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WATERMEN'S MUSEUM TO HOST FAMILY FUN DAY -- APRIL 26, 2009

Yorktown Beach, VA

Sunday, April 26th, 2009 will be a day of family fun, history, and activity along the shores of the York River. The Watermen's Museum is hosting their first family fun day.

"We're planning a complete day of activities, from boat-building and beach seining, to sword drill and living history demonstrations," says Museum Director, David Niebuhr. "It'll be a day for families to explore life along the shores of the Chesapeake Bay."

The theme of the Family Fun Day is to allow visitors to experience the lives of the early Chesapeake Bay watermen who shuttled goods, boats, and people along the Bay waterways. In addition to displays and demonstrations, children will to participate in activities that will preview upcoming the Watermen's Museum Summer "Buccaneer" Camp. Various camp games, drills, and songs will round out the day.

All activities will start at 1pm and will continue until closing, at 5pm. After the day, we also invite visitors to participate in a family sunset gathering on the Watermen's Beach where drums, songs, and dance will end the day.

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