

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2021 – CHESAPEAKE CRAVINGS IN ANNAPOLIS, MD

Enjoy a full day of iconic Chesapeake Bay culinary traditions and history to learn & consume on this progressive meal tour in Maryland's State Capital!

- 8:30 AM - leave Kohl's, Westminster (Rt. 140 & Market Street)
- 8:45 AM - leave Chartley Park Shopping Center, Reisterstown
- 10:00-11:00 - Start our tasty Annapolis tour with a historically attired guide at **Ram's Head Tavern & Brewery**. While enjoying your Maryland inspired crab soup, you will hear spicy and sweet tales of the area including this 300-year old brewery and the Chesapeake Bay. **(Soup Course)**
- 11:00-12:00 - Guided tour of the **Maryland State House**, the first peacetime capitol of the United States and the only state house ever to have served as the nation's capitol. It is also the oldest state house in America still in continuous legislative use.

(PLEASE NOTE: Adults must show valid Government photo ID for entry including driver's license, state identification card, or passport. No copies will be accepted.)

- 12:00-1:15 - Enjoy lunch in downtown Annapolis at **Blackwall Hitch**, a beautiful, coastally inspired restaurant that creates a local connection by honoring the flavors of the Chesapeake. **(Salad & Entrée Course)**

Please select from one of the following entree choices:

- 1) Lump Crab Linguini Skillet (Linguini pasta served with saffron lemon cream and lump MD blue crab meat)
- 2) Eastern Shore Chicken & Grits Skillet (Grilled chicken with tomatoes in a white wine sauce served over MD white corn grits)

All entrees served with Blackwall Banquet Salad (house salad with mixed field greens, grape tomatoes, cucumbers, red onions, & carrots, with signature vinaigrette on side) & non-alcoholic beverages.

- 1:45-2:45 - Our culinary experience will end with a tour of the **PACA House**, a Georgian Mansion built in 1760 by William Paca, the 3rd Governor of Maryland and a signer of the Declaration of Independence. A dessert unique to Maryland – 10 layer Smith Island Cake will be served here. **(Dessert Course)**

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- 2:45-3:45 - **Free time to explore historic downtown Annapolis** – Stroll along the waterfront and old brick sidewalks, enjoying the charm of the City Dock, grab an ice cream cone or afternoon treat, and browse through the unique shops in downtown Annapolis.
- 4:00-4:40 - **Annapolis Harbor & U.S. Naval Academy Boat Cruise** – Immerse yourself in the history, culture and fun of the Chesapeake Bay region onboard the *Harbor Queen*. Hear about the history of the Naval Academy, Annapolis’ role as a historic seaport, the region’s waterways and even catch a glimpse of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge on this 40-minute narrated cruise of the Annapolis Harbor and the banks of the U.S. Naval Academy.
- 6:00 PM - return to Reisterstown
- 6:15 PM - return to Westminster

PRICE PER PERSON: \$145.00

(PRICE INCLUDES: motorcoach transportation, boat cruise, admissions, guided tour with gratuity, and meal inclusions with tax & gratuity)

Full payment is due by August 10th. Payment can be made by cash, check or money order and mailed to our office at below address. Final trip confirmation with itinerary & pertinent information will be sent 2 weeks prior to trip. Bus driver & tour director gratuities are not included in tour cost.

***PLEASE NOTE** there is walking involved on this tour. Comfortable walking shoes are highly recommended.

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