

Free Admission



The Ward Museum of Wildfowl Art
presents the

Delmarvalous Festival

June 23, 2018

10 a.m. – 5 p.m.



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The Delmarvalous Festival is a showcase and celebration of the rich lifeways, history, and living traditions of the Eastern Shore. From the occupational history of the seafood industry to the pre-colonial practices and traditions of the indigenous peoples of Delmarva, this festival is an opportunity to learn, create, and recognize the significance of the traditions all around us.



Live demonstrations of decoy carving, basket weaving, fly tying, and paddling are just a small snapshot of the practices and crafts that flourish across the peninsula. These practices are not just traditional or decorative, they are functional and bring the elements of tradition and handicraft together in the context of their home communities.



Heritage talks focus on tradition bearers interpreting their own practices and communities. These talks bring out the knowledge and experience that are inherent in the communities within which the traditions have grown. Topics like crabs in the foodways of Delmarva or the history of San Domingo highlight the connections between traditions, economics, history, and the development of the communities of Delmarva.



Thank you for joining us for the 2018 Delmarvalous Festival. Lower Shore Traditions is the folklife program at the Ward Museum and was founded in partnership with [Maryland Traditions](#) and the [National Endowment for the Arts](#) (NEA). The program has broadened the reach of the Museum into the rich cultural landscape of the maritime, agricultural and marsh communities of the Delmarva Peninsula.



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www.surveymonkey.com/r/Delmarvalous2018survey

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Schedule of Events



Time	Room	Demonstrations & Heritage Talks & Activities
10:00 AM– 5:00PM	Outside on the Circle	Catering by Jamie: Enjoy a pit beef or a pit turkey with chips and drinks
10:00 AM– 5:00PM	Outside on Schumaker Pond	Paddling Demonstration with Ranger Bob Kreiter
10:00 AM– 5:00PM	Lobby	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decoy Carving with Rich Smoker , Kenny Glasgow, Daniel Baltzinger, & the Ward Museum Carving Club • Eel Pot Weaving with Rhonda Aaron • Fly Tying with Capt. Dan Harrison • Rug Making with Aleta Davis • Treetops Gifts' Artisan Market • 50/50 Raffle– Winner announced at 3 PM
10:00 AM– 5:00PM	Galleries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Current Gallery Exhibits • Non-Profit Organizations • Duck Butt Bowling in the Habitat Theater
10:00 AM	Legacy Center	Lifeways & History of the Pocomoke Indian Nation with Chief Norris Howard
10:00 AM-12:00 PM	Legacy Center– Education room	Rock Painting

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11:00 AM	Legacy Center	Cakes & Peelers: Crabs in the Foodways of the Eastern Shore with Mary Ada Marshall, Janice Marshall, & Lamont Potter Sr. of LMEN Seafood (Crisfield)
12:00 PM-2:00 PM	Legacy Center– Education room	Track Casting
12:30 PM	Henson Center	Cooking with Crabs with Lamont Potter Sr.
1:00 PM	Legacy Center	Home on the Marsh: Hunting & Trapping in Eastern Shore Mashers with Rich Smoker & Rhonda Aaron
2:00 PM	Henson Center	Smith Island Cake Demonstration with Mary Ada Marshall
2:00 PM –4:00 PM	Legacy Center– Education Room	Smith Island Cake Jars
3:00 PM	Lobby	50/50 winner drawing
4:00 PM	Legacy Center	A Working History: The African American Community of San Domingo with Newell Quinton, Ada Marshall, & James Lane
4:00 PM –5:00 PM	Legacy Center– Education Room	Bird Flattie Painting

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Non-Profit Organizations

Delmarva Discovery Center
Maryland Bluebird Society
Nassawango Stewardship Committee
Poplar Hill Mansion
Julia A. Purnell Museum
Ocean City Lifesaving Station Museum
Salisbury Police Department and Scouts of America
Second Wind Inc.
Westside Historical Society
National Folk Festival

Other Organizations

Bath Fitters of Delmarva with a Free Duck Pond Game

50 Years of Excellence

The Ward Foundation celebrates its 50th Anniversary this year! All the wonderful programs you enjoy year round at the Ward Museum are supported by this non-profit organization. To ensure our success in the coming years please join or renew your membership with the Ward Museum! Delmarvalous Special: New members will receive an official Ward Museum tote bag, Delmarvalous crab hat, and have your picture taken!



*Ward Museum of Wildfowl Art,
Salisbury University*

Other things Delmarvalous



Corn Hole

Located near the stage in the Legacy center. Enjoy a game between Heritage talks!

Boardwalk Fun

Also located near the stage in the Legacy center. Snap a picture of you or a friend at the beach!



Delmarvalous T-Shirt

Get your official Delmarvalous T-shirt in Treetops Gifts!

Lower Shore Traditions Media Center

Playing in the Oristano Room enjoy archival footage from our folklife collection!



At the Museum and Around Salisbury

Current Exhibits

50 Years of Art, Nature, and Tradition: Ward Foundation Retrospective – Welcome Gallery – through August 19, 2018

Through Artist Eyes: The Eastern Shore Revealed – LaMay Gallery – through September 16, 2018

Upcoming Exhibits

A Century of Conservation: The 1918 North American Migratory Bird Treaty – Welcome Gallery – August 24, 2018-February 17, 2019

50 Finest Decoy Makers before 1950 – LaMay Gallery – September 28, 2018-January 13, 2019

National Folk Festival

Mark your calendars for the 78th annual National Folk Festival in downtown Salisbury, MD. A free, large-scale three-day outdoor event, the National Folk Festival celebrates the roots, richness and variety of American culture. It features over 350 of the nation's finest traditional musicians, dancers, craftspeople and other keepers of culture in performances, workshops, and demonstrations, plus children's activities, savory regional and ethnic cuisines and craft brews, non-stop participatory dancing, storytelling, parades, and more. With 35+ groups on seven performance stages, the Maryland Traditions Folklife Area, the Family Activities Area, the Festival Marketplace and the Festival Food Courts, the National Folk Festival offers a jubilant array of experiences for all ages. The festival embraces the heritage and traditions of all Americans, from those whose families have been here for centuries, or millennia, to those who have more recently arrived on our shores. Legendary masters, as well as the next generation of dynamic young artists, celebrate the musical soul and cultural roots of America.

What are your plans for the summer? Check out our Ward Museum Educational Summer Camps, Drop-in Art, & Drop-in Art Jr!

Nature Discovery Camp June 25-29, 2018

Dr. Seuss Camp July 30– August 3, 2018

Get Lit: Literature Camp July 30-August 3, 2018

Photography Camp August 6-10, 2018

Art Camp August 20-24, 2018

Upcycling Camp August 27-31, 2018

For more info visit www.wardmuseum.org

Drop-in Art takes place every 3rd Saturday year round

Drop-in Art Jr take place every Wednesday weekly year round with the exception of July 4, 2018.

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Upcoming Events

Art in Nature Photo Festival with Special Exhibit & Keynote on Ansel Adams
August 10-12, 2018
National Folk Festival in Downtown Salisbury
September 7-9, 2018
50th Anniversary Golden Goose Reception & Auction
October 12, 2018
Chesapeake Wildfowl Expo
October 13, 2018