



MARS
Tours & Travel

The Whole Shebang

featuring

Mermaids & Margaritas
Beach Bash!

and the
**International
Tattoo Festival**

Plus, NATO Parade, Winery Luncheon & the Golden Age of Aviation Events!

April 23-27, 2027

Itinerary

Day 1 - Fri. - Welcome to the Coast

Arrive in Virginia Beach and kick off your seaside escape with a delicious lunch featuring fresh, local flavors. Settle into your oceanfront accommodations and take in the sights and soothing sounds of the Atlantic before enjoying a relaxing evening at your leisure along the lively Virginia Beach Boardwalk, where dining, shopping, and ocean breezes create the perfect first night.

Day 2 - Sat. - Beach Bliss, Dolphins & Coastal Relaxation

After breakfast, discover maritime history at Nauticus and step aboard the legendary USS Wisconsin (BB-64). Take your reserved seat for the vibrant NATO Festival Parade, a colorful showcase of global culture, music, and pageantry, followed by time to explore the lively festival atmosphere. This afternoon, set out on a thrilling dolphin-watching cruise and explore the wonders of the Virginia Aquarium & Marine Science Center. Cap off the day with a fun and relaxing evening at a local winery, complete with live entertainment & coastal hospitality.

Day 3 - Sun. - International Celebration & Tattoo Spectacle

This morning, stroll through the stunning landscapes of the Norfolk Botanical Garden & hop aboard the tram to navigate the gorgeous blossoms. Enjoy a lively, specialty Luncheon with live Tattoo preview performances, then take your premium seats at the world-renowned Virginia International Tattoo—a breathtaking fusion of military pageantry, music, dance, and global culture. This annual, world-class performance showcases hundreds of musicians, precision drill teams, and cultural performers from around the globe in a stirring tribute to military excellence & heritage. After the show, return to the hotel for a free evening to stroll the vibrant Virginia Beach Boardwalk, lined with shops, entertainment, and coastal charm.

Day 4 - Mon. - Aviation Adventure & Mermaid Beach Bash

Step back in time at the remarkable Military Aviation Museum, home to one of the world's largest collections of flying WWII aircraft. Enjoy lunch in a historic hangar before witnessing a thrilling live flight demonstration (weather permitting). Tonight, the excitement reaches new heights at a festive Mermaid Beach Bash—an unforgettable evening of tropical flavors, lively music, and seaside fun, where island vibes and high-energy entertainment create the perfect grand finale.

Day 5 - Tues. - Farewell to Virginia Beach

Enjoy a final breakfast overlooking the ocean before departing for home, taking with you incredible memories of coastal beauty, the international celebration, and once-in-a-lifetime experiences.

Experience the ultimate Virginia Beach getaway where coastal charm meets world-class spectacle!

From the high-energy Virginia International Tattoo and colorful NATO Festival Parade to dolphin cruises, vintage warbirds, and a one-of-a-kind Mermaid Beach Bash, this all-inclusive adventure is filled with unforgettable moments from sunrise to sunset.

Highlights

- NATO Parade & Festival (premium seating)
- Norfolk Botanical Gardens
- International Tattoo Performance (premium reserved seating)
- Dolphin Watching Cruise
- Virginia Aquarium
- Pre-Tattoo Special Luncheon featuring Tattoo performers & entertainers
- Winery Dinner Event & Wine Tasting
- Military Aviation Museum & luncheon with live entertainment
- Special Flight Demonstration
- Mermaids & Margaritas Beach Bash
- Beach & Boardwalk Free-time

Inclusions

- 4 nights' oceanfront accommodations
- 4 Breakfasts, 3 Lunches, 3 Dinners
- Tattoo Performance Premium Seating
- Admissions and Guide Services
- Taxes & Hotel Fees

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