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Playing the National Anthem as well as other patriotic music at the **Opening Ceremony on Saturday, May 24 at 10:00 a.m.** at the Chesapeake Beach Veterans' Memorial Park is **The United States Naval Academy Band's Brass Quintet.**

The United States Naval Academy Band, "The Navy's Oldest and Finest," has been providing music for the Brigade of Midshipmen and surrounding community since 1852. Located at the Naval Academy in Annapolis, Maryland, this premier military band offers fifteen world-class ensembles which perform a variety of musical styles, ranging from classical to contemporary.

#### Key Note Speaker: Yumi Hogan - First Lady, State of Maryland

Maryland's First Lady Yumi Hogan is the first Korean American first lady in the United States. Mrs. Hogan is a first-generation Korean American, an accomplished artist and an adjunct professor at Maryland Institute College of Art.

Mrs. Hogan grew up on a farm in the South Korean countryside and immigrated to the United States more than 20 years ago. Her artwork, created on traditional Hanji paper with traditional Sumi ink, has been featured in art shows and museums around Maryland, Virginia, the District of Columbia and Seoul, South Korea. In 2010, she won the Caruso Award at the International Juried Exhibition Circle Gallery in Annapolis.



Educational and fun activities are planned for the Chesapeake Beach Stars and Stripes Festival!



As First Lady of the State of Maryland, Mrs. Hogan plans to support the arts community and advocate for arts programs in schools across the State, and host exhibitions for Maryland artists at Government House. In addition, she plans to become involved with organizations aimed at supporting single mothers, children and victims of domestic violence.

#### Guest Speaker: Colonel William E. Weber Retired and Chairman of the Korean War Veterans Memorial Foundation.

Col Weber enlisted in the Army in Feb. 1943 at age 17. After nine months of ASTPR and then Infantry basic and advanced training, he volunteered and became a paratrooper. Selected for OCS and commissioned a 2nd Lt. of Infantry and following Jumpmaster and Demolition Courses, was assigned to the 11th Airborne Division in the Pacific and served therein at war's end and in the occupation of Japan. In August 1950, he deployed to Korea with the 187th Airborne RCT. In Feb. 1951, he suffered his third wound losing an arm and leg, while commanding 'K' Company, 187th ARCT and was evacuated stateside. Following hospitalization, he returned to duty and retired in 1980 after 37 years, 7 months service.

His decorations are Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star, Legion of Merit w/palm, Purple Heart w/two

palms, Bronze Star for Valor, Army Commendation Medal w/palm, Combat Infantry Badge, Master Parachute Badge, Glider Badge, Pathfinder Badge and numerous campaign and service medals. As well he has numerous civilian awards.

In 1987, President Reagan appointed Col. Weber as a member of the Korean War Veterans Memorial Advisory Board. He is now Chairman of the Korean War Veterans Memorial Foundation and is working to have HR-1475 enacted, which would enable adding a Wall of Remembrance to the Korean War Veterans Memorial naming those Killed in Action during the Korean War.

**The Festival's mission,** "We will strive to educate our youth and our community on the true meaning of Memorial Day," brings opportunities to participate in both fun and educational activities and events for all ages.

**On Saturday, May 23** activities include a **mini Rolling Thunder** by our local Nam Knights and a **1:00 p.m. presentation and informal chat** with Korean War Veterans, Mr. Robert Mount and Col. William Weber at the Chesapeake Beach Town Hall.

**Sunday, May 24** is our **All American Family Fun Day** where you can bring the whole family to participate in both educational and fun activities and games, chat with our non-profit organi-

zation representatives, have a free picnic lunch sponsored by Stallings Williams American Legion Post 206, meet the Superheroes of Southern Maryland and top off the day with 50s music from the Fabulous Hubcaps.

#### The Fabulous Hubcaps on stage at Kellam's Field from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Performing together since 1974, this seven-piece band shows no signs of slowing down. The Fabulous Hubcaps continue to captivate audiences with their high energy tributes to original artists like Little Richard, James Brown, Tina Turner, Bobby Darin, Cher, The Flamingos, Ray Charles, The Beach Boys, Willie Nelson & Patsy Cline, Elton John and Frank Sinatra just to name a few. With an extensive repertoire of Do-Wop group harmony, Classic Rock and Roll, Rock-A-Billy, Motown, and R & B music, The Fabulous Hubcaps are heralded as one of the best nostalgic show bands in the country. The Fabulous Hubcaps look forward to having you share a magical afternoon of entertainment with them as they continue to prove that "Rock and Roll is Alive and Well!"

**A patriotic decorating contest** will take place prior to the weekend activities with winners announced on **Sunday, May 24** at the All American Family Fun Day.

**On Monday, May 25**, the American Legion Post 206 will honor our fallen heroes during their annual **Memorial Day Ceremony** at Veterans' Memorial Park. Join us on Monday at 3:00 p.m., as we honor the fallen heroes of the Korean War and all wars by participating in the **National Moment of Silence**. This is an act of unity where all Americans can come together and honor those who gave the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom and another way to help bring back the true meaning of this most honorable and noble holiday.

For additional information or questions, contact Connie O'Dell at codell@chesapeake-beach.md.us, Stephanie Zanelotti at saszbcssf@comcast.net or call Chesapeake Beach Town Hall at 410-257-2230. ■

# Stars and Stripes Festival

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### SATURDAY, MAY 23

- 10 a.m. **Opening Ceremony** at Veterans' Memorial Park; Guest Speaker, Colonel William E. Weber, Ret., Chairman of the Korean War Veterans Memorial Fund; Key Note Speaker, Yumi Hogan - First Lady, State of Maryland; Music Performed by United States Naval Academy Brass Quintet
- 11:45 a.m. **National Anthem - First Pitch** Stars and Stripes Recreational Baseball Tournament; Kellam's Field
- 1 p.m. **Presentation and Informal Chat** with Korean War Veterans, Mr. Robert Mount and Col. William Weber, USA, Ret.; Chesapeake Beach Town Hall
- 2 p.m. - 3 p.m. **Mini Rolling Thunder** Hosted by Old Line Chapter Nam Knights (Time Approximate); Boyd's Turn to 5th St. to MD Route 261. Come on out along the route to show your support!

### SUNDAY, MAY 24

- Kellam's Field, Chesapeake Beach
- 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. **Non-Profit Fair** Featuring Organizations Assisting Families of Fallen Heroes.
- Military, Fire and Rescue Displays** Activities Tent Sponsored by Chesapeake Beach Railway Museum and Bayside History Museum.
- Family Activities** for all Ages Including Carnival Games with Prizes, Snow Cones, Popcorn, Giant Slide, Moon Bounce and Miniature Golf.
- 12 p.m. - **All American Family Picnic** Sponsored by American Legion Stallings-Williams Post 206.
- 12:30 p.m. **Local Talent** Including Super Heroes of Southern Maryland. Decorating Contest Winners Announced.
- 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. **The Fabulous Hubcaps** Sponsored by Chesapeake Beach Resort & Spa

### MONDAY, MAY 25

- 10 a.m. **Closing Ceremony** at Veterans' Memorial Park. Presented by the American Legion Post 206.
- 3 p.m. **National Moment of Remembrance**- All Americans are asked to voluntarily and informally observe in their own way, a moment of remembrance and respect, pausing for a moment of silence or listening to Taps.

### ALL WEEKEND EVENTS

- Chesapeake Beach Water Park & Bayfront Park**- Free Admission to all active duty military personnel and veterans as well as their immediate family members.
- North Beach Waterfront**- Free Admission to all active duty military and veterans as well as their immediate family members. *All must provide proper identification.*

All events are free and subject to change or cancellation. Donations are greatly appreciated. Please make all checks payable to: Town of Chesapeake Beach and write Stars and Stripes Festival on the memo line. Mail to P.O. Box 400, Chesapeake Beach, MD 20732 or just simply drop off at Town Hall. Donations will also be accepted at the Kellam's Field gate on Sunday, May 24, 2014. Thank you!

## Decorating Contest

### PAINT THE COMMUNITY RED, WHITE & BLUE

*Let's Make Our Military Families and Friends Feel Welcome*

**Contest is open to Chesapeake and North Beach Businesses, Homes and Boats!**

**"Community Developments" are Encouraged to Decorate their Entrances!**

Judging will take place on Thursday morning, May 21.

Winners will be announced and prizes will be awarded at Kellam's Field on Sunday, May 24 at 12:30 p.m.





The "Miss Lizzy" is ready for moonlight summer cruises this summer. Reserve your spot onboard today!

## Moonlight Cruises Are Back!

Story by Connie O'Dell

**The Town of Chesapeake Beach invites you to spend a summer evening cruising aboard "Miss Lizzy."**

"Miss Lizzy" is the new head boat in Fishing Creek, docked at Rod 'N' Reel Marina. Captain Shawn Gibson brought "Miss Lizzy" to Chesapeake Beach last summer and is looking forward to a spectacular 2015 fishing and cruising season. Captain Shawn is a third generation charter captain from Chesapeake Beach. He worked aboard his Grandfather's charter boat "WHY NOT" as a boy and spent his summers off from college, mating and running night fishing trips when his "Pop" needed a break. "Miss Lizzy" is named after Shawn's Great Grandmother, who spent many years fishing from the very same docks where "Miss Lizzy" is located. "Miss Lizzy" is sixty-five feet long and carries 49 passengers.

We are offering three cruise dates for summer 2015. The Town will be hosting cruises on Friday, June 5, Saturday, July 25 and Friday, August 28, 2015. The Friday evening cruises leave the dock

promptly at 7:30 p.m. and return at 9:30 p.m. The Saturday Evening cruise will leave at 7:00 p.m. and return at 9:00 p.m. The cost is \$32 per person. Children are welcome; there are no age limits, but these cruises are more suited for adults. Guests are allowed to bring small coolers with adult beverages, drinks and snacks. All cruises leave from the Rod 'N' Reel Dock located at 4165 Mears Avenue, Chesapeake Beach, MD 20732.

Tickets are on sale now. Visit the Town website at [www.chesapeake-beach.md.us](http://www.chesapeake-beach.md.us). Click on Events and then the Moonlight Cruise link. Follow that link to purchase with your own credit card or through a PayPal account. Tickets are also available at Town Hall but must be purchased by check or cash – no credit cards accepted. The purchase price is \$32 per person (adult or child). Town Hall will not take any reservations without accompanying payment.

Our boat will depart PROMPTLY on schedule, so please arrive a few minutes beforehand to check-in. ■

**FRIDAY, JUNE 5**

***Country Boys and Their Boats***

Tribute to Alan Jackson; cowboy hats and Alan Jackson "tees" are suggested.

**7:30 - 9:30 p.m.**

**SATURDAY, JULY 25**

***Scorpion Brewing Company Tasting***

A microbrewery in Calvert County that focuses on locally sourced ingredients.

**7:00 - 9:00 p.m.**

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 28**

***Say Goodbye to Summer***

Featuring 50s & 60s music. Guys should roll up the sleeves on their white tee shirts and the gals should throw on the pedal pushers!

**7:30 - 9:30 p.m.**

THANKS TO OUR VOLUNTEERS

## Bayfront Park Spring Clean-Up

Town Council Vice-President Pat "Irish" Mahoney reports that on one of the first beautiful days to be at the beach, twenty-one volunteers turned out to perform our annual Bayfront Park (Brownie's Beach) cleanup. Along with several "southside" neighbors, we were joined by Cub Scout Pack 429. The Cub Scouts in the picture are: Collin Cheri (with mom Kim and sister Katelynn) and the Smylie family (Charles, Heather, Eoin, Cameron, Hamish and Teagan).

Vice-President Mahoney extends a special thank you to all Town employees (i.e. Allan Brown) and citizens who make it their business to keep our beach pristine throughout all four seasons. Our little beach is a treasure. Thanks to all and Happy Summer! ■



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FROM THE MAYOR

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and Water Park Character Days.

2015 is the fourth year for the **Stars and Stripes Festival**, Honoring Our Fallen Heroes, which begins on May 23 and events run through Monday, May 25. We are excited to have special guest, Yumi Hogan, Maryland's First Lady as Key Note speaker for the opening ceremony as well as Colonel William E. Weber, Ret. as our guest speaker. Col. Weber is a retired WWII and Korean War Veteran. A calendar of festival events is available in this publication and on the Town website. Make sure to decorate your homes, businesses and boats with red, white and blue to show our Chesapeake Beach patriotism for the Holiday Weekend.

**Moonlight Cruises are back!** We are again offering Town-sponsored, moonlight cruising on the Chesapeake Bay aboard "Miss Lizzy," the new head boat in Fishing Creek. Check out the dates and themes and join us for a relaxing evening cruise.

The **Chesapeake Beach Oyster Cultivation Society** is doing business as usual, always adding new and interesting stations along the Railway Trail. New Trail additions include the

Oysterquarium, the Mosquito Repellent Garden and a Purple Martin house.



BRUCE WAHL

**Fireworks** are slated for July 3 at dusk. Please be courteous to all of our visiting guests as we welcome thousands of friends and relatives into Town. Enjoy the show!

By the time you read this, the first section of the **Chesapeake Beach Historic Heritage Trail** will be open. The Trail was researched and designed by the Chesapeake Beach Historical Committee. Five signs have been placed in the south side of Town, beginning at the Railway Museum and following through to Bay Front Park. An accompanying brochure, containing historical highlights, is available at

the Railway Museum and at Town Hall. Additional signage markers for other historic sites are planned.

If you live on the south side of Fishing Creek, it is often taking you longer to travel through Town because of the ongoing bridge construction. The utility companies are currently working to bury lines and cables. There are many tasks to be completed before we will actually see the new bridge built. SHA has promised to keep us apprised of the major traffic pattern changes when they begin to occur. We will update our Town website as well as send out email blasts as we receive the information. We ask that you be patient and allow yourselves extra time; this bridge construction is not going away anytime soon.

Finally, now that the weather is beautiful, get out and explore our wonderful community and all it has to offer.

Happy Spring and early Summer!

**Bruce Wahl**

Mayor of the Town of Chesapeake Beach

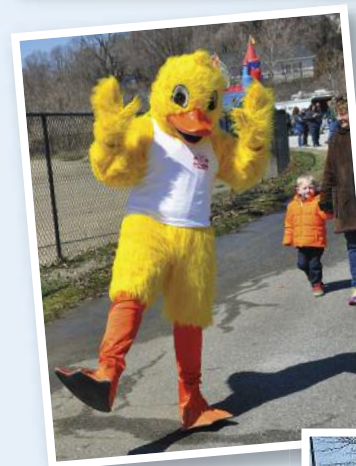




## This Year's Easter Festival – Chilly, but Sunny and Fun!

Story by Connie O'Dell and Photography by Nancy Feuerle

The annual Easter Festival, originally scheduled for Saturday, March 28 was postponed until March 29, 2015. The weather forecast on Friday called for unseasonably cold weather on our planned day, so the decision was made to postpone. Saturday was extremely cold and windy with occasional snowflakes – definitely not conducive to having an outdoor event! On Sunday morning, we awoke to sunny skies, but there was still a chill in the air. Fortunately, by noon the breeze had died down and the weather warmed so that everyone enjoyed a pleasant afternoon. Twenty local businesses and organizations participated in serving treats and gifts to over 400 guests. Many thanks to everyone who participated! ■



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## Neighborhood Watch

The Calvert County Sheriff's Office Community Action Team provides training on Neighborhood Watch. It is a five-step process which can be done in about an hour or so for each part of the process. The training is provided free of charge and the Calvert Alliance Against Substance Abuse will provide new Neighborhood Watch groups with a free sign to put up in their neighborhood. They can purchase additional signs by visiting the website [www.nnw.org](http://www.nnw.org), as well as get a good overview about the program and what it's all about. Interested communities can email requests to start a Neighborhood Watch or to get additional information to [CAASA@co.cal.md.us](mailto:CAASA@co.cal.md.us). ■



## Chesapeake Beach Fireworks Coming on July 3!

The Town of Chesapeake Beach proudly presents "Fireworks over the Bay" Friday evening, July 3, 2015 at approximately 9:20 p.m. We invite you and your guests to take a walk on the Bay Front Boardwalk, search for sharks teeth at Bay Front Park or visit our nature filled, scenic "Railway Trail". Stop by the Chesapeake Beach Railway Museum and learn of our history. Don't forget to support our local businesses; it's good for our economy! Please respect your neighbors and your community. "If you brought it with you, please take it home with you."

Have a safe and happy July 4th holiday. ■





This birdhouse, located along the Railway Trail, is home to Purple Martins who love to catch insects and mosquitos.



Larry Ringgold and Jay Berry toss reef balls at Old Rock Reef.



The depth finder shows bubbles emerging from the reef balls.



Volunteers clean the new Oysterquarium on a regular basis.

## Summer Fun with CBOCS

Story by John Bacon and Photography by John Bacon and Nancy Feuerle

*The CBOCS oysters are growing at a rapid rate and getting ready to make their annual trip to the Old Rock Reef. The first group will be going in June, and the rest will follow in August.*

*We now have their home marked with 42 reef balls which were deployed on April 1. CBOCS volunteers, Bob Munro and Larry Ringgold, along with maintenance members, Jay Berry and Bruce Walker, all joined Captain Drew Payne and the boat "Worm" for the "fun" (if you call throwing 60 pound concrete balls overboard "fun"). They certainly did! One of the most interesting parts of this day was to see bubbles rising from the reef balls as they descended to the bottom.*

*The next step on the Old Rock is to collect some oysters for identification and measurement and to give them their annual health exam. Terry Klazer will be leading the divers in that effort during May and June.*

The new **OYSTERQUARIUM** on the trail is operational and is attracting a lot of interest. It is a live interpretative demonstration of the oyster cycle from larvae to adults. This project is located at the first rest stop. It contains a large tank for the oysters as well as graphics showing the many benefits of the oysters and the CBOCS yearly activities. CBOCS volunteers clean the tank on a regular basis and show interested visitors the oysters and oyster friends residing in the tank.

### SMART BOARD "TREASURES OF A TIDAL CREEK"

The SMART Board class has been completed, and Amenda Brown, Ron Draper and John Bacon passed the final exam with flying colors! The project is now shifting into high gear with volunteers submitting the technical information to be used in creating all the modules. We are actively looking for information and volunteers with knowledge about tides, aquatic life, mammals, birds, insects, plants and grasses that thrive in



The Oysterquarium is located at the first rest stop along the Railway Trail.

a tidal marsh. When this is completed, the next phase will be to formulate the information into the SMART Board technology. This requires a group of teachers, computer experts, photographers and videographers. Another key group will be **students** who have used SMART Boards. If you have students in your family who would like to get involved, please contact John Bacon at johnbacon1@comcast.net. The goal is to finish this project in the fall.

### MOSQUITO REPELLENT DEMONSTRATION GARDENS

CBOCS volunteers, Town maintenance department members and students from Northern High School Honor Society, constructed the raised bed gardens on the trail near Bayview Hills. Gardeners Nancy Feuerle, Melanie Crowder, Linda Draper and Karen Schumaker, along with help from the Northern High School students, planted all the specimens. Pick up a brochure describing **mosquito-repellent plants** that you can place in your own garden. A beautiful bench has been donated by Councilman Bob Carpenter. Stop, sit awhile and enjoy the beauty that surrounds you.

### PURPLE MARTINS ON THE TRAIL

CBOCS volunteer, David Darling constructed a Purple Martin house, and the Town maintenance department erected it on the trail just southeast of the Y-bridge. Stop by and view these birds as they swoop and dive, catching those pesky insects and mosquitos instead of having them bite your arms and legs.

A lot more activities are planned for the summer. For a list of all CBOCS activities go to the Chesapeake Beach Town website, and click on oyster cultivation. We encourage you to be an active, participating member of the society. ■



Board members of the Maryland Municipal League (MML) and Chesapeake Beach Mayor and MML President, Bruce Wahl, gather at the end of the Chesapeake Beach Railway Trail.

## MML Members Visit Chesapeake Beach

Chesapeake Beach Mayor Bruce Wahl recently hosted the Maryland Municipal League Board of Directors' meeting in Chesapeake Beach. Mayor Wahl is currently serving as the Maryland Municipal League President. After the meeting, Mayor Wahl invited the Board to join him in a stroll on the Chesapeake Beach Railway Trail. The visitors, many of whom are mayors of other Maryland towns, were very impressed with our beautiful trail!



MML Board Members at the Oysterquarium.



Rockville Mayor Bridget Donnell Newton on Chesapeake Beach Railway Trail.



Westminster Mayor Kevin Utz on Chesapeake Beach Railway Trail.



Members of the MML and the Chesapeake Beach Town Council.





Top: New Museum Volunteers Toni Hopkins, Volunteer Mike Sweeney (volunteer trainer) and Karen Moreland. Bottom: Hikers at the Heritage Hike.

# Come See Us at the Railway Museum

Story by Hilary Dailey

It has been a busy spring at the Railway Museum! In March, we held our **Annual Volunteer Workshop**. We had several new volunteers join us this year, so we are looking forward to getting to know them and getting them up to speed on the ins and outs of the Museum. On April 4th, a few volunteers and some local community members ventured out on our **Annual Heritage Hike**. This year, we followed the Chesapeake Beach Rail Bed over at Jug Bay, walking out to the spot where the old railroad turn-style sits out in the river. It was a blustery day, but all had a great time. On April 12, we held our **Annual Farewell Ceremony**. This event consisted of a brief presentation by Volunteer Mike Sweeney about the day the last train left Chesapeake Beach forever back in 1935, followed by cookies and punch. The day was enhanced by the fact that several attendees wore 1930s period clothing as a nod to “the good ole’ days.” Other events at the Railway Museum included celebrating **National Train Day** on Saturday, May 9th from 1-4 p.m. and our **Annual Spring Family Fun Day** on Sunday, May 17th from 1-4 p.m. On National Train

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# Chesapeake Beach Town Calendar

MAY		
Day	Event/Location	Time
21	Town Council Meeting, Town Hall	7p.m.
23	Water Park Opens Weekends & Holiday Mondays Only	11 a.m. - 7 p.m.
23	Chesapeake Beach Stars & Stripes Festival, Veterans' Park	10 a.m.
24	Chesapeake Beach Stars& Stripes Festival Family Fun Day, Kellam's Field	11 a.m. - 4 p.m.
25	CB Stars and Stripes Festival, American Legion Ceremony, Veterans' Park	10 a.m.
25	Town Hall Closed in Observance of Memorial Day	

JUNE		
Day	Event/Location	Time
1	Mayor's Night Out, Town Hall	7:30 - 9 p.m.
1	Call Twin Beaches Library for Summer Fun Schedule	
5	Moonlight Cruise Aboard "Miss Lizzy," Alan Jackson, Country Boys & Boats	
6	Railway Museum Begins Summer Weekend Only Hours	11 a.m. - 5 p.m.
7	Parks & Recs/Town of Chesapeake Beach Free Concert, Kellam's Field	4 - 7 p.m.
9	Railway Museum Opening Day, Summer Exhibit"	1-4 p.m.
9	Railway Museum, Founder's Day & Friends Mtg.	6 p.m.
9	Railway Museum, Dedication of Founder's Bench	6:30 p.m.
9	Railway Museum, Summer Bay Breeze Concert, FREE	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
10	Planning and Zoning, Town Hall	7 p.m.
13	Beach Buccaneers Registration, NECC"	10 a.m. - 12 p.m.
15	Mayor's Open Door, Town Hall	4 - 5:30 p.m.
17	Water Park Opens Weekdays	11 a.m. - 7 p.m.
18	Water Park World's Largest Swim Lesson	10 a.m.
20	Dragon Boat Races, North Beach Waterfront	9 a.m.
21	Water Park Celebrates Father's Day, All Dads 1/2 price with paying child	
22	Water Park Swim Lessons Begin (Session 1)/Water Park Character Day	
23	Water Park Resident Appreciation Day, 1/2 price until 4 p.m., Free after 4 p.m.	
25	Frisbee Golf, Kellam's Field, Parks & Recs, Free	
25	Railway Museum Children's Summer Fun Program	10 - 11 a.m.
27	Beach Buccaneers Registration NECC	10 a.m. - 12 p.m.
30	Water Park Resident Appreciation Day, 1/2 price until 4 p.m., Free after 4 p.m.	

JULY		
Day	Event/Location	Time
3	Town Hall Closing Early for Fireworks Display	2 p.m.
3	Chesapeake Beach Town Fireworks	Dusk
5	Chesapeake Beach Town Fireworks, Rain Date	Dusk
6	Water Park Swim Lessons Begin (Session 2)	
6	Water Park Character Day	
6	Mayor's Night Out, Town Hall	7:30 p.m.
7	Water Park Resident Appreciation Day, 1/2 Price until 4 p.m., Free after 4 p.m.	
8	Planning and Zoning, Town Hall	7 p.m.
9	Railway Museum Children's Summer Fun Program	10 - 11 a.m.
10	Fun Fit Fridays, Kellam's Field, Parks & Recs, Free	10 - 10:30 a.m.

## JULY CONTINUED

Day	Event/Location	Time
10	Water Park Night Slides	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
11	Beach Buccaneers Registration, NECC	10 a.m. - 12 p.m.
13	Mayor's Open Door, Town Hall	4 - 5:30 p.m.
14	Railway Museum Summer Bay Breeze Concert, FREE	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
14	Water Park Resident Appreciation Day, 1/2 Price until 4 p.m., Free after 4 p.m.	
16	Town Council Meeting, Town Hall	7 p.m.
16	Railway Museum Children's Summer Fun Program	10 - 11 a.m.
17	Fun Fit Fridays, Kellam's Field, Parks & Recs, Free	10 - 10:30 a.m.
17	Water Park Night Slides	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
18	Beach Buccaneers Registration, NECC	10 a.m. - 12 p.m.
20	Water Park Swim Lessons Begin (Session 3)	
20	Water Park Character Day	
21	Water Park Resident Appreciation Day, 1/2 Price until 4 p.m., Free after 4 p.m.	
24	Fun Fit Fridays, Kellam's Field, Parks & Recs, Free	
25	Moonlight Cruise Aboard Miss Lizzy, Rod N Reel Marina	7 - 9 p.m.
28	Water Park Resident Appreciation Day, 1/2 Price until 4 p.m., Free after 4 p.m.	
30	Railway Museum Children's Summer Fun Program	10 - 11 a.m.
31	Water Park Night Slides	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
31	Fun Fit Fridays, Kellam's Field, Parks & Recs, Free	10 - 10:30 a.m.

## AUGUST

Day	Event/Location	Time
3	The Amazing Chase, Kellam's Field, Parks & Recs, Ages 12 - 17, Free	10 - 11:15 a.m.
3	Mayor's Night Out, Town Hall	7:30 - 9 p.m.
3	Water Park Swim Lessons Begin (Session 4)	
3	Water Park Character Day	
4	Water Park Resident Appreciation Day, 1/2 Price until 4 p.m.; Free after 4 p.m.	
7	Water Park Night Slides	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
11	Railway Museum Summer Breeze Concert, FREE	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
11	Water Park Resident Appreciation Day, 1/2 Price until 4 p.m.; Free after 4 p.m.	
12	Planning & Zoning, Town Hall	7 p.m.
17	Mayor's Open Door, Town Hall	4 - 5:30 p.m.
17	Water Park Character Day	
18	Water Park Resident Appreciation Day, 1/2 Price until 4 p.m.; Free after 4 p.m.	
20	Town Council Meeting, Town Hall	7 p.m.
21	Last Weekday at Water Park	
28	Moonlight Cruise aboard "Miss Lizzy," Say Goodbye to Summer	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.

## Look What's Happening at Kellam's Field!

Calvert County Parks & Recreation is excited about offering the following summer special events at Kellam's Field.

**Band by the Bay**  
**Sunday, June 7** from 4-7 p.m.  
Enjoy a performance by "Back by Sunrise" as well as a moon bounce and other activities. FREE!

**Frisbee Golf**  
**Thursday, June 25** from 10-11:30 a.m.  
Play our challenging Frisbee golf course to see how low you can score. FREE!

**Fun Fit Friday**  
**Friday, July 10, 17, 24 & 31** from 10-10:30 a.m.  
Each week we'll feature a different exercise routine that the whole family can do together. FREE!

**The Amazing Chase**  
**Monday, August 3** from 10-11:15 a.m.  
For 12-17 year olds, inspired by "The Amazing Race" television show, participants will have to complete a series of mental and physical challenges as a two-person team. FREE!

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Day, Volunteer Kristen Scott lead folks in making train-themed Mother's Day cards and other crafts out on the porch of the Museum, and on Spring Family Fun Day, the Museum celebrated with a "Beach Bash," which included games, crafts, refreshments, a moon bounce and a special show for families. Both events were free and open to the public. As a community outreach project, we collected non-perishable items for End Hunger at the Family Fun Day.

**Our summer exhibit** this year will celebrate the faces and places that have made the Twin Beaches such a special place. It will be called **"The Faces and Places of Memories at the Beach."** We will tell the story of the towns from the days of the late 19th century through the founding of the Museum in the 1970s and 1980s. Both the people and the places are important to this story.

If you have any photographs or artifacts that help tell this story, please share them with the Museum and our visitors. Photos of places and faces are very special. We also need three-dimensional artifacts that call attention to the stories of North and Chesapeake Beaches.

If you have any items to share, please contact the Curator at 410-257-3892.

Also coming up quickly is our popular **Summer Bay Breeze Concert Series**. This year, the concerts will take place the second Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m. on the porch of the Museum, starting in June and running through September. Inclement weather site will be the Northeast Community Center. The line-up this year is as follows: June 9th: Blue Rhythm Boys, July 14th: Dixie Ramblers, August 11th: The Dave Chappell Band, and September 8th: The Dixie Power Trio with The New Line Brass. Be sure not to miss out on any of our toe-tapping bands!

Lastly, the Museum is again hosting our **FREE Children's Programs** out on our porch on Thursday mornings from 10-11 a.m. Each morning is different and can include crafts, songs, stories and more! The dates of our summer children's programs are as follows: June 25th, July 9th, July 16th, July 23rd and July 30th.

Looking forward to seeing you at the Museum!

Call the Railway Museum for more details at 410-257-3892 or visit our website at [www.cbrm.org](http://www.cbrm.org). ■





## Opening Day is Almost Here At The Chesapeake Beach Water Park

Story by Laura Krick, Marketing Coordinator and Marilyn VanWagner, General Manager

*We are only days away from the opening of the 2015 Chesapeake Beach Water Park Season! Hot summer days are just around the corner and there's no better way to cool off than at the Water Park! We open on Saturday, May 23 and stay open until Labor Day Monday, September 7, weekends only while school is still in session. Once school is out we are open on weekdays too!*

Have you purchased your 2015 Season Pass yet? **Season Passes** are now available for advance purchase on our website at [www.chesapeakebeachwaterpark.com](http://www.chesapeakebeachwaterpark.com). We will have staff members available at the Park at 10 a.m., an hour before we open, on both Saturday, May 23 and Sunday, May 24 to take photos and issue Season Passes. Take advantage of this service so you can avoid standing in lines. Remember, if you are a Season Pass holder, you can advance to the front of the line when you visit! Other perks of being a Season Pass Holder include:

- Attend the Night Slides for no extra fee!
- Attend our Parents with Preschoolers for no extra fee!
- Attend all Character Days for no extra fee!
- Attend all Adult Swim (age 18 and over) for no extra fee!
- 20% Discount off all food purchases inside the Park!

Join us on Thursday June 18 at 10 a.m. for our annual **World's Largest Swim Lesson**. Even though Calvert County schools will still be in session this day, we will still be holding this event and will remain open

until 4 p.m. Admission is free for all those who participate in this event, but you must pre-register on our website. This event is designed to help build awareness about the vital importance of teaching children to swim and to help prevent drowning. On the morning of June 18, waterparks and pools around the world that are hosting this WLSL event will simultaneously enter their pools together in an attempt to break this Guinness World Record.

Some of our other popular programs that will be returning this season include:

- **Friday Night Slides** will be on Friday evenings, July 10 thru August 7, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Stay late and enjoy the Water Park slides at Night! Fun and games for all ages!
- **Character Days** this year are promising to be our best yet! Visit on certain Mondays during the season and meet your favorite Ice Princesses, our Live Mermaid, Fairytale Princesses, Super Heroes and more! Check out our events listed on the Town Calendar on page 11 and our website for dates and details.

- **Adult Swim** will be held on Monday, Tuesday, and Friday mornings from 9:30 a.m. to 10:40 a.m. This is a time for adults only to come and enjoy a swim and cool off in the lazy river before the Water Park opens.
- **Parents with Preschoolers** will continue this season. This program will run on Monday, Tuesday and Friday mornings from 9:30 a.m. to 10:40 a.m. and is designed just for parents with preschool-aged children. A portion of our center Activity Pool and two baby slides will be open; no Lazy River.

We want to continue showing our immense appreciation to our Chesapeake Beach residents! Exclusively offered to our Chesapeake Beach residents is our **Chesapeake Beach Resident Appreciation Day** every Tuesday this season! On Tuesdays our Chesapeake Beach residents are invited to visit the Water Park and enjoy half-price admission. During our Twilight hours on Tuesdays, from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m., Chesapeake Beach residents will receive free admission into the Park! We will take little-to-no group reservations on Tuesdays so that our Town residents can enjoy a less crowded park! The Chesapeake Beach Appreciation Day is our way of saying Thank You for your continued support over the years.

What special child or friend do you have that celebrates their birthday in the summer? Consider celebrating with us at the Water Park! Reserve your **Birthday Celebration or Special Event** at the Chesapeake Beach Water Park! We host many parties each season, and we would love to have your name on our special guest list! Birthday party packages include your own exclusive, shaded area as well as pizzas, sodas and snow cones for your party attendees. We also have our supreme area Party Place where you can book a Super-Sized party for more of your friends! New this season: Rent a Character to visit the birthday child and his or her friends! The Character of your choice will spend an hour interacting with the kids and will present a gift to the birthday child from our Water Park Store. Visit our website at [www.chesapeakebeachwaterpark.com](http://www.chesapeakebeachwaterpark.com) for more details and reserve your birthday party online!

We are very excited about our new and improved **Water Park Store!** Our staff has worked hard over the winter months giving our store a fresh and bold look. Brand new logo items such as hats, sweatshirts and hoodies, embroidered T-shirts and so much more! We are also excited that our Logo merchandise is now available on our Online Store. Visit our website, and share with your friends from across the miles, and shop online for some of these amazing Logo products! You are sure to be as thrilled as we are!

Please remember, we do not allow any outside food or beverages into the Park. Only one water bottle per person will be allowed. All bags will be thoroughly checked at the door upon entry. In an effort to allow more adults to have chairs, a new policy in effect this season: **chairs** will only be available on a first come basis to anyone who has purchased an adult ticket. No chairs will be available to anyone under 48" or who is wearing a red wristband. You may bring your own small folding beach chair if you wish. Please review all of our **Rules** on our website or posted at the Park if you have question.

Visit our website for details on all of our programs and events happening at the Water Park this season. Join our Facebook page and "like" us so you can stay informed on our special deals and up-to-the-minute activities! We look forward to seeing you this summer at the Chesapeake Beach Water Park! ■



## Visit the New Exhibit at the Bayside History Museum

The Bayside History Museum Has a New Exhibit!

### Summer Cottages of the Past



The **Summer Cottages of the Past** displays actual items that existed in homes from Rose Haven, North Beach, Chesapeake Beach, Randle Cliff, Willows, Breezy Point, Carpenters Beach and Plum Point. Items vary from 1890s through 1950s. Gloria Lyons said, "It will be so much fun for visitors to experience life in a cottage and how people lived during that time period."

**COME SEE US AT:**  
**4025 4th Street, North Beach, MD 20714**  
**410-610-5970**

[www.baysidehistorymuseum.org](http://www.baysidehistorymuseum.org)  
email: [baysidehistorymuseum@hotmail.com](mailto:baysidehistorymuseum@hotmail.com)

**SUMMER SEASON SCHEDULE:**  
May 1, 2015 - October 31, 2015  
Open Five Days a Week • Wednesday through Sunday  
1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**"Treasures of the Chesapeake" Gift Shop**  
The gift shop is located inside the museum and open the same hours as the museum.



# Summer is Around the Corner

## At the Calvert Library Twin Beaches Branch!

There's always something fun and interesting going on for all ages at the Calvert Library Twin Beaches Branch. Don't miss these fun events! Please let us know if you have any ideas or suggestions on what else you might be interested in learning more about. Call 410-257-2411 or stop by anytime to get updates on what's available at the library. Or visit our website at [www.calvert.lib.md.us](http://www.calvert.lib.md.us). Happy learning!

### Children Programs

## Evening Storytime: Summer Reading Kick-off!

Join us to celebrate the start of our summer reading program with an evening storytime in the library.

**Thursday, June 11th at 6:30 p.m.**

## Summer Storytimes – Heroes All Around Town!

Help us celebrate community heroes all summer long. Storytimes are conducted on **Wednesdays and Saturdays** at 10:00 a.m. from June 24 through August 8. Wednesday storytimes are on the road at various locations in the Chesapeake/North Beach area. Saturday storytimes are in the library's Children's area; designed for families with children to age 5. No registration required.

<b>June 24</b>	Chesapeake Railway Museum	<b>July 15</b>	North Beach Boardwalk
<b>July 1</b>	American Legion Hall	<b>July 22</b>	Wetlands Overlook Park
<b>July 8</b>	Chesapeake Beach Water Park	<b>July 29</b>	Beach Elementary School
		<b>August 5</b>	North Beach Fire Department

## Summer Fun Programs

Free performances in the gym at the Northeast Community Center at 10:00 a.m. on **Tuesdays** from June 23 through August 4.

<b>June 23</b>	Acoustic Eidolon
<b>June 30</b>	Tom Crowl
<b>July 7</b>	Baltimore Zoo
<b>July 14</b>	Barry Louis Polisar
<b>July 21</b>	Calvert Library Players
<b>July 28</b>	Sciencetellers
<b>August 4</b>	Mike Rose



## Summer Reading Program

**Theme for Children**  
Every Hero has a Story

**Theme for Teens**  
Unmasked

Register for summer reading and win prizes like tickets to the Bowie Baysox and Southern Maryland Blue Crabs and other great awards! This year there will be summer reading contests for every member of the family! **Summer reading is June 1 – August 22.**

## Minecraft Nights

Teens and tweens are invited to the library afterhours to get together with friends and play Minecraft! Registration is required and space is limited. Each event is 5:30-7:00 p.m.

<b>June 12</b>	<b>July 24</b>
<b>June 26</b>	<b>August 7</b>
<b>July 10</b>	<b>August 21</b>



## Manga Otaku Creator's Night

Teen and tween otaku (fans of Japanese comics and anime) will develop the skills to draw and write their own comics! Artist/illustrator (and Calvert librarian) McNevin Hayes will guide you through the basics of visual storytelling for comics. Events are the **first Tuesday of each month** at 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. and registration is required.

<b>June 2</b>	<b>July 7</b>	<b>August 4</b>
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## Hero Training Academy!

An event series for Kindergarten through 5th graders held **Wednesdays** from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the library. Programs will focus on heroes (both super and in our community!) and will include stories, crafts, games and a snack. No registration required.

**June 24 - August 5**

## Join us for Chess!

### Chess Saturdays at the Library

Chess enthusiasts or wannabe enthusiasts – please join us (with or without your own chess set) at the library on the **2nd Saturday** of each month from 10:00 a.m. to noon. All ages and levels welcome! Chess sets available anytime – just ask!



### Adult Programs

## Calvert Conversations

Calvert Conversations: Returns on September 10th! Come talk about local history ~ bring your questions, share your stories! Held in the library's living room, 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. Meets the **2nd Thursday** of each month.

## On Pins and Needles



Bring your quilting, needlework, knitting, crocheting, or other project for an afternoon of conversation and shared creativity. **Monday afternoons** from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

## “One Maryland, One Book” Book Discussion

*Boys in the Boat* by Daniel J. Brown

For readers of *Unbroken*, out of the depths of the Depression comes an irresistible story about beating the odds and finding hope in the most desperate of times—the improbable, intimate account of how nine working-class boys from the American West showed the world at the 1936 Olympics in Berlin what true grit really meant.

**Monday, September 14**  
from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.



## Fun Funky Family Fair

Come check out the fun and engaging activities for kids all around the beaches! Meet at the Northeast Community Center.

**Wednesday, August 26**  
from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

## Lego Mania

Our popular Lego program continues over the summer! Hear a story, build awesome Lego creations, and share them with your friends! No registration required—drop in and bring a friend! Legos provided by Calvert Library. Lego events are at 2:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.

**June 25**  
**July 9**  
**August 13**



## Book Discussions “Summer Shorts”

We will listen to short stories and then discuss! No reading ahead! 7:00- 8:30 p.m.



**June 8**  
**July 13**  
**August 10**

## Extra! Extra!

Please note: all branches Calvert Library will be **closed May 23, 24, 25, June 5, and July 3 and 4!**

Enjoy paperbacks and magazines at the Water Park this summer courtesy of Calvert Library!

## Check Out Your Community!

A terrific partnership with local agencies and businesses to get free or discounted passes to such places as the Water Park, Bay Front Park and Paddle or Pedal at Marina West!! All it takes is a library card to go online or call the library to reserve a pass.

## Remembering Emily Dickinson

Celebrate Emily Dickinson's life and poetry. Come prepared to share favorite poems of hers, or hear other's favorites. She died on May 15, 1886. “Because I could not stop for Death, He kindly stopped for me; The carriage held but just ourselves. And Immortality.” Reservations requested.

**Friday, May 15**  
from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.



## JobSource Mobile Career Center

Stop by to get job counseling, resume help, search for jobs and get connected with Southern Maryland JobSource. This 38' mobile center features 11 computer workstations, smart board instructional technology, satellite internet access, exterior audio visual and broadcasting capabilities; state of the art workforce applications and connectivity for wireless mobile device access.

**Tuesday, June 2**  
**Friday, July 10**  
**Friday, August 7**  
from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.





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#### TOWN CONTACT NUMBERS

In case of emergency, tune to Channel 6  
or WTOP Radio 103.5.

Animal Control . . . . . 410-535-2800

Beach Elementary . . . . . 410-257-1512

Northeast Community Center . . 410-257-2554

Emergency . . . . . 911

Fire Dept. (non-emergency) . . . 410-257-6564

Library . . . . . 410-257-2411

Post Office . . . . . 410-257-6180

Railway Museum . . . . . 410-257-3892

Sheriff (non-emergency) . . . . . 410-535-2800

Town Hall . . . . . 410-257-2230

Town Hall . . . . . 301-855-8398

Town Hall is now open Monday through Friday  
from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

[www.chesapeake-beach.md.us](http://www.chesapeake-beach.md.us)  
[info@chesapeake-beach.md.us](mailto:info@chesapeake-beach.md.us)

#### SUMMER TRASH & RECYCLE SCHEDULE & PROCEDURES

### *Just a Reminder!*

#### Summer trash/recycle pick up are as follows:

No pick up on Memorial Day 5-25. The trash will be collected on the north side of Town on Tuesday 5-26 and Wednesday 5-27 for the south side of Town. Recycle will begin every week as well. Please make note that recycle will be picked up from north and south sides on 7-2 due to the 4th of July Holiday.

**Please note!** Remember to put trash and recycle out the night before and place on the

sidewalk, alley or curb to avoid being missed. The truck will not return. Storage receptacles and trash cans should be watertight with a tight-fitting lid to prevent animal access. Please remove your trash bins from the curb or street-side after pick up.

If you have any questions, call Fran at 410-257-2230.

Look for the monthly trash/recycle schedule on our website [www.chesapeake-beach.md.us](http://www.chesapeake-beach.md.us)  
Thank you from the Town Hall Staff

#### TRASH & RECYCLE

Location	Weekday	May	June	July
North Trash	Mondays	4, 11, 18, *26	1, 8, 15, 22, 29	6, 13, 20, 27
South Trash	Tuesdays	5, 12, 19, *27	2, 9, 16, 23, 30	7, 14, 21, 28
North Recycle	Thursdays	7, 21, 28	4, 11, 18, 25	2, 9, 16, 23, 30
South Recycle	Fridays	8, 22, 29	5, 12, 19, 26	*2, 10, 17, 24, 31
Bagged Yard Waste	Every Other Wed.	13, 27	10, 24	8, 22

Special Note: Please put your trash and recycling out the night before your pick-up day, as the routes sometimes begin as early as 6 a.m. Thank you!

\*Change in schedule due to Holiday.