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Newport News Attractions Operating Hours

Endview Plantation Thursday-Saturday 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. 757-887-1862
Lee Hall Depot Saturday 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. 757-888-3371
Lee Hall Mansion Thursday-Saturday 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. 757-888-3371
The Mariners' Museum and Park Daily 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. 757-596-2222
The Newsome House Museum and Cultural Center 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. 757-247-2360
Virginia Living Museum Daily 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. 757-595-1900
Virginia War Museum Thursday-Saturday 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. 757-247-8523

Call to confirm operating hours prior to visiting.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK
JANUARY 6- 12, 2022

SPECIAL EVENTS AND PERFORMANCES AT NEWPORT NEWS ATTRACTIONS AND PERFORMING ARTS VENUES

JANUARY 7TH

HAMPTON ROADS HISTORY LECTURE: DIVERSITY AMONG VIRGINIA LIGHTHOUSE KEEPERS

The Mariners' Museum and Park
January 7; 12 p.m.

IN PERSON AND LIVE STREAMED: This Hampton Roads History lecture will take place in person in the McMullen classroom at the Museum and live streamed to a virtual audience simultaneously. Join us for an fascinating lecture with educator and author Benn Trask as he highlights the diverse community of Virginia lighthouse keepers who hailed from many socioeconomic backgrounds to serve their communities beyond their duty as guardians of the lights. About the presentation: From the 1850s to the 1920s, the Greater Hampton Roads area light keepers included not only "old salts," but married couples, women, immigrants, and formerly enslaved persons who contributed to their communities beyond their being guardians of

the lights. Learn about the African American lighthouse keepers who served in the Virginia General Assembly, and discover the maritime communities of Mathews County and the Outer Banks that produced scores of keepers and crew members who served on the lighthouse tenders of the USCG's old Fifth District. Benjamin (Benn) Trask, a former curator and librarian at The Mariners' Museum, currently teaches social studies at Gildersleeve Middle School in Newport News. His book on lighthouses of southeastern Virginia will be published by History Press in 2022, and will feature images from The Mariners' Museum Collection. 100 Museum Drive, 757-596-8175. Click [here](#) for more information.

COLIN MOCHRIE & BRAD SHERWOOD

Ferguson Center for the Arts

January 7; 8 p.m.

Armed with only their wits, "Whose Line is it Anyway?" stars Colin Mochrie and Brad Sherwood are taking to the live stage and they're ... Scared Scriptless. Prepare to laugh yourself senseless as improv comedy masterminds Colin and Brad must make up original scenes, songs and more from whatever you, the fans, suggest! You just might also get to join in on the fun on stage. It's a hilarious comedic high wire act ... just like a live version of 'Whose Line!' How the heck do they do it? We don't know either! Don't miss the best duo in improv in the "Colin Mochrie & Brad Sherwood: Scared Scriptless Tour." 1 Avenue of the Arts, 757-594-8752. Click [here](#) for more information.

JANUARY 8TH

OH DEER!

Newport News Park

January 8; 10 a.m.

White-tailed deer are some of the most visible and beloved animals in Newport News Park. They are often seen slowly grazing or even leaping their way through the Park's woods and open areas. Bring your family to learn more about white-tailed deer, including their survival adaptations, what they eat throughout the year, and the life of their young fawns. Come join us at the Discovery Center! 13560 Jefferson Avenue, 757-886-7976. Click [here](#) for more information.

JANUARY 9TH

FRIENDLY HOURS

The Mariners' Museum and Park

January 9; 9 a.m.

Have a family member, friend, or loved one who needs a tailored museum experience? Join us for Friendly Hours on the second Sunday of each month! Friendly Hours is an inclusive time reserved for guests, including those with mobility, cognitive, or physical challenges, who prefer to experience the Museum in a quieter, less crowded environment with reduced sound and lighting. Safety protocols also take precedent during this time to ensure all guests, volunteers and our Museum team are protected. Space is limited, and we encourage you to purchase advance tickets online so we know that you are coming for this unique program. 100 Museum Drive, 757-596-8175. Click [here](#) for more information.

RESTAURANTS AND CLUB

KARL WERNE

Hilton Tavern Brewing Company

January 6; 6 p.m.

10184 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 873-2337

www.facebook.com/HiltonTavernBC

OPEN MIC

Cozy's Comedy Club & Tavern

January 6; 8 p.m.

9700 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 595-2800

www.cozys.com

JAZZ FRIDAY

The Train Station

January 7; 6 p.m.

2295 Harbor Road

(757) 247-7512

www.thetrainstation757.com

RICH RIDOLFINO

Hilton Tavern Brewing Company

January 7; 6 p.m.

10184 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 873-2337

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ANTHONY ROSANO

Good Vibes

December 7; 8 p.m.

11800 Merchants Walk, Suite 100

757-782-2304

www.goodvibesva.com

DOUBLE HEADLINERS

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January 7 & 8; 8 p.m.

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www.goodvibesva.com

JAZZ BRUNCH

Good Vibes

January 9; 11 a.m.

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TEXAS HOLD'EM

Cozy's Comedy Club & Tavern

January 9; 8 p.m.

9700 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 595-2800

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MONDAYS MATTER

Tradition Brewing Co.

January 10; 5 p.m.

700 Thimble Shoals Boulevard

(757) 592-9393

www.traditionbrewing.com

RUSTY ANCEL

Hilton Tavern Brewing Company

January 11; 6 p.m.

10184 Warwick Boulevard

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BOB WILSON

Hilton Tavern Brewing Company

January 12; 6 p.m.

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