Day One

Morning
- Start your day at The Mariners’ Museum, the largest maritime museum in North America. It is home to the USS Monitor Center, where artifacts recovered from the wreck of the Civil War ironclad are preserved.

Afternoon
- Enjoy the freshest catch-of-the-day at The Crab Shack for breathtaking views of the James River, where you may see our local watermen working the river.
- Take a stroll and shop in quaint Historic Hilton Village, built during World War I to accommodate the influx of Newport News Shipyard workers.
- Stop in at the Virginia War Museum, where America’s wars from 1775 to the present come to life.
- Head downtown to check out the tugboat Dorothy, the first ship built by Newport News Shipbuilding in 1891.
- Make your way to the Victory Arch, which has paid tribute to our military heroes since 1919, and to Victory Landing Park, where it’s possible to see an aircraft carrier docked for overhaul or ships unloading cargo from abroad.
- Indulge in fine dining at Circa 1918 for mouthwatering farm-to-table meals and fresh seafood paired with outstanding wines.
- Possibly catch a touring Broadway show or other exciting performance at Christopher Newport University’s spectacular Ferguson Center for the Arts.

Day Two

Morning
- Spend the morning at the Virginia Living Museum and meet the many sea creatures who live in our local waters, from the Chesapeake Bay and the Great Dismal Swamp to the Atlantic Ocean.

Afternoon
- Have lunch at Craft 60 Ale House, where every dish is not just homemade; it’s handcrafted. While there, check out the extensive specialty and craft beer list.
- Enjoy a scenic harbor cruise aboard the Miss Hampton II in Hampton to see the famous Hampton Roads harbor, site of the Civil War Battle of the Ironclads.
- Finish off the night with dinner at Travinia Italian Kitchen & Wine Bar and a movie at Paragon City Center 12, complete with leather reclining seats (with foot rests) and an extensive collection of craft beers and wines!

Day Three
- Visit the Mermaid Winery in Norfolk, then check out the Battleship Wisconsin, the largest and last battleship ever built by the U.S. Navy, and Nauticus, the National Maritime Center.
• Head down to the Virginia Beach Oceanfront to stroll along the Boardwalk and climb Cape Henry Lighthouse for a breathtaking view of the Atlantic Ocean and the Chesapeake Bay.
• Carve out some time to enjoy an Orange Crush at Waterman’s Surfside Grille as you sip, savor and “sea” the Virginia Beach Oceanfront!