



FOURTH OF JULY FESTIVITIES

- July 2 Big Band Night and Fireworks (St. Michaels)
- July 3 Berlin (MD) Fireworks Celebration
- July 4 Easton Carnival and 4th of July Celebration
- July 4 Queen Anne's County Fireworks & Family Fun Celebration (Chester)
- July 5 Ocean City Fireworks Celebration



SUMMER EVENTS ON THE SHORE

- Every Thursday Concerts in the Park (St. Michaels)
- July 12-16 Talbot County 4H Fair (Easton)
- July 15-24 Plein Air arts competition and festival (Easton)
- July 21-23 Kent County Fair (Chestertown)
- July 23-24 Thunder on the Choptank boat racing festival (Cambridge)
- July 29-31 Ocean Renaissance: Rise of Atlantis sea-themed festival (Ocean City)
- Aug 5-7 Chesapeake Bay Balloon Festival (Cordova)
- Aug 6 BSO Music For Maryland: Kent County (Chestertown)
- Aug 6 Berlin (MD) Peach Festival
- Aug. 8-13 Queen Anne's County 4H Fair (Centreville)
- Aug 12-14 Pirates and Wenches Festival (Rock Hall)
- Aug 19-20 Legacy Day celebration of African American heritage (Chestertown)
- Aug 20-21 Art X Festival (Ocean City)
- Aug. 26-28 National Folk Festival (Salisbury)



ANYTIME FUN

- **Hit the beaches.** Ocean City may get top billing, but some of our local favorites also include Matapeake Beach, Terrapin Park, and Betterton Beach
- **Peek in on local celebs.** Check out the famed wild ponies on Assateague Beach
- **Go where the wild things are.** Explore Blackwater National Wildlife Refuge
- **Get out and pedal.** Bike along Kent Island's Cross Island Trail
- **Travel by sea.** Take the ferry from Oxford to St. Michaels
- **Paddle local waterways.** Kayak at the Chesapeake Bay Environmental Center
- **Get to know the locals.** Check out the Eastern Shore's native plants and wildlife at Adkins Arboretum
- **Sail back in time.** Take a tour of the



- Chesapeake on a Skipjack
- **Ahoy, Mateys!** Experience the Shore's seafaring past at the Chesapeake Bay Maritime Museum
- **See history come alive.** Learn Harriet Tubman's Story at the Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad Visitor's Center
- **Get your culture on.** Visit the Chestertown River Arts Gallery
- **Curtain call.** Check out a show at the century-old Avalon Theatre, a cornerstone of downtown Easton.
- **Browse a farmer's market.** Held weekly, including Kent Island, Easton, St. Michaels, and Chestertown
- **Fill your basket.** Make time to stop at a farm stand on the way to the beach.
- **Shop 'til you drop.** Explore the shops and antique stores in downtown areas

SUMMER FUN ON THE EASTERN SHORE