

## **ALL EVENTS \$1 OR FREE**

We have an app!

### **Where in Annapolis?**

#### **The Official Mobile App Guide to Maryland Day 2025.**

This interactive mobile app guide has up-to-the-minute information for all events. The app includes Annapolis Quest, an augmented reality scavenger hunt in Annapolis, beginning at the Visitors Center at 26 West Street.

Download for free in the Apple App store or Google Play store.

Click here: <https://whereinannapolis.com/>

### **Annapolis Maritime Museum and Park - Museum Campus**

10am - 3pm Free

723 Second Street, Annapolis, 21403

<https://amaritime.org/>

Come join our craft table, where you will learn about the wide variety of wildlife found in the Chesapeake Bay and how they impact life in Annapolis. Create your own creature from reusable materials to take home with you.

### **Anne Arundel County Department of Recreation and Parks**

Sunrise to Sunset Free

<https://aarecparks.org/MDDay>

Explore Anne Arundel County's Natural and Cultural Heritage Parks and Sites during the Maryland Day Celebration weekend.

#### **Historic Parks and Heritage sites:**

Hancock's Resolution

Historic Linthicum Walks

Historic London Town and Gardens

Farmhouse Museum at Kinder Farm Park

Hot Sox Field

Natural areas:

Bacon Ridge Natural Area

Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary

Magothy Greenway Natural Area

Patuxent Oxbow Area

<https://www.aacounty.org/recreation-parks/parks/natural-cultural-areas>

### **Banneker - Douglass - Tubman Museum**

10 am - 4 pm Free

84 Franklin Street, Annapolis MD 21401

<https://bdmuseum.maryland.gov/>

The museum dedicated to the history and culture of African Americans, notably Benjamin Banneker, Frederick Douglass and Harriet Tubman.

And in the main gallery join BDTM for a dive into the powerful work of artist Jabari Jefferson as he brings Maryland's Black history to life through transformed discarded materials and digital technology in an exhibit titled 'Sacred Spaces'.

### **Blacks of the Chesapeake**

Virtual presentation

<https://blacksofthechesapeake.wildapricot.org/>

Join us as we honor the incredible contributions of Black Watermen and Women of the Chesapeake Bay's maritime and seafood processing industries. Our virtual experience will feature a series of videos and posts that highlight their vital role in shaping our history and communities. We will also highlight our late founder and CEO, Vincent Leggett, Admiral of the Chesapeake, and demonstrate how his

vision continues through us as we advance the Blacks of the Chesapeake Foundation forward.

Event link here: [Celebrate Black Watermen & Women this Maryland Day Weekend! | Facebook](#)

### **Chase Home - Chase-Lloyd House**

11 am - 5 pm Free

22 Maryland Avenue, Annapolis, MD 21401

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

Tours of this historic home and hear the story of the Chase Home's dependency (kitchen annex) as well as the Slave History, architecture and archeology. Learn about the life of Samuel Chase and the 200th anniversary of the Marquis de Lafayette's final tour when he visited the Chase Home on December 19th, 1824.

### **Historic Annapolis - Waterfront Warehouse**

10am - 5pm Free

Waterfront Warehouse – 4 Pinkney Street Annapolis, MD 21401

<https://www.annapolis.org/about-us/properties/>

Visit a rare surviving example of a small Annapolis waterfront warehouse from the 18th century.

Today

you'll discover the model of our city, circa the late 18th century, featuring a birds-eye view of the historic landscape.

### **Historic Annapolis - William Paca Garden**

10am - 5pm \$1 Admission

William Paca Garden, 186 Prince George Street Annapolis, MD 21401

<https://www.annapolis.org/contact/william-paca-garden/>

Visit the William Paca Garden and explore a secret oasis of natural beauty nestled in the heart of Annapolis. This colonial garden, hidden behind the William Paca House, has been reconstructed to its original design featuring a terraced landscape with formal parterres, naturalistic wilderness, and practical kitchen and medicinal gardens.

### **Historic London Town and Gardens**

10am - 4pm Free

839 Londontown Road, Edgewater MD 21037

[www.historiclondontown.org/marylandday](http://www.historiclondontown.org/marylandday)

Immerse yourself in the past and take in the spring splendor of our gardens this Maryland Day weekend at Historic London Town & Gardens. Join in tours to hear stories about the colonial port town and learn about the variety of plants that grow in our 10-acre woodland gardens. Meet with living history interpreters dressed in colonial clothing, explore our exhibit space and participate in family friendly activities.

### **Kuethe Library - Ann Arrundell County Historical Society**

5 Crain Hwy, SE, Glen Burnie, MD 21061

10 am - 4 pm Free

<https://aachs.org/>

Join us at the Kuethe Genealogical Research Library for two days of FREE research assistance by our helpful volunteers. Lots of maps, records, and books to look through. We have multiple computers for on-line look-ups.

### **Maryland Federation of Art**

11 am - 5 pm Free

18 State Circle, Annapolis, MD 21401

[mdfedart.com](http://mdfedart.com)

MFA is offering 10% off any artwork by a Maryland artist. Come to Circle Gallery to see the current exhibition. For online purchases, please call Circle Gallery at 410-268-4566 and we will process the sale over the phone to give you're the discount.

## **Maryland League of Conservation Voters Education Fund**

Friday @ 2 pm - 3 pm tour the Maryland State House 3 - 6 Open house Free

**[www.marylandconservation.org](http://www.marylandconservation.org)**

Maryland LCVEF Offices, 30 West St Ste C, Annapolis, MD 21401

Come to the MDLCVSEF offices at 30 West Street and walk to the Maryland State House for a guided tour and open house from 3 - 6 pm afterward at the at the MDLCVEF office.

### **Registration suggested:**

**<https://www.marylandconservation.org/event/celebrate-maryland-day>**

### **Maryland State House**

8:30am - 5pm Free

100 State Circle, Annapolis MD 21401

[msa.maryland.gov/msa/mdstatehouse/html/home.html](http://msa.maryland.gov/msa/mdstatehouse/html/home.html)

Visit the oldest state capitol in continuous legislative use. With many exhibits, memorials, historic documents related to the Continental Congress and notable Americans all possible through the Maryland State Archives

### ***Pride of Baltimore II***

3 pm to 7 pm Free

Susan Campbell Park at Annapolis City Dock

[pride2.org](http://pride2.org)

Enjoy deck tours and learn of the rich maritime history of the Baltimore privateer vessels and their role in the War of 1812.

### **St. John's College - in the Mitchell Museum**

**60 College Avenue, Annapolis MD 21401**

**(event list below)**

Nature's ReadyMades Exhibit

**2:30 - 7:30 Free**

**<https://www.sjc.edu/mitchell>**

Is there art in nature? Nature's Readymades presents an extraordinary selection of gongshi (scholars' rocks or viewing stones) drawn from the National Bonsai & Penjing Museum in Washington, D.C. Carved by nature and relished by Chinese literati as early as the Tang dynasty (7th c.), these paradoxical objects are worlds in miniature, presenting the vital energy of the universe in a hardened, static form.

**Oracle Hysterical Concert - featuring composer Majel Connery - McDowell Great Hall at St. John's College**

7:30 pm - Free

Oracle Hysterical in Concert - Part band, part book club, Oracle Hysterical transforms great books into concert experiences. The event features performer-composers Majel Connery (vocals, keys), Elliot Cole (vocals, keys) and twin brothers Doug and Brad Balliett (viola da gamba and bassoon).

Majel Connery is a composer, vocalist and roving musicologist combining the beauty of Classical music with the power of modern technology. Her voice has been called "superb" by the New York Times and her compositions "thoroughly Schubertian" by the Wall Street Journal. Connery's environmental compositions have been performed around the world, including her own recent premiere of Elderflora at Seattle Symphony/Octave 9, and the 2023-24 tour of "The Rivers are our Brothers" by Grammy-winning choir Chanticleer. An educator working at the intersection of arts and scholarship, Connery has created incubator classrooms and productions with artists like Caroline Shaw and Ken Ueno on campuses like Stanford, UC Berkeley, Wellesley, and Princeton. In radio, Connery hosts the NPR/CapRadio podcast A Music of Their Own and Reverberations with New Amsterdam Records. She holds a PhD in musicology from the University of Chicago and an A.B. in music from Princeton.

**<https://events.sjc.edu/event/Oracle-Hysterical-in-concert>**

**Smithsonian Environmental Research Center - SERC**  
647 Contees Wharf Road Edgewater, MD 21037

8 am - 4:30 pm Free  
<https://serc.si.edu/>

Get in to Maryland Day weekend and get out into nature by hiking SERC's multiple miles of woodland trails, including along the Rhode River and Muddy Creek. Explore the trails at SERC all three days 8-4:30!

## **Unity Gardens**

Friday, Saturday and Sunday

All day - Free at participating sites with a Unity Garden sign!

This event occurs all over Annapolis and Anne Arundel County

Enjoy participating in the Unity Gardens, 'I Spy' Scavenger Hunt Photo Contest. Tag your Maryland Day Facebook photos with UNITY GARDENS and your Maryland Day location.

Then make sure a 'Unity Gardens' yard sign is in the picture. On Instagram tag with **#NativesofAnneArundel**.

The winner of the contest will receive 4 tickets for an Annapolis Maritime Cruise aboard the *Wilma Lee* skipjack.

MD DAY locations include:

Michael E Busch Annapolis Library - AACPL

AnnapolisMaritimeMuseum

Captain Avery Museum

Chase Lloyd Home

Chesapeake Children's Museum

Galesville Heritage Society

Hancock's Resolution

Historic Baldwin Hall

Historic London Town and Gardens

Jug Bay Wetlands

\*Unity Gardens is an Anne Arundel County nonprofit organization that supports the building of community partnerships through the creation of greening projects, environmental enhancements and education. Check out some of the many gardens with plants native to Maryland!

See their event here on Facebook:

<https://facebook.com/events/s/i-spy-a-unity-gardens-sign-mar/653167427107431/?mibextid=wwXlfr>

**Visit Annapolis and Anne Arundel County - Visitors Center AND City Dock Kiosk**

10 am - 5 pm Free

26 West Street, and Annapolis City Dock

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

Make our Visitors Center on West Street or our Visitor Information Kiosk at City Dock your first stop for everything you need to know about the events happening throughout Annapolis and Anne Arundel County during Maryland Day Weekend. Our trained volunteer information specialists can answer your questions, make recommendations, provide you with Maryland Day literature, and help map out an itinerary that's perfect for you!



