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# News Release

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### September in Calvert County, Maryland

**PRINCE FREDERICK, Md. – August 22, 2008** – Even though the kids are back in school and summer officially ends this month, the fun doesn't have to stop. In Calvert County, September is full of festivals, fairs and plenty of outdoor activities.

#### **September 6 (9:00 am – 12:00 noon)**

##### **Arboretum Maintenance Day**

*American Chestnut Land Trust, Warrior's Rest Sanctuary, 1920 Scientists Cliffs Road, Port Republic. Join ACLT staff and volunteers as we work to maintain this majestic and historic arboretum with many unusual varieties of trees and hollies. Projects for the day range from pruning, mulching, clipping and mowing. [www.acltweb.org](http://www.acltweb.org) or 410-414-3400*

#### **September 7 (5:00 – 7:00 pm)**

##### **Annual Dinner Cruise Aboard the Tennison**

*Calvert Marine Museum, 14200 Solomons Island Road, Solomons. Enjoy the annual dinner cruise with crab cakes, a Southern Maryland favorite. Tickets are \$25 per person. [www.calvertmarinemuseum.com](http://www.calvertmarinemuseum.com) or 410-326-2042 ext. 41*

#### **September 20-21 (10:00 am – 5:00 pm)**

##### **North American War of 1812 Grand Tactical**

*Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum, 10515 Mackall Road, St. Leonard. Held at locations throughout the United States and Canada, the War of 1812 Grand Tactical is one of the largest international reenactments to be held in North America. Living history right before your eyes. Encampments, skirmishes, battles and more. [www.jefpat.org](http://www.jefpat.org) or 410-586-8501*

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### **September 20-21 (8:00 am – 6:00 pm)**

#### **Lighthouse Challenge**

*Calvert Marine Museum, 14200 Solomons Island Road, Solomons. How many lighthouses can you see in two days? Sponsored by the Chesapeake Chapter U.S. Lighthouse Society.*

[www.cheslights.org](http://www.cheslights.org)

### **September 20-21 (10:00 am – 5:00 pm)**

#### **Artsfest '08**

*Annamarie Garden, 13480 Dowell Road, Solomons. Recognized as Southern Maryland's finest outdoor arts festival, Artsfest offers a weekend of art, music, food, wine, fine brews and free art activities for all ages. [www.annmariegarden.org](http://www.annmariegarden.org) or 410-326-4640*

### **September 24-28 (Call for times)**

#### **Calvert County Fair**

*Calvert County Fairgrounds, 140 Calvert Fair Drive, Barstow. Learn about the rich legacy of rural America and support preservation of our agricultural heritage.*

[www.calvertcountyfair.com](http://www.calvertcountyfair.com) or 410-535-0026

### **September 28 (7:30 am – Kids Fun Run; 8:00 am – 5K)**

#### **Friends of CBL Run for Research 5K**

*Chesapeake Biological Laboratory, Charles Street, Solomons. Runners, walkers, families and science lovers come for a 5K run/walk starting at the Chesapeake Biological Laboratory.*

*Proceeds will provide scholarship funds for graduate students who work on Chesapeake Bay-related environmental problems. Registration on Web site. [www.cbl.umces.edu](http://www.cbl.umces.edu) or 410-326-7242*

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