping on. You will find retro treasures, classics, vintage furniture and eclectic home décor in nearby boutiques. Or explore vintage, repurposed handcrafted and antique items to find the perfect gift or accessory for your home. From candles, mugs, crafts, and ceramics, to metal, glass goods and original art – Chesapeake is where shoppers go year after year.



## shopping

### 18th Century Merchant

3591 Forest Haven Lane • 757-483-6171

A distinctive selection of fine gifts, tableware, entertaining needs, and decorative accessories. Wedding registry available.

### 3 Little Black Birds

217 South Battlefield Boulevard • 757-410-9680

Specializing in one-of-a-kind vintage, repurposed, handcrafted, and antique items.

### Chesapeake Square

4200 Portsmouth Boulevard • 757-488-9636

Anchored by major department stores such as JCPenney, Burlington Coat Factory and Target and featuring a 3D/XD state-of-the-art Cinemark Movie Theater.

### Fran's Fantasies Antiques

2014 Bainbridge Boulevard • 757-545-0996

Offering art, glass, and furniture.

### Greenbrier Mall

1401 South Greenbrier Parkway • 757-424-7100

Department stores such as Dillard's, Macy's, and JCPenney, and specialty stores offering jewelry, home furnishings, and accessories, men's and ladies' apparel.

### H. E. Williams Candy Company

1230 Perry Street • 757-545-9311

Since 1919, this family-owned and operated candy company has been making seven kinds of sweets the old-fashioned way, with the same taffy pullers, rollers, presses and slicers used back in the 1900s.

### Harbor Jewelers

500 South Battlefield Boulevard, Suite 9  
757-436-6766

Carefully created selection of one-of-a-kind jewelry including a broad selection of American crafts, including wood, ceramics, metal, and glass.

### Hickory Trading Company

357 Johnstown Road • 757-606-0756

Unique gift and coffee shop featuring some of the area's finest and most talented artists and crafters.

### Jos. A. Bank

725 Eden Way North, Suite 718 • 757-549-1692

Beautifully made classically styled tailored and casual clothing at prices typically 20 - 30 percent below our competitors.

### Le Bébé Chic Boutique

237 Hanbury Road East, Suite 15 • 757-578-2408

Specializing in organic baby clothes and toys, hand-picked boutique selections, amber teething necklaces, glass bottles, organic pacifiers, and diapers.

### Markley's Refinishing and Antiques, Inc.

693 S George Washington Highway • 757-485-0149

Specializing in restoring grandmother's treasures. Antiques and collectibles, mostly furniture. Expert repairing, refinishing, and re-caning.

### October Moon

316 South Battlefield Boulevard • 757-729-2134

Antique and vintage items with new items sprinkled in.

### Past and Present Gifts and Home Decor

217 South Battlefield Boulevard • 757-636-6060

Wide selection of Cheerful Giver/Keeper of the Light Candles, Herbal Star candles and potpourri, along with DIY Paints, Primitives, Ceramics, chimes, wooden signs, Virginia Peanuts, American Paint Co. clay-chalk paint. Located inside 3 Little Black Birds.

### refreshed

237 South Battlefield Boulevard, Suite 9  
757-819-7895

Coastal inspired painted furniture and decor.

### Second Sale Consignments & Estate Liquidations

800 South Battlefield Boulevard • 757-802-2061

Vintage and antique real wood furniture and other décor at reasonable prices.

### The Red Chair Consignment Shop

501 F Kempsville Road • 757-410-8420

A wide variety of hard-to-find and one-of-a-kind items.

### Towne Place at Greenbrier

725 Eden Way North

Shopping and dining destination featuring a variety of restaurants and unique shopping.

### Vintage Trixie

112 Wayne Avenue • 757-410-4884

Purveyors of vintage and antique articles of curiosity.

### Vintage Vibe Home and Garden

232 North Centerville Turnpike • 757-469-8738

Vintage shop offering vintage, antique and retro home and garden furniture décor.

### White's Nursery and Garden Center

3133 Old Mill Road • 757-487-2300

Premier garden center offering unique gifts and an assortment of indoor and outdoor plants.

### Wild Birds Unlimited Nature Shop

1244 Greenbrier Parkway, Suite 570 • 757-436-4472

Certified Bird-feeding Specialists trained to show you how to turn your yard into a bird-feeding habitat.





# COME TASTE THE LOCAL FLAVOR.

In Chesapeake, farmers' markets and working farms are the heart and soul of our local flavor. We've got fresh, locally prepared foods and artisanal creations – from ice cream and coffee to baked goods and beer. No matter what you crave, we're serving it fresh in Chesapeake.

## **Bergey's Breadbasket Bakery & More**

A creamery and bakery, here you can get fresh ice cream, pies, fruits, veggies, flowers and much more. In the autumn, kids play in a massive corn maze, pick pumpkins and visit with farm animals.  
2207 Mount Pleasant Road • 757-546-9225

## **Brookdale Farms**

This small family farm does the planting and lets you do the picking. With crops of strawberries and pumpkins, you can also select from jarred berry products – and cut your pumpkin right off the vine.  
2133 Mount Pleasant Road • 757-721-0558

## **Greenbrier Farms**

Greenbrier Farms is a family business that's been making people happy for generations. A great destination for those who would like to visit a working nursery and farm, they have fun for all – in every season. From spring strawberry picking to fall pumpkins – to hay rides, and more!  
225 Sign Pine Road • 757-421-2141

## **H.E. Williams Candy Company**

A staple of the South Norfolk area of Chesapeake since 1919, this family-owned and operated candy company has been making seven kinds of sweets the old-fashioned way, with the same taffy pullers, rollers, presses and slicers used back in the 1900s.  
1230 Perry Street • 757-545-9311

## **Hickory Ridge Farm**

A family-owned farm that host seasonally-themed events from spring through fall. Features a petting zoo, corn maze and toddler corn maze, pumpkin picking, strawberry picking, fresh fruits and veggies in season, and tractor rides.  
2928 S. Battlefield Boulevard • 757-560-6763



## **Lilley Farms**

They've got strawberries in spring, pumpkins in the fall and lots of activities for kids, including a corn maze and pumpkin patch that you have to see to believe!  
2800 Tyre Neck Road • 757-435-2085

## **Mount Pleasant Farms**

In addition to peaches, this family-owned peach orchard produces fresh eggs and produce, nectarines, dairy, baked goods, fruits and berries, local honey, peanuts, pumpkins, Christmas trees, cider and more.  
2201 Mount Pleasant Road • 757-482-0739



For current information on upcoming Farmers' Markets visit [www.visitchesapeake.com/events](http://www.visitchesapeake.com/events).





## dining

### Abuelo's Mexican Restaurant

1712 Ring Road • 757-961-7610  
Authentic, made-from-scratch Mexican food.

### Alkalicious Cold Pressed Juice Bar

733 Eden Way, North #402 • 757-698-4430  
All organic, plant-based juice bar serving cold pressed juices, smoothies, smoothie bowls, wellness shots, alkaline water and detox/cleanse packages.

### Amazing Glazed

321 Johnstown Road • 757-410-1388  
Custom made-to-order donuts. Authentic house-made gelatos and custards.

### Amber Lantern Restaurant

5532 Bainbridge Point • 757-227-3057  
Fine dining on the Intracoastal Waterway that offers a terrific ambiance and a wide variety of spectacular, Mediterranean-style dishes.

### Andiamo Pizza Napoletana

500 South Battlefield Boulevard • 757-410-1810  
Neapolitan pizza serving Great Bridge.

### Bergey's Breadbasket Bakery & More

2207 Mount Pleasant Road • 757-546-9225  
On-the-farm bakery with homemade goodies that cannot be found elsewhere.

### Big Woody's Bar and Grill

123 North Battlefield Boulevard, Suite H  
757-436-1919  
4200 Portsmouth Boulevard, Suite 872  
757-966-2656

A variety of cuisines, a full bar with excellent drink specials, rockin' live entertainment, and the best wings in Hampton Roads.

### Black Pelican Seafood Company

Greenbrier • 1625 Ring Road • 757-424-3171  
Serving Mid-Atlantic Coastal Cuisine in a casual atmosphere.

### Branches Tasting Room

2125 Starmount Parkway, Suite 105 • 757-620-5393  
Extensive wine list, including a great menu with small bites, lunch, and dinner.

### Buckets Bar and Grill

228 North Battlefield Boulevard • 757-842-6767  
Sports bar offering off-track betting.

### Busky's Chill and Grill

237 Hanbury Road East, Suite 32 • 757-482-3864  
Family-style restaurant offering great service and entertainment.

### Carolina Cupcakery

1200 North Battlefield Boulevard, Suite 106  
757-351-1548  
Gourmet bakery specializing in scratch-baked cupcakes. Cupcake Wars alumni.

### Chicho's Pizza

1400 Kempsville Road, Suite 114 • 757-548-2442  
Full service restaurant and bar specializing in pizza. Perfect for families, sporting events, or any special occasion.

### City Deli

450 South Battlefield Boulevard • 757-482-5554  
Deli serving breakfast and lunch with an extensive sandwich, soup, and salad menu. All items are homemade.

### Court House Cafe

350 South Battlefield Boulevard • 757-482-7077  
Huge selection of specialty sandwiches, choice Prime Rib, and the freshest seafood.

### Cutlass Grille

805 North Battlefield Boulevard • 757-382-0015  
Family-owned restaurant with the best home-cooked Jamaican and Southern Barbeque.



**RESTAURANT  
WEEK  
CHESAPEAKE  
OCTOBER 16-23, 2020**

**Chesapeake Restaurant Week** is an opportunity for locals and visitors to celebrate Chesapeake's flourishing culinary scene. Eat your way through Chesapeake and experience a multi-course meal that will leave you feeling satisfied, all for a prix fixe price. Participating restaurants are serving up a variety of offerings from \$10 to \$50; all sure to tempt your appetite! Plan your October getaway and enjoy this culinary experience!



# WHERE TO EAT

One of the best food scenes on the East Coast, Chesapeake has a restaurant for every taste and budget. Waterfront dining, casual, romantic, and upscale – Chesapeake has what you crave.

### Daikichi Sushi Bistro

1400 North Battlefield Boulevard • 757-549-0200  
Authentic Japanese restaurant serving fresh sushi, sashimi and more.

### Ddeb's-A Taste of Home

105 Old Drive • 757-410-2214  
Serving lunch and dinner favorites such as beef stroganoff, chicken piccata and more.

### Eagles Nest Rockin' Country Bar

1723 Parkview Drive • 757-420-9191  
#1 rated rockin' country saloon in Chesapeake; three dance floors, live bands, djs, billiards, and Chesapeake's only mechanical bull.

### El Toro Loco Restaurante Mexicano and Cantina

146 South Battlefield Boulevard • 757-482-0623  
Good food at good prices in clean surroundings.

### Gather Café

2125 Starmount Parkway, Suite 109  
757-966-9360  
A nonprofit coffeehouse with a lunch and dinner menu. 100% of the profit goes back into the community. Gather for good!

### Geisha Japanese Steakhouse

741 Eden Way North, Suite 316 • 757-769-7271  
Experienced chefs with masterfully prepared authentic Japanese cuisine using only the freshest ingredients.

### Irwin's Fountain

4300 E. Indian River Road • 757-200-0220  
Locally-owned, full functioning soda fountain with burgers, fries, malted milkshakes, and banana splits. Daily specials.

### Island Jerk Hut

906 B Street • 757-494-1502  
Specializing in Authentic Jamaican Cuisine.

### Jade Garden Chinese Restaurant

1200 North Battlefield Boulevard, Suite 119  
757-436-1010  
Excellent, casual dining and take-out Chinese food. Reasonable prices! Daily lunch specials.

### Japan Samurai

4300 Portsmouth Boulevard • 757-405-0035  
Local Japanese steakhouse offering friendly service and an exquisite dining experience!

### Jasmine Thai Cuisine

1200 North Battlefield Boulevard, Suite 109  
757-410-4368  
Authentic take-out/dine-in Thai cuisine.

### Judy's Sichuan Cuisine

1434 Sams Drive, B112 • 757-410-5822  
Authentic Chinese cuisine located in the Greenbrier section of Chesapeake.

### Kapers Eatery

1296 South Battlefield Boulevard • 757-573-8544  
Specializing in Spanish influenced tapas with fresh homemade bread and cheesecakes – daily!

### Kelly's Tavern

1412 Greenbrier Parkway, Suite 101 • 757-721-0558  
Steaks, seafood and award-winning burgers.

### Kyoto Japanese Steak House

1412 Greenbrier Parkway, Suite 129 • 757-420-0950  
Food prepared to order by a Japanese chef at the grill/table. Sushi bar with weekly specials.

### Lockside Bar and Grill

200 North Battlefield Boulevard, Suite 13  
757-410-5999  
Great food. Great atmosphere! Come join us for breakfast, lunch, or dinner.

### Look Up Dessert Cafe

1032 Volvo Parkway, Suite 1 • 757-410-9244  
Dessert cafe specializing in cakes, macarons, frozen yogurt, smoothies, coffees, and snow cream.

### Luminous Restaurant and Bar

725 Woodlake Drive • 757-523-1500  
American fare with a local twist. Located inside Delta Hotel.

### McGrath's Burger Shack

800 South Battlefield Boulevard, #112 • 757-389-7476  
Irish American fusion burger bar featuring beer and whiskey from Ireland and America.

### Mikado Japanese and Thai Restaurant

1249 Cedar Road, Suite 103 • 757-842-6488  
Authentic Japanese, Thai dishes and sushi bar, from traditional dishes to new style entrées.

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## dining con't.

### Mister Jim's Submarines

346 South Battlefield Boulevard • 757-482-1333

Local favorite specializing in sub sandwiches, pizza, wings, and breakfast.

### Mod Pizza

1329 North Battlefield Boulevard, Suite 110

757-366-2354

Serving up personal-size artisan-style customized pizzas and salads.

### Off The Hook Seafood and Chophouse

500 South Battlefield Boulevard, Suite 21 - 22

757-421-3313

Specializing in locally caught seafood and locally grown produce. On-site seafood market.

### Passion The Restaurant

1036 Volvo Parkway, Suite 3 • 757-410-3975

Featuring creative, innovative cuisine from local farmers and fisherman and a selection of affordable wines.

### Pirate's Cove Restaurant

109 Gainsborough Square, J/K • 757-549-7272

A locals' favorite for fresh seafood, steaks, yummy sandwiches, salads and homemade soups.

### Pizza Bella Vista by Signorelli

937 North Battlefield Boulevard • 757-478-7783

Authentic Neapolitan pizza restaurant following strict Vera pizza Napolitana guidelines.

### Pop's Diner Co.

1432 Greenbrier Parkway • 757-502-8220

Diner offering a real home cooking experience in a clean and family-friendly atmosphere.

### Racha Thai Cuisine

805 North Battlefield Boulevard, Suite 117

757-549-9989

Thai restaurant that features tasty Thai cuisine, open lunch and dinner.

### Raso IV Authentic Indian Cuisine

1437 Sams Circle Drive • 757-410-1183

Authentic Indian cuisine.

### Recovery Sports Grill

1672 Sentinel Drive • 757-822-6920

40+ high-def televisions, 70+ menu items and a focus on local craft beers and cocktails... not your average sports grill.

### Redbones Raw Bar

445 North Battlefield Boulevard • 757-436-4200

Amazing food, tasty drinks and great staff. Specials every day. Local entertainment.

### Reginella's Trattoria & Pizzeria

109 Volvo Parkway • 757-410-4979

Casual, comfortable, Italian restaurant that specializes in traditional Napoletano cuisine, delicious brick oven pizza, and the best gelato from this side of the Atlantic.

### Skrimp Shack - Chesapeake

1249 Cedar Road #104 • 757-410-4602

Serving all types of seafood including the fattest fish sandwich around.

### Spaghetti Eddie's Pizza Cafe

3325 Taylor Road • 757-484-7301

Offers pizza, pasta, appetizers, and so much more. Enjoy one of our specialty pizzas or make one of your own!

### Sunrise Pizzeria

1370 South Military Highway • 757-420-1101

Serving pizza, pasta, salads, and even full dinners.

### Szechuan Inn

3916 B-1 Portsmouth Boulevard • 757-488-4421

Chinese restaurant offering family-friendly service and great food. Buffet daily.

### Tap It Local Chesapeake

648 Grassfield Parkway, Suite 12 • 757-698-4025

We can think of nothing better than offering fantastic, local craft beers and award-winning food for you and your friends.

### Tap It Local Western Branch

3916 Portsmouth Boulevard • 757-337-0068

We can think of nothing better than offering fantastic, local craft beers and award-winning food for you and your friends.

### Taste

717 North Eden Way, Suite 600 • 757-424-4583

Locals' choice offering the best of gourmet foods. Stop in for lunch, wine, cheese, gelato, or prepared goods to go.

### The BBQ Shack

849 Old George Washington Highway, North • 757-485-5403

Family-owned business cooking up some of the best smoked meat on the East Coast! Our specialties are BBQ, brisket, and turkey.

### The Butcher's Son Chop House

500 South Battlefield Boulevard • 757-410-5466

Our take on the classic American steak and fish house. Our beef, pork and poultry are antibiotic- and hormone-free.

### The Creek Grill at Lawrence Pharmacy

1156 North George Washington Highway

757-487-3458

The Creek Grill is a great meeting place for a quick bite to eat or an award-winning banana split.

### The Cutting Edge Cafe

1434 Sams Drive, Unit 102 • 757-389-5754

Locally owned and operated offering food sourced from local farms and markets whenever possible.

### The Egg Bistro

501 Kempsville Road • 757-410-8515

Independently owned neighborhood bistro that provides fresh, innovative food in a hip, family environment.

### The Gourmet Gang

109 Volvo Parkway • 757-361-0482

Offering deli sandwiches, salads, pastas, and more!

### The Simple Greek

1600 Crossways Boulevard, Suite E

757-390-2887

Build your own fast casual Greek restaurant where all recipes are made with authentic Greek ingredients.

### Tinto Wine and Cheese Chesapeake

236 Carmichael Way, Suite 308 • 757-204-4647

Relax after work with a glass of wine, gather with friends for a private wine; charcuterie tasting, or have some fun with one of our events.

### TranquiTea

1400 Kempsville Road, Suite 124 • 757-331-7213

Gluten-free bakery offering brunch daily.

### Vino Italian Bistro

138 South Battlefield Boulevard

757-277-9681

Mediterranean inspired casual neighborhood bistro.

### Warriors Grill

1437 Sams Circle • 757-382-7007

Family-owned and operated Mongolian BBQ Buffet.

### Wickers Crab Pot Seafood

4201 Indian River Road • 757-351-2724

Family-owned restaurant offering the freshest crabs and seafood in the area! Entertainment nightly.

### Windy City Pizza

480 Kempsville Road • 757-410-5550

Offering authentic Chicago pizza, sandwiches, and salads.

### Winston's Cafe

1412 Greenbrier Parkway, Suite 133 • 757-420-1751

Serving delicious, fresh meals in a fun and welcoming environment for over 20 years.

### Zino's Italian American Restaurant

850 Old George Washington Highway

757-485-1468

Family-style Italian restaurant specializing in fresh homemade pizza and BBQ.

## tasting rooms

Sample wines, champagnes, and even sangrias at **Branches**

**Tasting Room**, where you can savor glasses of reds, whites, and bubbles from around the world, as well as locally sourced drinks.

This family-owned business will help you select bottles for an elegant affair or a simple dinner at home. Visit their website to check out events like Wine and Worship, painting classes, and even raffles.

Offering 100 bottles of wine by the glass, **Tinto Wine and Cheese** will also impress you with their flawlessly curated selection of ever-changing cheeses and tapas, sure to pair beautifully with whatever's in your cup. Inspired primarily by wines from Southern Europe, guests can also delight their taste buds with regional options from family-owned wineries. Planning to return to the area? Join the wine club for deals and discounts.



### » Big Ugly Brewing Company

845 South Battlefield Boulevard • 757-609-2739

Offering as many as 10 "Big, Bold, Beers" including a number of popular sour beers and barrel-aging beer.

### » The Garage Brewery

1011 Eden Way North, Suite M • 757-389-5353

7 barrel microbrewery located in the heart of Greenbrier.





# SIGNATURE EVENTS

## FOOD TRUCK SERIES • April – October 2020

Locals are crazy about Food Trucks! At multiple events, you'll have access to an incredible variety of food, live entertainment, children's activities and more. Go to [VisitChesapeake.com](http://VisitChesapeake.com) for the specific location and time information.

## DISMAL SWAMP STOMP RUNNING FESTIVAL April 4, 2020

Runners get a chance to trek through what is surely one of the nation's most unique half marathons, 5K, and the Children's Half-Mile Cub Run. Participants run on a route along the canal trail that winds through the Great Dismal Swamp National Wildlife Refuge. Go to [dismalswampstomp.mettleevents.com](http://dismalswampstomp.mettleevents.com) for more information.

## PADDLE FOR THE BORDER • May 2, 2020

Hundreds of kayakers and canoeists from across the East Coast launch their vessels into the Dismal Swamp Canal's cool, calm waters. The historic waterway serves as the backdrop for the annual 7.5-mile paddling excursion to the Virginia/North Carolina border. Go to [VisitChesapeake.com](http://VisitChesapeake.com) for more information.

## CHESAPEAKE JUBILEE • May 14 – 17, 2020

This event is more than a carnival, it's a family tradition. The Jubilee is renowned for the annual Shrimp Feast. With the famous Zambelli Fireworks, live music, rides and games, this is sure to be a memorable occasion. Go to [ChesapeakeJubilee.org](http://ChesapeakeJubilee.org) for more information.

## KAYAXPEDITION • June 13 – 14, 2020

The Annual KayaXpedition is a kayaking, canoeing, and stand-up paddle-boarding festival. Perfect for paddlers and families who want to have an adventure together. Reservations are required for most events. Go to [KayaXpedition.com](http://KayaXpedition.com) for event information and registration.

## CELEBRATE FREEDOM • July 3, 2020

Celebrate America's Birthday with the U.S. Fleet Forces Band, providing stirring patriotic sounds. Following the concert, fireworks will illuminate the sky after sunset. Event includes 3-years-and-under play area, giant lawn games, inflatables, and more. A variety of Food Truck concessions will be available. Go to [VisitChesapeake.com](http://VisitChesapeake.com) for more information.

## ANNUAL SOUTH NORFOLK PARADE AND PICNIC IN THE PARK • July 4, 2020

This annual event features a parade through Historic South Norfolk beginning at 10:00 AM. Be sure to arrive early as streets will close at 9:00 AM. The parade features 100 units, a Color Guard, Military Band, and lots of colorful characters to keep things fun. The Parade Patriots will flood into Lakeside Park to enjoy the party in the park. Go to [VisitChesapeake.com](http://VisitChesapeake.com) for more information.

## SYMPHONY UNDER THE STARS AT CHESAPEAKE CITY PARK

September 6, 2020

Enjoy classic, pop and jazz music live from the Virginia Symphony Orchestra on the Bagley Stage. A variety of food trucks will be available for an evening picnic.

Chesapeake Arts Alive! Features a "Wine for the Arts" tent with wine tasting and raffle to benefit the arts in Chesapeake. Bring your own chairs or blanket. Free admission and free on-site parking. Go to [VisitChesapeake.com](http://VisitChesapeake.com) for more information.



## CHESAPEAKE VIRGINIA WINE FESTIVAL October 10, 2020

Enjoy unlimited tastings from more than 20 premier Virginia Wineries, live entertainment, food vendors and artisans presenting their wine apparel, wine accessories, and more! There's something for everyone at the Chesapeake Virginia Wine Festival. For more information, go to [cheswine.com](http://cheswine.com).

## BATTLE OF GREAT BRIDGE • December 5 – 6, 2020

Step back in time to one of the most significant Revolutionary War battles. This re-enactment is a two-day festival that features character portrayals, camp life, artisans demonstrating early American trades and children's crafts and activities. For more information go to [gbbattlefield.org](http://gbbattlefield.org).

For a complete list of events and activities, go to:  
[VisitChesapeake.com/events](http://VisitChesapeake.com/events)



SPRING

A sure sign that spring is here is the arrival of the **Chesapeake Jubilee**! A celebration of the City's incorporation, the Jubilee is a fair experience featuring tons of rides and games, fireworks, music and entertainment, arts and crafts, a **Shrimp Feast**, and, of course, plenty of food vendors.

It's no wonder strawberries are one of the most popular berries in the world. They are delicious, low calorie, and the perfect edition to salads, desserts, or on their own as a quick snack. It's strawberry season in Coastal Virginia, and Chesapeake is the perfect place to pick your own strawberries. Fresh off the vine, berries from our local farmers are sure to delight. **Hickory Ridge Farms JAMboree** is a weekend festival that includes you pick strawberries, hayrides, farm animals, live music, and local vendors and artisans.



Spring is the perfect time of year to capture a photo at Chesapeake's **LOVEworks** sign. Created as part of a state and local partnership, the artwork is an extension of the Virginia is for Lovers brand, and the Chesapeake LOVEworks is one of more than 100 giant LOVE letters, called LOVEworks, in towns and cities across the Commonwealth. Chesapeake's themed letters center on the natural beauty and great outdoors in Chesapeake.



# CHESAPEAKE

FALL



You will fall in love with Chesapeake, one of our most favorite seasons of the year! You will delight in visiting **Bergey's Breadbasket**. Bergey's is known for blending good food, fellowship and fun on the farm, and each fall they offer a host of fall activities including their corn maze, hayrides, pumpkin patch and more.



## The **Oyster & South Festival**

is an annual celebration of oysters and seafood that brings family, friends, and the community together to celebrate the local coastal heritage and lifestyle. With live entertainment this is a must attend event.

Fall is the perfect time to explore the waterways of the **Dismal Swamp Canal** or **Northwest River Natural Area Preserve**. Deciduous trees fire up the shore line in late October/early November, and there is no better place to view fall foliage than on Chesapeake's waters.







Nothing says summer in Chesapeake like running through the fragrant rows of peach trees, finding that perfect peach ripe for picking.

### **Mount Pleasant**

**Farms** is a family-owned peach orchard with more than 1,900 peach trees. The farm also offers Virginia peanuts, candy, ciders and fresh eggs in their country store. And their **Peach Festival** is a local's favorite!

Let freedom ring in July by checking out the **Celebrate Freedom Concert and Fireworks** on July 3rd. Guests can delight in food, fun, and tons of children's activities. Afterwards, listen to music from the **U.S. Fleet Forces Band** before settling in on the lawn for an impressive fireworks display. The celebration continues on July 4th with

the annual **South Norfolk Parade & Picnic in the Park**. This free event at **Lakeside Park** includes live entertainment, paddleboat rides, and delicious snacks.

The **Tap! Tap! Beer Festival** is held every August on the grounds of **Greenbrier Farms**. Sample more than 50 beers while listening to great music and enjoying a beautiful day on the farm!



SUMMER

## BY SEASON

For over three decades, the **Chesapeake Christmas Parade** has filled the streets with dancers, floats, magic, and tons of holiday cheer. Line up along the route through the heart of Chesapeake to catch a glimpse of elves, reindeer, and Santa himself.

A hallmark of winter in Chesapeake is the free **Holiday Brass Concert** from the **Virginia Symphony Orchestra**.



WINTER



You can find more information on these, and other, seasonal activities at [VisitChesapeake.com](http://VisitChesapeake.com).



Held at the **Chesapeake Conference Center**, you will catch the holiday spirit with this performance from the brass section of the symphony featuring seasonal classics in styles ranging from traditional to contemporary.



# COME IN. STAY A WHILE.

Our central location makes it fun and easy to explore all that Coastal Virginia has to offer. We're just 40 minutes from Williamsburg and 30 minutes to the beaches and downtown Norfolk. And with over 4,000 rooms, spread across nearly 50 hotels, we have accommodations to suit every need and budget. From family reunions and wedding guests to military reunions and romantic retreats, in Chesapeake, you'll always feel at home.



GREENBRIER	Rooms	B	R	Pool	Pets	FC
<b>Aloft Chesapeake/Greenbrier</b> 1454 Crossways Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 410-9562 • aloftchesapeake.com	136	No	Yes	Indoor	Yes	Yes
<b>Comfort Suites Chesapeake</b> 1550 Crossways Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 420-1600 • (800) 4CHOICE • choicehotels.com/hotel/122	124	Yes	No	Outdoor	No	Yes
<b>Courtyard by Marriott Chesapeake</b> 1562 Crossways Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 420-1700 • (866) 876-5255 marriott.com/hotels/travel/orfcy-courtyard-chesapeake-greenbrier	90	No	Yes	Indoor	No	Yes
<b>Delta Hotels by Marriott Chesapeake</b> 725 Woodlake Drive, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 523-1500 • deltachesapeake.com	228	No	Yes	Indoor	Yes	Yes
<b>Extended Stay America - Crossways</b> 1540 Crossways Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 424-8600 • (800) EXTSTAY • extendedstayamerica.com	132	No	No		Yes	No
<b>Extended Stay America-Greenbrier Circle</b> 809 Greenbrier Circle, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 523-7377 • extendedstayamerica.com	92	No	No		Yes	Yes
<b>Fairfield Inn and Suites by Marriott Chesapeake Greenbrier</b> 1560 Crossways Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 420-1300 • (800) 228-2800 • fairfieldinn.com/orffc	105	Yes	No	Outdoor	No	Yes
<b>Hampton Inn &amp; Suites Battlefield</b> 1421 North Battlefield Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 819-5230 • (800) HAMPTON • chesapeakebattlefieldblvdsuites.hamptoninn.com	104	Yes	No	Indoor	Yes	Yes
<b>Hampton Inn Norfolk/Chesapeake</b> 701-A Woodlake Drive, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 420-1550 • (800) HAMPTON • norfolkchesapeake.hamptoninn.com	118	Yes	No	Outdoor	Yes	Yes
<b>Hilton Garden Inn Chesapeake/Greenbrier</b> 1565 Crossways Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 420-1212 • (877) STAY-HGI • chesapeakegreenbrier.gardeninn.com	92	No	Yes	Indoor	No	Yes
<b>Holiday Inn Express Chesapeake/Norfolk</b> 721 Conference Center Drive, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 698-4400 • (800) 465-4329 holidayinnexpresschesapeake.com	101	Yes	No	Outdoor	No	Yes
<b>Homewood Suites by Hilton Chesapeake/Greenbrier</b> 1569 Crossways Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 213-0808 • (800) CALL-HOME • chesapeakegreenbrier.homewoodsuites.com	100	Yes	No	Outdoor	No	Yes
<b>Hyatt Place Chesapeake/Greenbrier</b> 709 Eden Way North, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 312-0020 • (888) HYATTHP • hyattplacechesapeake.com	119	Yes	Yes	Indoor	Yes	Yes
<b>InTown Suites Chesapeake I-64</b> 1520 Crossways Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 213-0222 intownsuites.com/extended-stay-locations/virginia/chesapeake/sun-suites-chesapeake-i-64	135	No	No		No	No
<b>InTown Suites Chesapeake/Battlefield Extended Stay</b> 1409 Tintern Street, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 847-9298 • intownsuites.com	125	No	No		No	Yes
<b>InTown Suites Chesapeake/Greenbrier Extended Stay</b> 2150 Old Greenbrier Road, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 523-1448 • intownsuites.com		No	No		No	No
<b>Quality Inn</b> 100 Red Cedar Court, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 547-8880 • qualityinn.com/hotel-chesapeake-virginia-679?listpos=1	60	Yes	No		Yes	Yes
<b>Red Roof Inn</b> 724 Woodlake Drive, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 523-0123 • (800) 843-7663 • redroof.com	108	No	No		Yes	No
<b>Residence Inn by Marriott Chesapeake</b> 1500 Crossways Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 502-7300 • (800) 331-3131 • marriott.com/orfgb	121	Yes	No	Indoor	Yes	Yes

LEGEND: Rooms - Number of Rooms, B - Free Breakfast, R - Restaurant, FC - Fitness Center



<b>GREENBRIER</b> <i>(cont'd)</i>	Rooms	B	R	Pool	Pets	FC
<b>SpringHill Suites by Marriott Greenbrier</b> 1446 Crossways Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 410-9406 • (888) 287-9400 • marriott.com/orfnc	132	Yes	No	Indoor	No	Yes
<b>Staybridge Suites Chesapeake</b> 709 Woodlake Drive, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 420-2525 • (877) 238-8889 • staybridgechesapeake.com	115	Yes	No	Indoor	Yes	Yes
<b>Studios &amp; Suites 4 Less Battlefield</b> 1433 North Battlefield Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 547-9262 • studiosandsuites4less.com	91	No	No		No	No
<b>Studios &amp; Suites 4 Less Old Greenbrier Road</b> 2000 Old Greenbrier Road, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 523-5004 • studiosandsuites4less.com	119	No	No		Yes	Yes
<b>Wingate by Wyndham</b> 817 Greenbrier Circle, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 531-7777 • (800) 337-0077 • wingatehotels.com	100	Yes	No	Indoor	No	Yes
<b>WoodSpring Suites Chesapeake - Norfolk Greenbrier</b> 1708 Sentinel Drive, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 963-5009 woodspring.com/extended-stay-hotels/locations/virginia/chesapeake-norfolk/woodspring-suites-chesapeake-norfolk-greenbrier/#itineraryrow	124	No	No		No	No
<b>WoodSpring Suites Chesapeake - Norfolk South</b> 137 Kempsville Road, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 410-0006 woodspring.com/extended-stay-hotels/locations/virginia/chesapeake-norfolk/woodspring-suites-chesapeake-norfolk-south/#itineraryrow	121	No	No		No	No
<b>MILITARY HIGHWAY</b>	Rooms	B	R	Pool	Pets	FC
<b>Bowers Hill Inn</b> 4725 West Military Highway, Chesapeake, 23321 • (757) 488-4963	52	No	No		No	No
<b>Budget Lodge</b> 3009 South Military Highway, Chesapeake, 23323 • (757) 487-8888	67	No	No		No	No
<b>Colonial Motel</b> 877 George Washington Highway, Chesapeake, 23323 • (757) 485-2800	25	No	No		No	No
<b>Comfort Inn &amp; Suites</b> 3355 South Military Highway, Chesapeake, 23323 • (757) 673-8585 • choicehotels.com/comfort-inn	72	Yes	No	Indoor	Yes	Yes
<b>Days Inn Chesapeake/Portsmouth</b> 1439 George Washington Highway North, Chesapeake, 23323 • (757) 487-8861 • daysinn.com	53	Yes	No		No	No
<b>Econo Lodge</b> 2222 South Military Highway, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 543-2200 • (800) 4CHOICE • choicehotels.com	55	Yes	No		No	No
<b>Sunset Manor Motel</b> 3345 Military Highway South, Chesapeake, 23320 • (757) 487-2564	60	No	No		Yes	No
<b>Village Motel</b> 3265 South Military Highway, Chesapeake, 23323 • (757) 487-2516	72	No	No		No	No
<b>WESTERN BRANCH</b>	Rooms	B	R	Pool	Pets	FC
<b>Budget Lodge Churchland</b> 3244 Western Branch Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23321 • (757) 484-6143 • budgetlodgevirginia.com	48	No	No		Yes	No
<b>Candlewood Suites Chesapeake</b> 4809 Market Place, Chesapeake, 23321 • (757) 405-3030 • (888) 226-3539 • candlewoodsuites.com	102	No	No		Yes	Yes
<b>Extended Stay America - Churchland</b> 3214 Churchland Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23321 • (757) 483-9200 • extendedstayamerica.com	91	No	No		Yes	No
<b>Fairfield Inn &amp; Suites Chesapeake Suffolk</b> 2122 Joliff Road, Chesapeake, 23321 • (757) 966-2727 • marriott.com/hotels/travel/orfsu-fairfield-inn-and-suites-chesapeake-suffolk/	82	Yes	No	Indoor	No	Yes
<b>Hampton Inn &amp; Suites - Chesapeake Square</b> 4449 Peek Trail, Chesapeake, 23321 • (757) 465-7000 • (800) HAMPTON • chesapeakequasquaremallsuites.hamptoninn.com	86	Yes	No	Indoor	No	Yes
<b>Holiday Inn Express Hotel &amp; Suites</b> 2436 Gum Road, Chesapeake, 23321 • (757) 465-2222 • (800) 465-4329 • hiexpress.com/hotels/us/en/chesapeake/orfpb/hoteldetail	90	Yes	No	Indoor	No	Yes
<b>Sleep Inn &amp; Suites</b> 3280 Western Branch Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23321 • (757) 638-5000 • choicehotels.com	83	Yes	No	Indoor	No	Yes
<b>Studios &amp; Suites 4 Less</b> 3235 Western Branch Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23321 • (757) 484-5800 • studiosandsuites4less.com	90	No	No		No	No
<b>Studios &amp; Suites 4 Less Gum Road</b> 2424 Gum Road, Chesapeake, 23321 • (757) 405-3100 • studiosandsuites4less.com/	96	No	No		No	No
<b>Super 8 Chesapeake</b> 3216 Churchland Boulevard, Chesapeake, 23321 • (757) 686-8888 • (800) 800-8000 • super8.com	58	Yes	No		No	No



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Hampton is known for:

- Casemate Museum
- Fort Monroe
- Hampton Carousel
- Hampton Coliseum
- Hampton History Museum
- Hampton Roads Convention Center
- Miss Hampton II
- Peninsula Town Center
- Virginia Air & Space Center

VisitHampton.com  
800-800-2202



## NORFOLK

15 minutes from Chesapeake,  
Norfolk is known for:

- American Rover tall ship
- Battleship Wisconsin
- Chrysler Museum of Art
- MacArthur Memorial
- Nauticus
- Naval Station Norfolk Tour
- Norfolk Botanical Garden
- Norfolk Scope
- Waterside District

VisitNorfolk.com  
800-368-3097



## SMITHFIELD

15 minutes from Chesapeake,  
Smithfield is known for:

- Being the "Ham Capital of the World"
- Fort Boykin
- Historic Downtown
- Isle of Wight County Museum
- Fort Huger
- Saint Luke's Historic Church
- The Old Courthouse of 1750
- The Schoolhouse Museum
- Windsor Castle Park

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## VIRGINIA BEACH

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Virginia Beach is known for:

- Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge
- Cape Henry Lighthouse
- First Landing & False Cape State Park
- Mt. Trashmore
- Ocean Breeze Water Park
- Virginia Aquarium
- Virginia Beach Boardwalk
- Virginia Museum of Contemporary Art

VisitVirginiaBeach.com  
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## SUFFOLK

20 minutes from Chesapeake,  
Suffolk is known for:

- Riddick's Folly House Museum
- Seaboard Station Railroad Museum
- Southern Gun Works & Museum
- Suffolk Center for Cultural Arts

VisitSuffolkVa.com  
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Portsmouth is known for:

- Arts and antique galleries
- Children's Museum of Virginia
- Portsmouth Pavilion
- Olde Towne Historic District
- Willett Hall
- Portsmouth Lightship Museum
- Portsmouth Naval Shipyard Museum

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757-393-5111



## WILLIAMSBURG

45 minutes from Chesapeake,  
Williamsburg is known for:

- Busch Gardens Williamsburg
- College of William & Mary
- Colonial Williamsburg
- Go Karts Plus
- The Historic Triangle (with Jamestown and Yorktown)
- Ripley's Believe It or Not!
- Water Country USA
- Williamsburg Winery

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## NEWPORT NEWS

45 minutes from Chesapeake,  
Newport News is known for:

- Peninsula Fine Arts Center
- Mariners' Museum
- Virginia Living Museum
- Ferguson Center for the Arts

Newport-news.org  
888-493-7386

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