

# THE HAMPTON ROADS TREASURE HUNTER



Holiday Season, 2011

## Welcome Treasure Hunters!

After traveling the world and relocating our family 10 times, courtesy of the U.S. Navy, we finally decided to settle down in Hampton Roads, Virginia. We continue to enjoy the unique treasures offered by each of our local seaport communities, which blend together to create the vibrant and cosmopolitan region of Hampton Roads. Through our newsletters we hope you will learn something new about the area we live in and entice you to venture out into uncharted waters where you can stumble upon a treasure of your own. So get out and have some fun!

There are always too many events scheduled to list them all, so be sure to keep checking our Facebook page, [www.Facebook.com/A New Home Port](http://www.Facebook.com/A New Home Port) for updates. And our page is open to anyone who would like to publicize a future event.

If you or a family member are active duty or retired military, we invite you to visit our new Facebook page, [www.Facebook.com/Virginia Military Relocation Guide](http://www.Facebook.com/Virginia Military Relocation Guide) for information about military discounts, events, news and travel.

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We hope the weather cooperates for all these Holiday parades!

### **Nov 19:**

9:30 AM in Hampton, [www.ColiseumCentral.com](http://www.ColiseumCentral.com)

7:00 PM in Norfolk: Grand Illumination Parade, [www.DownTownNorfolk.org](http://www.DownTownNorfolk.org) (This year you can even purchase reserved seats!)

**Dec 2:** 7:00 PM in Poquoson, [www.Poquoson-VA.gov](http://www.Poquoson-VA.gov)

### **Dec 3:**

9:00 AM in Williamsburg, [www.WilliamsburgCC.com](http://www.WilliamsburgCC.com)

2:00 PM in Gloucester, [www.GloucesterVA.info](http://www.GloucesterVA.info)

5:30 PM in Virginia Beach, [www.BeachStreetUSA.com](http://www.BeachStreetUSA.com)

6:00 PM in Chesapeake, [www.VisitChesapeake.com](http://www.VisitChesapeake.com)

6:00 PM in Yorktown: Lighted Boat Parade, [www.YorkCounty.gov](http://www.YorkCounty.gov)

7:00 PM in Hampton: Lighted Boat Parade, [www.DowntownHampton.com](http://www.DowntownHampton.com)

### **Dec 10:**

11:00 AM in Smithfield, [www.VisitSmithfieldIsleofWight.com](http://www.VisitSmithfieldIsleofWight.com)

1:00 PM in Yorktown: Toyland Parade (Bring a decorated stroller or wagon), [www.VisitYorktown.org](http://www.VisitYorktown.org)

5:30 PM in Portsmouth: Santa's Arrival Parade (Santa arrives by boat!), [www.PortsVAEvents.com](http://www.PortsVAEvents.com)

7:00 PM in Hampton, [www.Hampton.gov](http://www.Hampton.gov)

7:00 PM in Suffolk, [www.Suffolk-fun.com](http://www.Suffolk-fun.com)



## 2011 HOLIDAY CALENDAR

- **Nov 5, 6, 19, 20:** Santa's Stocking Christmas Bazaar, Kempsville Recreation Center, Virginia Beach, [www.VBgov.com](http://www.VBgov.com)
- **Nov 11-13:** The Bodacious Bazaar, Hampton Convention Center, supports local non-profit organizations, [TheBodaciousBazaar.com](http://TheBodaciousBazaar.com)
- **Nov 18:** Downtown Suffolk Illumination Ceremony, [www.Suffolk-fun.com](http://www.Suffolk-fun.com)
- **Nov 18-Jan 1:** Holiday Lights at the Beach, Virginia Beach Boardwalk, [www.BeachStreetUSA.com](http://www.BeachStreetUSA.com)
- **Nov 23-Dec 31:** Star of Wonder and Laser Holidays, Planetarium shows at the Virginia Living Museum, Newport News, [www.theVLM.org](http://www.theVLM.org)
- **Nov 24-Jan 1:** Celebration in Lights, Newport News Park, [www.Newport-News.org](http://www.Newport-News.org)
- **Nov 24-Jan 1:** Dominion Garden of Lights, Norfolk Botanical Garden, [www.NorfolkBotanicalGarden.org](http://www.NorfolkBotanicalGarden.org)
- **Nov 24-26:** Foods and Feasts of Colonial Virginia, Jamestown and Yorktown, [www.HistoryisFun.org](http://www.HistoryisFun.org)
- **Nov 25-27:** Virginia Beach Christmas Market, [www.EMGShows.com](http://www.EMGShows.com)
- **Nov 25:** Arts and Antiques Open House, Olde Town Portsmouth, [www.OldTownPortsmouth.com](http://www.OldTownPortsmouth.com)
- **Nov 25-Dec 31:** Christmas Town at Busch Gardens, Williamsburg, [www.BuschGardens.com/VA](http://www.BuschGardens.com/VA)
- **Nov 25-Dec 31:** Winter Wonderland: The Coleman Collection, Portsmouth, [www.CourthouseGalleries.com](http://www.CourthouseGalleries.com)
- **Nov 26:** Port Warwick Holiday Market and Tree Lighting, Newport News, [www.PortWarwick.com](http://www.PortWarwick.com)
- **Dec 1-31:** Colonial Christmas at Jamestown and Yorktown, [www.HistoryisFun.org](http://www.HistoryisFun.org)
- **Dec 1, 2, 3:** Air Force Band Holiday Concert, Ferguson Center for the Arts, Christopher Newport University, Newport News, request FREE tickets at [www.HeritageofAmericaBand.AF.mil](http://www.HeritageofAmericaBand.AF.mil)
- **Dec 1-2:** Santa's Attic Arts and Crafts Show, Hampton, [www.Hampton.gov/parks](http://www.Hampton.gov/parks)
- **Dec 2-31 (Thurs-Sun):** Winter Wonderland at Hunt Club Farm, Virginia Beach, [www.HuntClubFarm.com](http://www.HuntClubFarm.com)
- **Dec 2:** Yorktown Illumination and Tree Lighting, [www.VisitYorktown.org](http://www.VisitYorktown.org)
- **Dec 2:** Hollydazzle at Oyster Point City Center, Newport News, [CityCenterOysterPoint.com](http://CityCenterOysterPoint.com)
- **Dec 3, 4:** Colonial Christmas Antiques and Art Show, Williamsburg, [www.AAShow.com](http://www.AAShow.com)
- **Dec 4:** Grand Illumination, Colonial Williamsburg, [www.ColonialWilliamsburg.com](http://www.ColonialWilliamsburg.com)
- **Dec 14:** Vienna Boys Choir: Christmas in Vienna, Sandler Center Plaza, Virginia Beach, [www.VABeachTownCenter.com](http://www.VABeachTownCenter.com)



**Outdoor ice skating at:**

**Virginia Air and Space  
Center, Hampton,  
Nov 18-March 4  
[www.vacs.org](http://www.vacs.org)  
and  
MacArthur Center, Norfolk  
Nov 19-Jan 16  
[www.MacArthurOnIce.com](http://www.MacArthurOnIce.com)**

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