

## Choose CALVERT - Charm of the Chesapeake

*With lighthouses, trails, museums, festivals, shops and galleries, there's always something to see, do and enjoy here on the western shore of the Chesapeake Bay. Discover amazing adventure and unspoiled beauty in Southern Maryland's Calvert County.*

### MAIN ATTRACTIONS:

#### American Chestnut Land Trust

15 miles of serene public hiking trails in two locations. Guided canoe trips offered each year from spring through fall.  
410.414.3400 • [www.acltweb.org](http://www.acltweb.org)

#### Annamarie Sculpture Garden & Arts Center

30-acre public sculpture park features a paved path through the woods past permanent and loaned works of outdoor sculpture and a new Arts Building.  
410.326.4640 • [www.annmariegarden.org](http://www.annmariegarden.org)

#### Arthur Storer Planetarium

This unique facility allows visitors of all ages to explore the cosmos.  
410.535.7339  
[www.calvertnet.k12.md.us](http://www.calvertnet.k12.md.us)

#### Battle Creek Cypress Swamp Sanctuary

100-acre ecological sanctuary includes the northernmost naturally occurring stand of bald cypress trees in America and contains an elevated boardwalk.  
410.535.5327 • [www.calvertparks.org](http://www.calvertparks.org)

#### Bayside History Museum

This museum explains the role the Chesapeake Bay environment had in shaping the cultures of bayside communities from Herring Bay to the Cliffs of Calvert, from prehistoric time to the present.  
410.495.8386 • [baysidehistorymuseum.org](http://baysidehistorymuseum.org)

#### Breezy Point Beach & Campground

Bayfront park featuring swimming, fishing, picnicking and camping.  
410.535.0259  
[www.co.cal.md.us/visitors/beaches](http://www.co.cal.md.us/visitors/beaches)



#### Calvert Cliffs State Park

Hike through this 1,460-acre wooded state park to the majestic Calvert Cliffs on the Chesapeake Bay.  
301.743.7613  
[www.dnr.state.md.us/publiclands/southern/calvertcliffs.html](http://www.dnr.state.md.us/publiclands/southern/calvertcliffs.html)

#### Calvert County Historical Society at Linden

Built around 1868. Offering a research library that continues to grow in volume and diversity. Family papers describing first-person accounts of historical events, wills, family Bibles, original manuscripts, photographs, published histories, maps and recorded interviews allow researchers to examine how the county has changed over time.  
410.535.2452 • [www.calverthistory.org](http://www.calverthistory.org)

#### Chesapeake Beach Railway Museum

The early history of the Chesapeake Beach Railway Company and Amusement Park is detailed in a collection of historical photos and artifacts from the days when weekend crowds traveled to the Chesapeake Beach resort via the railroad.  
410.257.3892 • [www.cbrm.org](http://www.cbrm.org)

#### Chesapeake Biological Laboratory Visitor Center

Founded by zoologist Reginald Truitt in 1925 on land donated by the people of Solomons, this is the oldest state-supported marine laboratory on the East Coast.  
410.326.4281 • [www.umces.edu](http://www.umces.edu)



#### Calvert Marine Museum

The rich maritime history and diversity of life in the Chesapeake Bay come alive in this unusual museum with boats, models, paintings, woodcarvings, aquariums, fossils and a skates and rays exhibit.  
410.326.2042  
[www.calvertmarinemuseum.com](http://www.calvertmarinemuseum.com)

#### Cove Point Lighthouse

Tour history at the oldest continuously working lighthouse in Maryland.  
410.326.2042  
[www.calvertmarinemuseum.com](http://www.calvertmarinemuseum.com)



## ATTRACTIONS (Cont'd.)

### Drum Point Lighthouse

Constructed in 1883, this screwpile, cottage-type lighthouse is one of only three remaining from 45 that once served the Chesapeake Bay at the beginning of the 20th century.  
410.326.2042  
[www.calvertmarinemuseum.com](http://www.calvertmarinemuseum.com) or  
[lighthousefriends.com](http://lighthousefriends.com)

### J.C. Lore & Sons Oyster House

Visit this restored 1934 seafood-packing house to learn about the boom and decline of the region's commercial seafood industries.  
410.326.2042  
[www.calvertmarinemuseum.com](http://www.calvertmarinemuseum.com)

### "Wm. B. Tennison"

Enjoy a one-hour cruise around Solomons Harbor aboard the only Coast Guard-licensed log-hulled vessel in America.  
410.326.2042  
[www.calvertmarinemuseum.com](http://www.calvertmarinemuseum.com)

### Flag Ponds Nature Park

Hiking trails, fossil hunting, observation platforms, wetlands boardwalk, fishing pier, beach and visitors center with wildlife exhibits.  
410.586.1477  
[www.calvertparks.org](http://www.calvertparks.org)

### Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum (JPPM)

This Maryland State museum of history and archaeology is located on 560 acres along the Patuxent River.  
410.586.8501 • [www.jefpat.org](http://www.jefpat.org)

### Kings Landing Park

This 260-acre park on the Patuxent River and Cocktown Creek offers a variety of outdoor activities.  
410.535.2661  
[www.calvertparks.org](http://www.calvertparks.org)

### Old Wallville School

Originally built in the 1880s for African American students, the school is the oldest standing one-room schoolhouse in Calvert County.  
410.474-3868  
[www.oldwallvilleschool.org](http://www.oldwallvilleschool.org)

### One-Room Schoolhouse

Port Republic School No. 7 has stood in this shady grove for more than 100 years.  
410.586.0161 • 410.326.0486  
[www.calvertoneroomschool.org](http://www.calvertoneroomschool.org)

## WINERIES

### Cove Point Winery

755 Cove Point Road, Lusby  
410.326.0949  
[www.covepointwinery.com](http://www.covepointwinery.com)

### Fridays Creek Winery

3485 Chaneyville Road, Owings  
410.286.9463 • [www.fridayscreek.com](http://www.fridayscreek.com)

### Perigeaux Vineyards & Winery

8650 Mackall Road, St. Leonard  
410.586.2710



### Running Hare Vineyard

150 Adelina Road, Prince Frederick  
410.414.8486  
[www.runningharevineyard.com](http://www.runningharevineyard.com)

### Solomons Island Winery

515 Garner Lane, Lusby  
410.394.1933  
[www.solomonsislandwinery.com](http://www.solomonsislandwinery.com)



## AMUSEMENTS

### Apex Cinemas

Calvert Village Shopping Center  
Prince Frederick  
410.535.0781 • 301.855.1147  
[www.apexcinemas.com](http://www.apexcinemas.com)

### Biplane Air Tours

Prince Frederick  
410.535.4136  
[www.biplaneairtours.com](http://www.biplaneairtours.com)

### Chesapeake Beach Water Park

Children's pool, activity pool, 12' floating gator, 12' floating snake, seashell slide, lazy river and slides for all ages.  
410.257.1404  
[www.chesapeakebeachwaterpark.com](http://www.chesapeakebeachwaterpark.com)

### Cove Point Family Aquatic Ctr.

Lusby  
410.535.0781 • 301.855.1147  
[www.co.cal.md.us/residents/parks/events/covepointpool](http://www.co.cal.md.us/residents/parks/events/covepointpool)

### Edward T. Hall Aquatic Ctr.

Prince Frederick  
410.414-8350  
[www.co.cal.md.us/residents/parks](http://www.co.cal.md.us/residents/parks)

### Lord Calvert Bowling Entertainment Center

Huntingtown  
410.535.3560  
[www.lordcalvertbowling.com](http://www.lordcalvertbowling.com)

### R & J's Playpark

Prince Frederick  
410.535.4522 • 301.855.1147  
[www.playpark.biz](http://www.playpark.biz)

## ANNUAL EVENTS

### JANUARY

#### **Polar Bear Plunge**

Boardwalk, North Beach  
301.855.6681  
www.ci.north-beach.md.us



### MARCH

#### **Taste of Solomons**

Various locations in Solomons  
www.solomonsmaryland.com

### APRIL

#### **Discovering Archaeology Day**

Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum  
410.586.8501 • www.jefpat.org

#### **Celtic Festival**

Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum  
410-586-8501 • www.jefpat.org  
443-975-0971 • www.cssm.org/festival

### MAY

#### **Maryland House & Garden Pilgrimage**

Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum  
410.586.8501 • www.jefpat.org

#### **Solomons - Paint the Town, a Plein Air Festival**

Annmarie Sculpture Garden & Arts Center  
410.326.4640  
www.annmariegarden.org

#### **Mother's Day Boat Cruise**

Calvert Marine Museum  
410.326.2042 x 41  
www.calvertmarinemuseum.com

#### **Maritime Festival**

Calvert Marine Museum  
410.326.2042 x 41  
www.calvertmarinemuseum.com

### JUNE

#### **North Beach House & Garden Club Tour**

St. Anthony's Catholic Church  
301.855.6681 • 410.257.9618  
www.ci.north-beach.md.us

#### **Children's Day on the Farm**

Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum  
410.586.8501 • www.jefpat.org

#### **Patuxent River Wade-In**

Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum  
410.586.8501 • www.jefpat.org

#### **Father's Day Fling**

Annmarie Sculpture Garden & Arts Center  
410.326.4640  
www.annmariegarden.org



#### **Tobacco Trail Antique & Classic Car Meet**

Annmarie Sculpture Garden & Arts Center  
410.326.4640  
www.annmariegarden.org

#### **African-American Family Community Day**

Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum  
410.586.8501 • www.jefpat.org

#### **Father's Day Boat Cruise**

Calvert Marine Museum  
410.326.2042 x 41  
www.calvertmarinemuseum.com

### JULY

#### **Fireworks at Chesapeake Beach**

410.257.2230

#### **Fireworks at Solomons Riverwalk**

888.580.3856 • 410.326.1950

#### **SHARKFEST!**

Calvert Marine Museum  
410.326.2042 x 41  
www.calvertmarinemuseum.com

#### **Sunset in the Tropics**

Calvert Marine Museum  
410.326.2042 x 41  
www.calvertmarinemuseum.com

### AUGUST

#### **Eat, Drink, Go Local Wine Festival**

North Beach  
301.855.6681  
www.ci.north-beach.md.us

#### **AIITCO Native American PowWow**

Calvert County Fairgrounds  
301.869.9381

#### **Jousting Tournament**

Christ Church, Port Republic  
410.586.0565  
www.christchurchcalvert.org



## ANNUAL EVENTS (Cont'd.)

### SEPTEMBER

#### Artsfest

Annamarie Sculpture Garden and Arts Center  
410.326.4640  
www.annmariegarden.org

#### Maryland Lighthouse Challenge

Drum Point Lighthouse / Cove Point Lighthouse  
Calvert Marine Museum  
410.326.2042 x 41  
www.calvertmarinemuseum.com

#### Calvert County Watermen's Festival

Watermen's Wharf, Solomons  
www.calvertwatermen.org



#### War of 1812

Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum  
410.586.8501 • www.jefpat.org

#### Tavern Night

Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum  
410.586.8501 • www.jefpat.org

#### Solomons Offshore Grand Prix

Riverwalk, Solomons  
www.solomonsrace.com

#### Calvert County Fair

Calvert County Fairgrounds  
410.535.0026  
www.calvertcountyfair.com



### OCTOBER

#### Patuxent River Appreciation Days (PRAD)

Calvert Marine Museum  
410.326.2042 x 41  
www.calvertmarinemuseum.com

#### Calvert County Farm Tour

Calvert County Agriculture Commission  
www.calvertag.org

### NOVEMBER

#### Festival of Trees

Huntingtown High School  
410-535-0892  
www.calverthospice.org

### DECEMBER

#### Brightest Beacon on the Bay

Throughout Chesapeake Beach  
410-257-2230 • 301.855.0195  
www.ci.orth-beach.md.us

#### Garden in Lights

Annamarie Sculpture Garden and Arts Center  
410.326.4640  
www.annmariegarden.org

#### Solomons Christmas Walk

Solomons  
www.solomonsmaryland.com

#### Christmas on the Beach

Boardwalk, North Beach  
410-257-2230 • 301.855.0195  
www.ci.north-beach.md.us

## BEACHES

#### Bay Front Park

Chesapeake Beach  
410.257.4522  
www.chesapeake-beach.md.us

#### Breezy Point Beach & Campground

Chesapeake Beach  
410.535.0259  
www.co.cal.me.us/visitors/beaches

#### Calvert Cliff's State Park

Lusby  
301.743.7613  
www.dnr.state.md.us/publiclands/southern/calvertcliffs.html

#### Flag Ponds Nature Park

Lusby  
410.586.1477 • 301.535.5327  
www.calvertparks.org

#### North Beach Public Beach

North Beach  
410.257.9618 • 301.855.6681  
www.ci.north-beach.md.us



## TROLLEY

#### Beach Trolley

Serving Chesapeake and North Beaches from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend. Round trip every two hours. Shop, dine, visit attractions, attend community events or sightsee.  
877.777.2708  
www.beachtrolleyassociation.org