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**WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK**  
**SEPTEMBER 15 - 21, 2023**  
**SPECIAL EVENTS AT NEWPORT NEWS ATTRACTIONS & VENUES**

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**SEPTEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup>**

**5K ON THE RUNWAY**

**Newport News/Williamsburg Airport, 900 Bland Blvd.**

**September 16; 8 a.m.**

Runners, prepare for take-off! Newport News/Williamsburg Airport's 5K on the Runway is back and bigger than ever. Lace up your shoes to see the airport like you've never seen it before; race on airport taxiways and runways for a one-of-a-kind experience. The 5K on the Runway begins at 8 a.m. Runners and walkers of all ages are invited to participate and strollers are permitted. In addition to the 5K on the Runway, a "Taxiway Takeoff Junior Run," begins at 9:30 a.m. The event also includes a live DJ, food and drinks from local vendors, inflatables, games for all ages, and a post-race party.

Click [here](#) for details and to register.

**HILTON VILLAGE FARMERS MARKET**

**Historic Hilton Village**

**September 16; 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.**

Local farmers, fishermen and bakers share their goods every Saturday year-round in Historic Hilton Village (with the exception of Saturday, Dec. 30, 2023, when it will be closed). For details, click [here](#).

**DENBIGH DAY PARADE AND FESTIVAL**

**Courthouse Way Community Center, 14302 Old Courthouse Way**

**September 16; 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

The official 63<sup>rd</sup> Annual Denbigh Day Parade and Festival includes a parade, live music, games, educational displays, photo ops, arts & crafts vendors, a petting zoo, children's train rides, amusements, food vendors and more! The parade starts at 10 a.m. sharp. Filled with fanfare, approximately 60 parade units and more than 1,200 participants begin the march from Denbigh High School to skip and flip their way to the festival grounds at Courthouse Way Community Center, 14302 Old Courthouse Way. The parade includes a variety of cheerful marching bands from area high schools, decked-out vehicles, decorated floats, dance teams and little leaguers, to name just a few. For details, click [here](#).

## **WARWICK COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY OPEN HOUSE: AN APPOINTMENT WITH HISTORY**

**1810 Warwick Courthouse, 14421 Old Courthouse Way**

**September 16; 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

Join friends and family for a FREE open house at the historic 1810 Warwick County Courthouse and Museum, located at 14421 Old Courthouse Way. Visitors are welcome between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. for courthouse tours and to learn the history of Warwick County. Shortly after the establishment of the settlement at Jamestown in 1607, English settlers explored and began settling the areas adjacent to Hampton Roads. Warwick's rich history dates back to its creation in the Virginia colony in 1634.

## **OH DEER!**

**Newport News Park Discovery Center**

**September 16; 11 a.m. & 2 p.m.**

White-tailed deer are some of the most visible and beloved animals in Newport News Park, and 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. For more information, click [here](#).

## **GREAT FOOD TRUCK FESTIVAL**

**Centura College, 616 Denbigh Blvd.**

**September 16; Noon to 6 p.m.**

Calling all Foodies! Join Lux Events as they host and produce their 6th Annual Great Food Truck Festival. Enjoy more than 20 food and dessert truck vendors, exhibitors, retail vendors, live performances, activities for the kids, cash prizes, and more!

General admission (12pm-6pm) is \$7.75 (includes a .75-cent transaction fee) per person ages 6 & up. Children 5 and under admitted free. V.I.P. admission (11am-12pm) is \$10.75 (includes .75-cent transaction fee) and a raffle ticket for a chance to win one of five \$100 cash prizes awarded at 12:05 pm at the DJ Booth (must be present to win). Guest Judges, Vice Mayor Curtis Bethany III, Local Chef Leeandra Epps aka Chef Dro, and 97.3 The Eagle's Morning Show Host Annaliese will be sampling items from each food vendor from 3 to 3:30 pm at the Red Tent by the DJ Booth. Guest Judges will determine which participating food vendor will receive the Best of 2023 Award! Enjoy an assortment of delicious cuisine from food trucks

and food tent vendors. Also, satisfy your sweet tooth with delicious sweets and treats. Click [here](#) for details.

## **KIWANIS 12<sup>TH</sup> PENINSULA SEAFOOD FESTIVAL** **Saints Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Church**

**September 16; 2 to 5:30 p.m.**

Bring your lawn chairs to this fun filled event with all All-U-Can-Eat seafood, BBQ, adult beverages, live music by SLAPNATION BAND, raffles, silent auction, door prizes and more! \$65 per person, rain or shine. The money raised from the Kiwanis 12<sup>th</sup> Peninsula Seafood Festival supports services for children in the communities served by the Kiwanis Clubs of Division 13. To support the VA Peninsula Foodbank, guests should bring canned goods and non-perishable items to help build a “Can Art” sculpture. For details, click [here](#).

## **SEPTEMBER 17<sup>TH</sup>**

### **BIRD WALK**

**Newport News Park**

**September 17; 7 a.m.**

The Hampton Roads Bird Club has monitored the bird population of Newport News Park since 1965. Join club volunteers in the Picnic Area I parking lot every first and third Sunday of the month for some early morning birding. Be prepared to car pool to several areas in the park. Beginners are welcome. Binoculars and field guides are recommended. Free. For details, click [here](#).

## **SEPTEMBER 20<sup>TH</sup>**

### **CITY CENTER FARMERS MARKET**

**City Center at Oyster Point**

**September 20; 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

Join us each Wednesday through Oct. 25 at City Center for fresh, healthy, farm-to-table choices! Fresh produce, eggs, jams and other local treats will be available for purchase. While in City Center, shop and dine at a variety of restaurants and unique stores. Click [here](#) for details.

### **QUACKERY, SNAKE OIL AND PATENT MEDICINES**

**Warwick Courthouse, 14421 Old Courthouse Way**

**September 20; 12 p.m.**

A fun-filled and yet unbelievable history of cures and treatments over the years, showcasing some historic medical misfires and malpractices as well as some “treatments” predicated on a range of clueless-ness, trial-and-error and straight-up scams. Speaker Jennifer England will offer a traveling medicine show highlighting items from The Isle of Wight County Museum’s collection. Click [here](#) for details.

## **September 21<sup>st</sup>**

### **FITNESS AT THE FOUNTAIN: HIIT**

**City Center at Oyster Point**

**September 21; 5:15 to 6 p.m.**

Are you ready for an outdoor high-intensity workout that will leave you feeling strong and energized? Join us for "Fitness at the Fountain: HIIT" at City Center at Oyster Point! Through September 28, come out every Thursday evening for a free heart-pumping HIIT class that will challenge and inspire you. We're thrilled to announce that we've partnered with the incredible Tradition Brewing Company to offer a special bonus to all class participants 21+ years old: one free beer ticket per person to redeem at Tradition Brewing Co. following the class (beer tickets must be redeemed that day). Don't miss this opportunity to sweat, connect, and achieve your fitness goals in the heart of City Center. Classes will take place on the grass between the Langley Federal Credit Union and Ferguson buildings. Must be 18+ years to participate and 21+ years to receive a beer ticket (valid ID required). For details, click [here](#).

### **BELA FLECK & GERSHWIN**

**Ferguson Center for the Arts**

**September 21; 7:30 p.m.**

The incredibly virtuosic banjo superstar Bela Fleck joins the orchestra for an audience favorite...with a twist! Performing his new arrangement of Rhapsody in Blue on banjo, Bela's endless curiosity for combining genres will surely surprise and delight. Add in a few other American greats like Ellington and Porter, finish off with an epic Bolero, and you have a recipe for a concert you won't soon forget! Click [here](#) for details.

## **CONTINUING**

### **BUTTERFLY HAVEN EXHIBIT**

**Virginia Living Museum**

**Continues through September 24**

More than 450 butterflies and moths, as well as dozens of chrysalis, are now part of the Butterfly Haven exhibit at the Virginia Living Museum. This exhibit allows guests to be up close and personal with a variety of native butterflies and see them in all stages of life – from egg to caterpillar to chrysalis to butterfly. The Butterfly Haven will soon also have the endangered Monarch butterfly. Click [here](#) for details.

### **THE POSSIBILITIES OF PAPER**

**Torggler Fine Arts Center at Christopher Newport University**

**Continues through October 15**

Featuring 13 U.S. and Canadian artists who layer, suspend, cut, collage, weave, fold, scatter, and pattern paper to stunning effect. Additionally, several artists have reimagined common paper products like books, piñatas, maps, and paper plates to create surprising new identities for everyday objects. Located in the Anne Noland Edwards Gallery, this

exhibition offers a glimpse of current trends in contemporary paper-based art. For details, click here or call 757-594-0800.

## **ART IS AGELESS: WORKS BY LIFELONG LEARNING SOCIETY MEMBERS**

**Torggler Fine Arts Center at Christopher Newport University**

**Continues through October 15**

The Torggler is pleased to present its first exhibition of works by members of Christopher Newport University's LifeLong Learning Society (LLS). LLS is a membership organization dedicated to people of retirement age who seek opportunities for learning in an environment of sharing and fellowship. As part of this mission, LLS offers art classes and programs in art history. For this exhibition, LLS members were invited to submit up to two works of art in any medium. Join us to celebrate the contributing artists and the lifelong creativity they have embraced! For details, call 757-594-0800.

## **THE MAGICAL WORLD OF PAPER KIMONOS**

**Torggler Fine Arts Center at Christopher Newport University**

**Continues through October 15**

Caroline Garrett Hardy, a former CNU instructor, displays handcrafted works in the shape of kimonos, a Japanese item of clothing that lends an Asian flair to the collection and also provides a large, relatively open canvas on which the artist can work. Each kimono contains one or more themes, each suggested by Hardy's imagination and triggered by current events, ancient history, scientific developments, random videos, or anything else she encounters. Taking her cue from a chosen theme and the staggering variety of papers available from the globe's different cultures, Hardy builds her own artistic worlds in these richly colorful and intricately designed works of art. For details, call 757-594-0800.

## **RESTAURANTS, BREWERIES AND CLUBS**

### **LANE RICE**

**1700 Brewing**

**September 15; 5 p.m.**

11838 Canon Boulevard, Suite 400

(757) 782-5941

[www.1700brewing.beer.com](http://www.1700brewing.beer.com)

### **RICH RIDOLFINO**

**Hilton Tavern Brewing Company**

**September 15; 7 p.m.**

10184 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 873-2337

[www.hiltontavernbrewingco.com](http://www.hiltontavernbrewingco.com)

### **SOUL INTENT**

**Cove Tavern**

**September 15; 7 p.m.**

711 Town Center Drive

(757) 596-1830

[www.covetavern.com](http://www.covetavern.com)

**ALEX ELKIN**

**Cozy's Comedy Club**

**September 15; 8 p.m.**

12567 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 599-4144

[www.cozys.com](http://www.cozys.com)

**BEN LONG**

**Schooners Grill**

**September 15; 8 p.m.**

12567 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 599-4144

[www.schoonersgrill.com](http://www.schoonersgrill.com)

**RIOTT**

**Hoss's Deli**

**September 15; 8 p.m.**

806 Old Oyster Point Road

(757) 596-9104

[www.hosssdeli.com/.com](http://www.hosssdeli.com/.com)

**DJ FRIDAYS**

**Manhattan's NY Deli & Pub**

**September 15; 9 p.m.**

601 Thimble Shoals Boulevard

(757) 873-0555

[www.manhattansdeli.com](http://www.manhattansdeli.com)

**LATIN DANCE PARTY**

**Salsa's Mexican Grill**

**September 15; 11 p.m.**

704 Mariners Row

(757) 590-6080

[www.salsasmexicangrill.net](http://www.salsasmexicangrill.net)

**YOGA AND A PINT**

**Coastal Fermentory**

**September 16; 10:45 a.m.**

206 23<sup>rd</sup> Street

[www.coastalfermentory.com](http://www.coastalfermentory.com)

**BEN LONG**

**1700 Brewing**

**September 16; 5 p.m.**

11838 Canon Boulevard, Suite 400

(757) 782-5941

[www.1700brewing.beer.com](http://www.1700brewing.beer.com)

**CHRIS RIDE**

**Coastal Fermentory**

**September 15; 5 p.m.**

206 23<sup>rd</sup> Street

[www.coastalfermentory.com](http://www.coastalfermentory.com)

**LANE RICE**

**Coastal Fermentory**

**September 16; 5 p.m.**

206 23<sup>rd</sup> Street

[www.coastalfermentory.com](http://www.coastalfermentory.com)

**CROWBAR AND ERIC**

**Cove Tavern**

**September 16; 6 p.m.**

711 Town Center Drive

(757) 596-1830

[www.covetavern.com](http://www.covetavern.com)

**PATRICK RYAN**

**Smoke BBQ**

**September 16; 6 p.m.**

10900 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 595-4320

[www.smokenn.com](http://www.smokenn.com)

**JIM MASTERS**

**Hilton Tavern Brewing Company**

**September 16; 7 p.m.**

10184 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 873-2337

[www.hiltontavernbrewingco.com](http://www.hiltontavernbrewingco.com)

**TEAM TRIVIA**

**Manhattan's NY Deli & Pub**

**September 16; 7 p.m.**

601 Thimble Shoals Boulevard

(757) 873-0555

[www.manhattansdeli.com](http://www.manhattansdeli.com)

**ALEX ELKIN**

**Cozzy's Comedy Club**

**September 16; 8 p.m.**

12567 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 599-4144

[www.cozzys.com](http://www.cozzys.com)

## **REBEL SOUL**

**Hoss's Deli**

**September 16; 8 p.m.**

806 Old Oyster Point Road  
(757) 596-9104

[www.hosssdeli.com/.com](http://www.hosssdeli.com/.com)

## **DJ SATURDAYS**

**Manhattan's NY Deli & Pub**

**September 16; 9 p.m.**

601 Thimble Shoals Boulevard  
(757) 873-0555

[www.manhattansdeli.com](http://www.manhattansdeli.com)

## **LATIN DANCE PARTY**

**Salsa's Mexican Grill**

**September 16; 10:30 p.m.**

704 Mariners Row # 110  
(757) 590-6080

[www.salsasmexicangrill.net](http://www.salsasmexicangrill.net)

## **LANE RICE**

**Smoke BBQ**

**September 17; 1 p.m.**

10900 Warwick Boulevard  
(757) 595-4320

[www.smokenn.com](http://www.smokenn.com)

## **TEXAS HOLD 'EM**

**Cozzy's Comedy Club & Tavern**

**September 17; 1 p.m.**

9700 Warwick Boulevard  
(757) 595-2800

[www.cozzys.com](http://www.cozzys.com)

## **YOGA/SUNDAY CHILL**

**1700 Brewing**

**September 17; 1 p.m.**

11838 Canon Boulevard, Suite 400  
(757) 782-5941

[www.1700brewing.beer.com](http://www.1700brewing.beer.com)

## **PHONKEE LES AND CATFISH**

**Nest Kitchen and Taphouse**

**September 17; 5 p.m.**

1003 Brick Kiln Blvd  
(757) 988-8585

[www.breakfasttobeer.com](http://www.breakfasttobeer.com)



## **DOUBLE TIME MONDAYS GROUP RUN**

**1700 Brewing**

**September 18; 6 p.m.**

11838 Canon Boulevard, Suite 400

(757) 782-5941

[www.1700brewing.beer.com](http://www.1700brewing.beer.com)

## **MUSIC BINGO**

**Tradition Brewing Co.**

**September 18; 7 p.m.**

700 Thimble Shoals Boulevard

(757) 592-9393

[www.traditionbrewing.com](http://www.traditionbrewing.com)

## **JAN AND FELICIA**

**Hoss's Deli**

**September 18; 8 p.m.**

806 Old Oyster Point Road

(757) 596-9104

[www.hosssdeli.com/.com](http://www.hosssdeli.com/.com)

## **KARAOKE**

**Salsa's Mexican Grill**

**September 19; 6 p.m.**

704 Mariners Row

(757) 590-6080

[www.salsasmexicangrill.net](http://www.salsasmexicangrill.net)

## **OPEN MIC NIGHT WITH ZACH & MEGAN MOATS**

**Hilton Tavern Brewing Company**

**September 19; 6 p.m.**

10184 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 873-2337

[www.hiltontavernbrewingco.com](http://www.hiltontavernbrewingco.com)

## **TUESDAY TRIVIA**

**Coastal Fermentory**

**September 19; 7 p.m.**

206 23<sup>rd</sup> Street

[www.coastalfermentory.com](http://www.coastalfermentory.com)

## **DRINK BEER & DO GOOD**

**Coastal Fermentory**

**September 20; 5 p.m.**

206 23<sup>rd</sup> Street

[www.coastalfermentory.com](http://www.coastalfermentory.com)

## **BURN AND BREW WEDNESDAY**

**Tradition Brewing Co.**

**September 20; 6 p.m.**

700 Thimble Shoals Boulevard

(757) 592-9393

[www.traditionbrewing.com](http://www.traditionbrewing.com)

## **KARAOKE**

**Manhattan's NY Deli & Pub**

**September 20; 7 p.m.**

601 Thimble Shoals Boulevard

(757) 873-0555

[www.manhattansdeli.com](http://www.manhattansdeli.com)

## **RUSTY ANCEL**

**Hilton Tavern Brewing Company**

**September 20; 7 p.m.**

10184 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 873-2337

[www.hiltontavernbrewingco.com](http://www.hiltontavernbrewingco.com)

## **TRIVIA**

**Tradition Brewing Co.**

**September 20; 7 p.m.**

700 Thimble Shoals Boulevard

(757) 592-9393

[www.traditionbrewing.com](http://www.traditionbrewing.com)

## **THE CLUE**

**Hoss's Deli**

**September 20; 8 p.m.**

806 Old Oyster Point Road

(757) 596-9104

[www.hosssdeli.com/](http://www.hosssdeli.com/)

## **BOB WILSON**

**Hilton Tavern Brewing Company**

**September 21; 6 p.m.**

10184 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 873-2337

[www.hiltontavernbrewingco.com](http://www.hiltontavernbrewingco.com)

## **CHRIS RIDE**

**Smoke BBQ**

**September 21; 6 p.m.**

10900 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 595-4320

[www.smokenn.com](http://www.smokenn.com)

## **KARAOKE**

**Salsa's Mexican Grill**

**September 21; 6 p.m.**

704 Mariners Row

(757) 590-6080

[www.salsasmexicangrill.net](http://www.salsasmexicangrill.net)

## **RED STAPLER DUO**

**Cove Tavern**

**September 21; 6 p.m.**

711 Town Center Drive

(757) 596-1830

[www.covetavern.com](http://www.covetavern.com)

## **MUSIC BINGO**

**Coastal Fermentory**

**September 21; 7 p.m.**

206 23<sup>rd</sup> Street

[www.coastalfermentory.com](http://www.coastalfermentory.com)

## **OPEN MIC WITH AUSTIN MILBY**

**Cure Coffeehouse**

**September 21; 7 p.m.**

706 Town Center Drive

[www.curecoffeehouse.com](http://www.curecoffeehouse.com)

## **THEMED TRIVIA**

**1700 Brewing**

**September 21; 7 p.m.**

11838 Canon Boulevard, Suite 400

(757) 782-5941

[www.1700brewing.beer.com](http://www.1700brewing.beer.com)

## **COMEDY OPEN MIC**

**Cozy's Comedy Club & Tavern**

**September 21; 8 p.m.**

9700 Warwick Boulevard

(757) 595-2800

[www.cozys.com](http://www.cozys.com)

## **REGGAE NIGHT**

**Manhattan's NY Deli & Pub**

**September 21; 10 p.m.**

601 Thimble Shoals Boulevard

(757) 873-0555

[www.manhattansdeli.com](http://www.manhattansdeli.com)