



# CALENDAR *of events*



**april 2019**... National Poetry Month

**Monday, April 1**

April Fools Day

Open Mic, Red Dragon Brewery, 6-8p Equipment provided 1419 Princess Anne St

**Tuesday, April 2**

National Peanut Butter & Jelly Day

Red Dragon Brewery Beer & Trivia night 1419 Pr.Anne St. 6:30-8:30p

"Gehrig & Ripken" William B. Crawley Great Lives Lecture Series free 7:30 p.m. in Dodd Auditorium in George Washington Hall

**Wednesday, April 3**

Food Co-op Happy Hour. Info on the Food Co-op and a chocolate contest. Everyone is welcome. 6-8 pm, Adventure Brewing, 33 Perchwood Dr Unit 101, fredericksburgfoodcoop.com

Sunken Well Trivia tonight starting at 7:45pm, 720 Littlepage,

Open Mic at the Rec Center 8 pm . 213 William St.

**Thursday, April 4**

Washington Heritage Museums Speaker's Series, Scott Walker, retired educator and local historian. "When in the Course of Women's Events: A Brief Look at the Feminine Side of Fredericksburg Area History." CRRL FXBG Branch at 10am

Sunken Well Ladies Night 720 Littlepage, Ladies drink specials & \$5 micro menu

Live Music at 7:30 Kenmore Inn. featuring drink specials at the copper top bar.

"Last of the Romanovs" William B. Crawley Great Lives Lecture Series free 7:30 p.m. in Dodd Auditorium in George Washington Hall

**First Friday, April 5**

Community Art Series, Meet the Artists @Community Bank of the Chesapeake 2-5pm, Kim Richards, Kathleen Mullins, Collette Caprara

Penny Parrish, "Idyllic Italy", opening Reception, Brush Stokes Gallery.

Art for Park, skateboard art exhibit opening reception, PONSHP, 712 Caroline St, 6-9pm.

"Portholes", exhibit by feature artist Cathy Herndon. Art First Gallery, 824 Caroline st

Artful Dimensions Gallery, Dimensional Expressions 6th Annual Juried Exhibition. Juror's Talk and Awards 6p. Exhibit from April 2-29, 2019 at 922 Caroline Street. artfuldimensions@verizon.net artfuldimensions.com

**Saturday, April 6**

City Vino Wine Tasting Sample featured wines of the week. 12-4p The Shoppes @810

Rising Sun Tavern's "Punch of the Past", Ever wanted a taste of George Washington's favorite punch recipe? Join us for an evening of tastings and talks on famous 18th century punch recipes. did you know punch & Taverns played a significant role in early elections? Admission 21+Tkts www.WashingtonHeritageMuseums.org

**Sunday, April 7**

Sunken Well Brunch from 9am-2pm, \$5 Bloody Marys and Mimosas. Bluegrass night from 7-9pm. Usually a good idea to reserve a table!

Ebenezer Church Hosts Color Eggstravaganza enjoy Egg Hunts for the kids, a Moon Bounce, Book Fair, Games and Prizes, a Color Dash for all ages and plenty of snacks! It's all free. 2-4p. 161 Embrey Mill Rd, Stafford,

Join us for 50's Sock Hop. Reminisce to the music of the 50's & 60's. with The Acoustic Onions Falmouth Volunteer Fire Dept, 250 Butler Rd, presented by ArtsLive, 2-5p

**Monday, April 8**

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**Tuesday, April 9**

"League of Earth's Angels - Meeting Howell Library Room #3. FXBG women's circle branch of the Global Sisterhood. FB page or our webpage at: https://520727.wixsite.com/leagueofearthsangels for more info. All women are welcome!"

Fredericksburg Photography Club welcomes new members. Meetings 7pm Dorothy Hart Center.

Red Dragon Brewery Beer & Trivia night . 1419 Pr.Anne St. 6:30-8:30p

"POW Wives" William B. Crawley Great Lives Lecture Series free Programs begin at 7:30 p.m. in Dodd Auditorium in George Washington Hall

**Wednesday, April 10**

Sunken Well Trivia tonight starting at 7:45pm, 720 Littlepage,

Open Mic at the Rec Center 8 pm .Scott Wagner hosts 213 William St.

**Thursday, April 11**

Join Women & Girls Fund members for our spring event 1000 WOMEN UMW Chandler Ballroom celebrating the 2019 grant recipients). Kyra Oliver, author of 8 Ways of Being, will share her journey and hard-earned tactics that can encourage us all to develop a positive mindset for living life with confidence. 6-9p

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Live Music at 7:30 Kenmore Inn. featuring drink specials at the copper top bar.

**Friday, April 12**

Osprey Festival Colonial Beach, VA atop VA Northern Neck. 3 Days of nature tours, art, exhibits, food, music, kids activities, ospreys and birds galore! events take place throughout the community & at nearby state parks. info see www.downtowncolonialbeach.org. thru April 14

Jon Wiley Duo @ La Petite.311 William St Live music, 8-11p

**Saturday, April 13**

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Dog Easter Egg Hunt, Memorial/Kenmore Park, 1pm Come dressed to enter our doggie costume contest Dogs must be at least 12 weeks old. A small dog area will also be available for dogs under For www.FredParksRec.com

FXBG Concert Band 20th Anniv Gala, premier performance of the commissioned piece "In the Cradle of Freedom: An Anniversary Fanfare" by retired UMW Associate Professor of Music Craig Naylor. 7p James Monroe HS, fredericksburgconcertband.org

Artist Reception and Book Signing with Helen Burroughs 1-3:30pm, FCCA 813 Sophia Street

Gardening Day. Hands-on learning about growing flowers and spices while helping the library plant its vegetable and butterfly gardens. 9 - noon, Rain Date, April 20, CRRL Howell Branch, 806 Lyons Bvd

Master Gardeners 7th annual "Living in the Garden" symposium "Wild About Natives" 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Geri Melchers Home & Studio

Riverside Writers Celebration of Poetry 1-4 PM Salem Church Library 2607 Salem Church Road, riversidewriters.com Free

**Sunday, April 14**

Sunken Well Brunch from 9am-2pm, \$5 Bloody Marys and Mimosas. Bluegrass night from 7-9pm. Usually a good idea to reserve a table!

Fredericksburg Singers special concert I Dream A World - Poetry in Song poetry set to musical compositions. 7 p.m. FXBG Baptist Church.

FIBF Presents Non-fiction & Historical Fiction April Bair & Neil Hamblin, Red Dragon Brewery 4-6 p.m

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**Wednesday, April 17**

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**Thursday, April 18**

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Live Music at 7:30 Kenmore Inn. featuring drink specials at the copper top bar.

**Friday, April 19**

Passover begins

The Acoustic Onion@ La Petite.311 William St Live music, 8-11p

**Saturday, April 20**

Go Far, Go Together Co-op 5K Walk/Run. All ages beautiful Rappahannock Heritage Trail. Register at creativecolorva.com/page/go-far-5k 9 am, Rain or Shine, Old Mill Park Shelter #1, 2201 Caroline St, Fredericksburg. fredericksburgfoodcoop.com

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**Sunday, April 21**

Easter

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Earth Day

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**Wednesday, April 24**

Eating for the Earth. Learn about plant-based cooking with a live demonstration, followed by a vegan potluck. Bring a dish to share or make a contribution to The Table. 5:30-7:30 pm, St. George's Episcopal Church, 905 Princess Anne St, Fredericksburg.fredericksburgfoodcoop.com

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**Friday, April 26**

VA High School League State Theatre Champions 'The Stafford Players' Present 'Peter and the Starcatcher' at Stafford High School, The Adventures of an Orphan who Becomes Peter Pan (the Boy Who Wouldn't Grow Up) Stafford High School at 63 Stafford Indians Lane, 7pm

**Saturday April 27**

Garden Week

Artful Dimensions Gallery Artist Yard Sale Shop for local art, supplies, books and more at yard sale prices! 10-2pm, 922 Caroline Street

Meditation Opportunity: Day-long Silent Retreat, 9 am - 4 pm. Presented by Insight Meditation Community of Fredericksburg. Slow down and find your to find yourself in the natural presence of life, moment by moment. Suitable for those new to meditation as well as experienced meditators. Free or up to \$55 contribution. 25 Chalice Circle, Fredericksburg VA 22405. more information at meditatefred.com.

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Annual Senior Citizen Prom, North Staford H.S., 839 Garrisonville rd, Stafford. FREE. Senior citizens in our community are invited to attend the prom. Event will feature our NSHSL Jazz Band. Door prizes will be given throughout the afternoon. 3-6pm RSVP 540-227-4088

16th annual Earth Day Fest along the beautiful Rappahannock River! dozens of environmental exhibitors, live music, great food, birds of prey, hands-on activities, and so much more for the entire family! Come learn what you can do to reduce your impact on the planet while having great, FREE, fun. Bring your own water bottle for re-fills! Old Mill Park, 11a-4p. Info : www.earthdayfred.com

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Meet author Tim O'Brien Reception, Presentation, question & answer session, book signing, . Dodd Auditorium, UMW, 3-5pm

Washington Heritage Museums Annual Plant Sale, Mary Washington House. 9-Noon. sale features dozens of varieties of perennials including varieties from the gardens of the Washington Heritage Museums. All proceeds directly benefit the gardens. The gardens of Mary Washington House will be open and free to the public during regular museum hours throughout Garden Week. Our Colonial Revival garden peaks this time of year with tulips, iris and native columbine.

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**Monday, April 29**

St James House Spring Opening. 1300 Charles St. in Fredericksburg, Va., is open to the public for tours only two weeks a year; a week in the spring and a week in the fall. Visitors can tour the St. James' House during its spring opening to see its beautiful collection of antiques and decorative arts. Admission is \$5 per person, free for members.

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