

What's Hot, What's Happenin', Oct. 24-31

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HUGE WEEK FOR REALLY FANTASTIC EVENTS! FORTUNATELY, THEY'RE SPREAD OVER THE WEEK (AND WEEKEND), SO YOU CAN GET TO THEM ALL!

Oct. 28-31

Downrigging Weekend, Chestertown. Nearly 30 tall ships and historic vessels from throughout the mid-Atlantic and traditional Chesapeake work boats sail into Chestertown. Tour the ships, take a sail, other events throughout town. www.sultanaprojects.org

Thorton Wilder's "Our Town." Rehoboth Beach Theater of the Arts, Rehoboth. Classic play by Clear Space Theater troupe. 7 p.m. on 28-30; 3 p.m. on the 31st. \$25/\$20/\$15. www.clearspacetheatre.org

Oct. 29-30

"The Front Page", North Street Playhouse, Onancock. 8p.m. \$18 adults, \$10 Students. www.northstreetplayhouse.org

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Sea Witch Halloween & Fiddlers' Festival. A Don't Miss Event! Artisans and Vendors, Hugh activities event (it's 32-pages long) with costume parades, tyke bike parade, "Sea Witch" hunt through town, Pirates scavenger hunt, Rough Riders synchronized horse show, jugglers, and the Fiddlers' (and Banjo) festival. <http://www.beach-fun.com/Sea-Witch-Halloween-Fiddlers-Festival/>

Flashlight Maze at Breckenridge Farms, Linkwood, MD (Rt. 50 east of Cambridge on the westbound side). The maze is open during the day, but it's a whole different world trying to find your way around after dark. Huge maze with a Wild West design. Also P-Y-O pumpkins, other events. \$9/\$5. Discount for the after dark admissions. www.shoremaze.com

Oct. 30-31 (AND Nov. 6-7)

Artworks Studio Tour. 50 artists who live and work in Kent and Queen Anne's Counties open their studios to the public. 9-5 each day. Pick up a self-guide map from Artworks in Chestertown. Free. www.artworkschestertown.org

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Oct. 30

Federalsburg Historical Society Heritage Day, Federalsburg. Family event celebrating the historic town's origins and history. Tours. Demonstrations. 10-3. 443-253-9045

Seaside 10 mile/5K race/run. Ocean City. Race starts at 9 a.m. at the Inlet. Registration at 7 a.m. Cost varies depending on which race you're doing. Well-marked route along roads in the resort. www.octrirunning.com

Oct. 31

Guided bird walk through Blackwater Wildlife Refuge. Suitable for all levels. Bring binoculars and dress for the weather. 8 a.m. – noon. Meet at the visitor center. Free. www.fws.gov/blackwater