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Amusement Blooms in Calvert County, Md., This May

PRINCE FREDERICK, Md. – April 25, 2007 – April showers bring May flowers - and fun - to Calvert County this month. The County is blooming with great family activities and opportunities to explore rivers, beaches and parks.

May 5 (7:30 am – 12:00 pm)

7th Annual Robbie Miles Memorial Family Run/Walk

Calvert Hospice, 238 Merrimac Court, Prince Frederick – The 7th Annual 10K Run/5K Run/Walk takes place in Historic Downtown Prince Frederick, with the start and finish at the Calvert Hospice office. Registration begins at 7:30 am. Run/Walk begins at 8:30 am.

www.calverthospice.org or 410-535-0892 or 301-855-1226

May 5

Twin Beach Players Presents “The Siren: A Night of Cabaret”

Union Church Ed. Building, 8912 Chesapeake Avenue, North Beach – Clare O’Shea, singer, Equity/Screen Actors Guild actor and cabaret performer returns.

www.twinbeachplayers.org or 410-257-6030

May 5 (9:00 am – 1:00 pm)

Herb & Native Plant Sale

Battle Creek Cypress Swamp, Gray’s Road, Prince Frederick – Over 30 types of herbs will be available for purchase along with cultivated native plants from Lower Marlboro Nursery. Funds raised further environmental education programs in Calvert County.

www.calvertparks.org or 410-535-5327

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May 5 (10:00 am – 5:00 pm)

Maritime Folklife Festival and Chesapeake Antique Engine Show

Calvert Marine Museum, 14200 Solomons Island Road, Solomons – One-day event will highlight classic boats and engines, as well as celebrate traditional Chesapeake Bay crafts, food, folkways, music and watercraft industries. www.calvertmarinemuseum.com or 410-326-2042

May 5 - 6 (10:00 am – 4:00 pm)

Calvert Artists' Guild May Awards Show

Annmarie Garden Gallery, 13480 Dowell Road, Solomons – Artworks by Calvert Artists' Guild members – show & sale. Artists' reception and Awards May 5th (2:00 pm – 4:00 pm). www.calvertartistsguild.org or 301-863-9663 or 410-586-2427

May 6 (Registration 7:30 am; Walk Start 9:00 am)

March of Dimes WalkAmerica

Solomons Boardwalk/Pavilion, Solomons – 1, 3 and 5-mile walk to raise funds for the prevention of premature birth, birth defects and infant mortality. www.marchofdimes.com/maryland or 301-934-2235 or 410-752-7990

May 6 (3:00 pm)

Ward Virts Concert Series

College of Southern Maryland, 115 Williams Road, Room 119, Prince Frederick – The Ward Virts Master Concert Series presents CSM's Concert Choir. www.csmd.edu/finearts/ or 443-550-6010

May 12

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May 12 (11:00 am – 2:00 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

May 12 (8:00 am – 12:00 pm)

Master Gardener Plant Sale

Calvert Country Market, Prince Frederick Shopping Center, Prince Frederick – Inexpensive native, sun-loving, shade-loving and house plants for sale to support Master Gardener public service activities. www.calvertcountrymarket.com or 410-535-3662 or 301-855-1150

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May 13 (11:00 am – 1:00 pm)

Mother's Day Brunch Cruise

Calvert Marine Museum, 14200 Solomons Island Road, Solomons – Special Mother's Day brunch on board the Wm. B. Tennison. Reservations required.

www.calvertmarinemuseum.com or 410-326-2042

May 13 (5:00 pm – 7:00 pm)

Mother's Day Evening Cruise

Calvert Marine Museum, 14200 Solomons Island Road, Solomons – Bring mom or that special someone for a nice evening on board the Wm. B. Tennison. Food provided. Reservations required. www.calvertmarinemuseum.com or 410-326-2042

May 15 (1:00 pm – 2:00 pm)

Police Memorial

Calvert Pines Senior Center, 450 West Dares Beach Road North, Prince Frederick – This event is a small way to honor the local law enforcement's dedication to public service. This event is open to the public. 410-535-4606

May 18 (10:00 am – 5:00 pm)

International Museum Day

Calvert Marine Museum, 14200 Solomons Island Road, Solomons – Open house to all museum sites in observance of this worldwide day of celebration. Free admission.

www.calvertmarinemuseum.com or 410-326-2042

May 18 (9:00 pm – end)

Night Golf Tournament

Mellomar Golf Course, 6215 Scaggs Road, Owings. Sponsored by Calvert County Parks and Rec. and Calvert Alliance Against Substance Abuse. Net proceeds benefit Project Graduation! 4-person teams. Captain's Choice/Best Ball. 1st & 2nd Place prizes.

www.co.cal.md.us/residents/health/caasa/ or 410-535-3733

May 19 (7:30 pm – 9:30 pm)

COSMIC Symphony Presents Season Finale 2007

Huntingtown High School, 4125 North Solomons Island Road, Huntingtown – Concert will include Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue," Strauss' "Pizzicato Polka" and visual arts display, a gallery of student art interpreting Berlioz's "Symphonie Fantastique."

www.cosmicmusic.org or 301-373-5277

May 19 (11:00 am – 4:00 pm)

Mind Body Spirit Day

Annmarie Garden, 13480 Dowell Road, Solomons – Experience a day of free therapies such as massage, reiki, yoga, drumming, walking a labyrinth and more. Co-hosted with CMH Healthy Alternatives, this event introduces visitors to various approaches to leading healthier lives.

www.annmariegarden.org or 410-326-4640

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May 21 (12:30 pm to 3:30 pm)
Spring Family Fun Day

Chesapeake Beach Railway Museum, 4155 Mears Avenue, Chesapeake Beach – Speed & Thro Magic Show – 1:00 pm; Julie Rogers Studio of Dance – 2:00 pm; treasure hunt, crafts and turn-of-the-century games. www.cbrm.org or 410-257-3892

For more information on the Calvert County, Md., Department of Economic Development, our visitor sites and attractions and the services available to assist County businesses, call 410.535.4583, 800.331.9771 or 301.855.1880; send an e-mail to info@ecalvert.com, or visit our Web site www.ecalvert.com.

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