

5B's: Butterflies, Bees, Birds, Bats, & Beyond!

The Nature Conservancy will educate us about these pollinating powerhouses. Why is pollen important for our survival?

June 28, 11 am – Northampton Free Library; June 29, 11 am – Chincoteague; July 19, 11 am – Cape Charles, July 20, 11 am, Accomac

Author Night with Cookies & Milk

What can be better than to be read a story by the author while eating cookies and milk! *Held at the Civic Center in Cape Charles.*

Jennifer Milius, "Einstein and Moo," July 6, 7 pm – Cape Charles

Anna Burger, "Pea Soup and the Seafood Feast," August 9, 7 pm – Cape Charles

Celebrity Storyhour: Kelley

Kelley Gaskill from WESR will be a guest reader.

July 14, 6:30 pm – Accomac; July 21, 6:30 pm – Northampton Free Library

Chess

Learn to play this strategic game or improve your skills by playing with others. Cape Charles has a Chess Club. The ESCC Chess Club will have introductory sessions at the other three libraries. Bring your own game set or they will provide one.

Cape Charles Chess Club: Thursdays, 5-6 pm

Learn to Play Chess: July 28, 6:30 pm – Accomac; August 16, 2 pm – Northampton Free Library; tbd - Chincoteague

Climb Your Family Tree

Ever wonder where you came from? Learn the basics of searching for your ancestors and why it is fun to know.

Aug 9, 2 pm – Northampton Free Library; Aug 17, 11 am – Accomac

Eastern Shore Soil & Water Conservation District

An educator will give us the dirt on our environment.

Aug. 17, 11 am – Cape Charles

First Nations' Heritage on the Shore

See demonstrations of dance and learn about the culture of the Shore's first residents.

June 23, 6:30 pm – Accomac

Hoopoe!

The silent comedy of this mime returns to Cape Charles.

July 20, 11 am – Cape Charles

Kiptopeake State Park

Park interpreter informs about our rich environment on the Shore.

June 21, 11 am – Cape Charles

July 12, 11 am – Cape Charles

Legos at the Library: Let's Build Something!

Join us for a fun couple of hours building with Legos.

July 13, 11 am - Accomac; July 26, 2 pm – Northampton Free Library; Aug. 25, 10 am – Chincoteague;
July 6, 3pm and Aug 2, 3 pm – Cape Charles

Moonrise Jewelry

Jewelry craft. *Preregistration required by calling (757) 331-1300.*

June 22, 10:30 am and 11: 15 am – Cape Charles

Movies

Cape Charles will be showing a Barrier Island Center film. Accomac will have children's movies, tba.

“Watermen”: July 19, 7 pm – Cape Charles

Movie, tbd, Tuesdays from June 21 to August 16, at 2 pm – Accomac

NASA-Wallops

Educators from NASA-Wallops Visitor Center visit us. Story and science experiment. For children ages 3-6.

“3-2-1 Blastoff!”: August 3, 11 am – Cape Charles

“The Air We Breathe”:, August 3, 2 pm – Northampton Free Library

“3-2-1 Blastoff!”: August 10, 11 am - Accomac

Paws for Reading

Children read aloud to a therapy dog. *Preregistration required.*

June 18, July 16, Aug 20, at 10:45 to 12 noon – Cape Charles

Rain Gardens

How can these special gardens help our environment? Master Gardeners will dig up a great program on what plants and plans are involved.

July 12, 2 pm – Northampton Free Library; Aug 3, 11 am – Accomac, tbd - Chincoteague

Red, White, & Ewe

Author Andrew Barbour will read “Hog Island Sheep in Red, White, & Ewe.”

June 28, 11 am – Cape Charles

So You Want to Write Comics?!

Bentley Boyd, creator of Chester the Crab, will teach us a thing or two about combining art with writing to make comics.

July 26, 2 pm – Cape Charles; July 27, 11 am – Accomac, July 27, 2 pm – Northampton Free Library

Stuffed Animal Sleepover

Bring your stuffed animal friend for an evening of activities and snacks. Your pal gets to sleepover and you come pick him/her up the next day. *Preregistration required.*

July 13, 7 pm – Cape Charles

Trains!

Historic Onley Train Station will bring a train set to demonstrate this fun hobby. Learn about train history.

June 21, 11 am – Accomac; July 19, 2 pm – Northampton Free Library

Virginia Living Museum

This museum from Newport News visits Cape Charles, uncovers the truth about dinosaurs, and introduces some animals that live nearby.

“Dino Discoveries,”: June 29, 11 am – Cape Charles

“Animal Neighbors,”: July 27, 11 am – Cape Charles