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In April, Come to Calvert for Celts, Canoeing & Concerts

PRINCE FREDERICK, Md. – March 22, 2007 – Embrace the warmer weather this month – Calvert County style. Participate in the sights, sounds and tastes of the annual Celtic Festival, paddle down Parkers Creek, or kick back and enjoy the talents of local musicians.

April 7

Spring Guided Hike

ACLT Barn, Scientist Cliffs Road, Port Republic – Enjoy a spring hike on the Gravatt East Trail. Listen to the peepers and view the first springtime flowers.

www.acltweb.org or 410-414-3400

April 14 (6:00 pm – 11:00 pm)

Springtime in London

Holiday Inn Select, Solomons – The Arts Council of Calvert County's third annual benefit art auction and dance takes you to 1960s London for a smashing time. Featuring a live art auction, silent auction, cocktails and light appetizers. \$75-\$100 per person.

www.CalvertArts.org or 410-257-7005

April 15 (3:00 pm)

Ward Virts Concert Series

College of Southern Maryland, 115 Williams Road, Prince Frederick – The Ward Virts Master Concert Series presents Alex and Lori Dean on violin and piano.

www.csmd.edu/finearts/ or 443-550-6010

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April 19 (10:00 am – 11:00 am or 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm)

Picture This! Art & Story Session

Annmarie Garden, 13480 Dowell Road, Solomons – Immerse your preschooler in a one-hour art and story session in which basic art elements, styles and techniques are explored through wonderful children's books and innovative art projects. \$5 per child ages 4-6; registration required. www.annmariegarden.org or 410-326-4640

April 21 (8:30 am – 12:00 pm)

Earth Day Celebration

ACLT Barn, Scientist Cliffs Road, Port Republic – Join ACLT staff, volunteers and other Calvert County citizens for this annual multi-community road and trail clean-up day. A wonderful way to meet your neighbors and improve our corner of the earth! Lunch will be provided to all hard working volunteers. www.acltweb.org or 410-414-3400

April 21 (9:00 am – 4:00 pm)

Calvert Country Market Spring Fling

Prince Frederick Shopping Center, Prince Frederick, www.calvertcountrymarket.com or 410-414-9669

April 27 (7:00 pm)

Community and Young Artist Concert Series

College of Southern Maryland, 115 Williams Road, Prince Frederick – Showcasing local talent and young artists in our area. www.csmd.edu/finearts/ or 443-550-6010

April 28 (1:00 pm – 4:00 pm)

Guided Canoe Trip

ACLT Warrior's Rest Sanctuary, 1920 Scientist Cliffs Road, Port Republic – Enjoy a guided scenic tour of the bucolic Parkers Creek. Reservations required. Donations appreciated. Canoe trips can be physically strenuous. www.acltweb.org or 410-414-3400

April 28 (9:00 am – 12:00 pm)

Calvert Garden Club Flower Mart

Linden on Main Street, Prince Frederick – Calvert Garden Club will be offering plants, perennials, annuals, herbs, white elephants and baked goods. www.calvertgardenclub.com or 410-586-3345 or 410-586-9353

April 28 (10:00 am – 6:00 pm)

Celtic Festival and Highland Gathering of Southern Maryland

Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum, 10515 Mackall Road, St. Leonard – Family event with Celtic music, dance and craft demonstrations; highland athletic, bagpipe, dance, fiddling and harp competitions; reenactments, kid's games, storytellers, three music stages, market place and food. www.cssm.org or 443-404-7319

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