What's Happenin' ? ? EVENTS ON TILGHMAN ISLAND AND NEIGHBORING COMMUNITIES

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Tilghman Island Volunteer Fire Company thanks you for your support!



Congratulations to our newest Little Miss Tilghman Queen, **Kinsley Wilson**. We look forward to having her represent our company and community in the future.

Thanks to all the Little Miss Queen contestants!







Congratulations to Hall and Mary Kellogg's induction into the Plein Air Hall of Fame!
This was such a well deserved recognition for their hard work and dedication over the years.

Oh what a night!



St. John's Chapel Non-Denominational Service

Sunday Morning at 10 AM
Prayer & Praise

Wednesday 6-7 PM
Aug 10th - St. John's Chapel Change of Venue.
0:00 service will be held at the CBI

10:00 service will be held at the CBMM Gazebo for Watermen's Appreciation



Tilghman Methodist Church Sunday Service at 10 AM ALL ARE WELCOME!

Tilghman Methodist Church will hold its annual crab picking on Saturday, August 9 & 16 at 9am in the Annex. Beginners and Experts are welcome.



AUG 3, 10:00 AM WATERMEN'S SUNDAY

Revisiting An Old Tradition

Calling all Watermen, Friends and Families!

Come and Be Refreshed!

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To Visit an Old Tradition

Historic St. John's Chapel 1891

Picnic & Live Music After @ Black Walnut Farm

> Guest Speaker Mike Nichols

ST. JOHN'S CHAPEL

5160 Black Walnut Pt. Rd. Tilghman, MD 21671 410-886-1190

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SAVE THE DATES

August 3 • Watermen's Sunday
August 7 • Maryland Food Truck
August 10 • Watermen's Appreciation Day
August 27 • BINGO!
August 31 • Little Big Market
September 20 • Beauty for Ashes - St. John's Chapel
ALL HANDS on DECK for Tilghman Island Day!
October 18 • Tilghman Island Day



August 27

Doors Open @ 6:00 PM · Bingo starts @ 7:00 PM **OPEN TO ALL**

Food Service Available · JACK POT OVER \$1.000 !!! **Proceeds benefit TIVFD**



TAYA is looking for GIRLS ON THE RUN coaches for the fall.

Contact:tayadirector@gmail.com



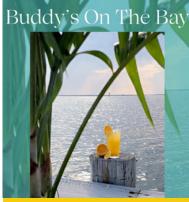


Tilghman Island Best Breakfast on the Eastern Shore

> **NEW HOURS** Monday - Sunday: 8 am - 1 pm

Parties of 5 or more please make reservations. 410-886-2447 July 20th -"America's Favorites" Cooking Class! Call or Stop in for reservations

Come see our New Menu!



Now Open! Follow on Facebook for Hours! Hours: Wed & Thurs - Noon to 8 Fri, Sat and Sun - 11:30 to 9



THE BRIDGE

MON, TUES & THURS 3-9 FRI, SAT and SUN 11 am to 9 pm **Closed Wednesday**

Music Saturdays at 2 o'clock **August 2, Jonathan Veers August 9, Dawn Williams**



Saturday 12:00 - 9:30 pm Sunday 12:00 - 4:00 pm

21384 Coopertown Road

Tilghman Island, MD 21671

(410) 886-1170



Summer Daily Specials

5-9pm Mid-Week Melts Chef's Choice Cheesy Creation \$1 Off Beer & \$2 Off Glasses of Wine

THURSDAYS

5-9pm Sandwich Thursdays \$2 Off All Handhelds/Sandwiches & \$5 Drafts

FRIDAYS

4-9pm Fish & Chips Fridays Weekly Fried Fish Special Live Music 7-9pm

SATURDAYS
12-9pm Shuckin' Saturdays
Chef's Choice Oyster Specials
Live Music 1-3pm & 7-9pm

12pm-8pm Steamer Sundays Chef's Choice Steamed Seafood Specials Live Music 2-4pm

ations Highly Recommended



Big Mack's Kitchen & Dock Bar

NOW OPEN!

Wednesday through Sunday, 12pm-9pm, YEAR ROUND

New Location Old Marker Five on Knapps Narrows

TASK Starts Sep 2nd!

What: Tilghman After School Kids Program [TASK]

When: 9/2 from 3:30-5:30pm Where: Tilghman Elementary School

Maker Monday: Hands-on projects building, crafting and inventing Teamwork Tuesday: Cooperative games, challenges & mini service projects Wonder Wednesday: Science, nature, explorative experiences Thinker Thursday: Puzzles, logic games, problem solving quests Fun Friday: Around the world culture of food, games, music art, & traditions

There are two sections each day, K-2nd grades and 3nd-5th grades.

For more information contact Allie at tayadirector@gmail.com

Follow us on FB for the latest information. Website: www.tilghmanyouth.org

SIGN UP NOW!!



2025 Summer Season When:

Sunday, August 31st **

8:30am - 12:00pm

LOCATION:

Tilghman Post Office Parking Lot

5806 Main St Tilghman, MD 21671



Highlighting local farmers, local restaurants, bakers, musicians, artists, and more!

For Information contact: tilghmanlbm@gmail.com Facebook: facebook.com/TLBMarket Instagram: @tilghmanlittlebigmarket







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SHOP the TRUCK!

The Maryland Food Bank Eastern Shore's **MOBILE MARKET** is visiting!
We're inviting ALL to receive healthy foods and resources.
Hop on board and shop the truck, fresh groceries and dry goods will be

Thursday, August 7th
12:00pm - 2:00pm (or until done)

Tilghman Methodist Church

5731 Black Walnut Point, Tilghman Island MD



Sunday August 10, 2025 • 10 am -5 pm



the "Watermen's Rodeo" Boat Docking

Plus : Crabs • Regional Food & Beer

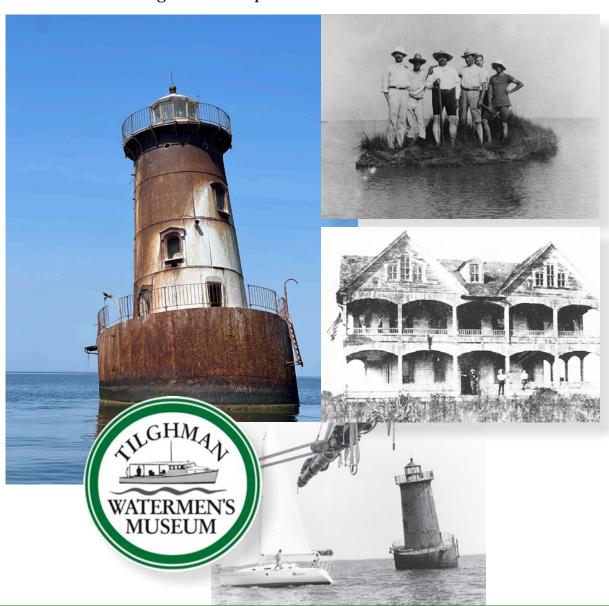
Live Music • Children's Area & Family Activities!

Chesapeake Bay Maritime Museum, St. Michaels, MD

If interested in donating to the Silent Auction or becoming a Boat Docking sponsor, send us an email at talbotwatermen@gmail.com Visit Tilghman Island Watermen's Museum's newest exhibit

SHARP'S ISLAND

Tilghman Watermen's Museum celebrates, preserves and shares the history and heritage of Tilghman Island. Our new exhibit highlights the history of Sharp's Island, the critical function of the lighthouse, and the tireless dedication of the lighthouse keepers. Plan a visit and learn more!





FREE • OPEN TO THE PUBLIC • DONATIONS ACCEPTED

OPEN 10 AM-3 PM, SATURDAY AND SUNDAY
6031 Tilghman Island Road, Tilghman, MD
410-886-1025 • www.tilghmanmuseum.org

Special Tours Upon Request!

2026 CALENDAR

SEND YOUR PICTURES IN FOR THE 2026 TILGHMAN WATERMEN'S MUSEUM CALENDAR!



HELPFUL GUIDELINES:

- RECTANGULAR, TV-SHAPED PHOTOS ARE BEST.
- ISLAND PEOPLE, KIDS, BOATS, PETS ARE GOOD
- FALL AND WINTER SHOTS ARE VERY HELPFUL
- PLEASE DON'T COMPRESS OR EDIT PHOTOS!

 SEND YOUR PHOTOS OR ANY QUESTIONS TO

 MARK AT:

harpoon@atlanticbb.net
THE DEADLINE IS SEPTEMBER 1ST. THANKS
VERY MUCH! SEND YOUR PICTURES ALONG!



BE AN AMBASSADOR

for the Tilghman Watermen's Museum

Share the traditions of the Island and help visitors learn about its working heritage. Training provided.



Contact Mary Kempf 301-661-7607

2025 Summer Season When:

Sunday, August 31st **

Raindates: *Monday, May 26th **Monday, Sept. 1st

8:30am - 12:00pm

LOCATION:

Tilghman Post
Office Parking Lot
5806 Main St
Tilghman, MD 21671



Highlighting local farmers, local restaurants, bakers, musicians, artists, and more!

For Information contact: tilghmanlbm@gmail.com
Facebook: facebook.com/TLBMarket
Instagram: @tilghmanlittlebigmarket



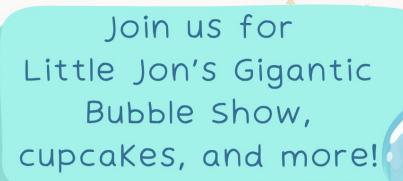




11:00 AM - 1:00 PM



Library - Easton











FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE



TALBOT Ferry Undergoes Unscheduled Repair Drydocking

Oxford, MD — July 24, 2025 — The Oxford-Bellevue Ferry TALBOT was removed from service last week due to a progressively worsening noise coming from the propulsion system. The JettyLight team of Captain Yusmani Garcia and Captain Eric Neustadt, along with JP and Associates LLC principal, Captain John Pepe, delivered the vessel to Yacht Maintenance Company in Cambridge MD for evaluation. Yacht Maintenance Company has a long history of expert service with TALBOT and was deemed the best shipyard to provide this care.

Following the successful drydocking of the vessel on Tuesday, July 23rd, the Yacht Maintenance, JettyLight, and JP and Associates team are now reviewing supply, delivery, and installation lead times for replacement parts to identify how long the ferry's removal from service is likely to be. Once the community impact is understood, updates in the ferry timeline will be shared on social media, through the Talbot County Economic Development team, and on the ferry's automated phone system (410)745-9023.

As the oldest privately operated ferry in the United States, the Oxford-Bellevue Ferry has provided reliable service across the Tred Avon River since 1683, serving as a vital transportation link for residents, tourists, and businesses alike.

For more information on the acquisition and future plans, please contact Captain Jim Andrews at info@oxfordferry.com.

About JettyLight

JettyLight is a premier provider of maritime transportation and waterfront solutions dedicated to enhancing coastal and riverine mobility. With a focus on sustainability, innovation, and community engagement, JettyLight is redefining the future of ferry services and waterfront connectivity.

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August 27

Doors Open @ 6:00 PM

Bingo starts @ 7:00 PM

OPEN TO ALL

Food Service Available JACK POT OVER \$1,000 !!!

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TES Families,



Thanks to our amazing community partners, all students will be provided with their school supplies and a backpack for the 2025–2026 school year.

If your child prefers to bring their own backpack, they are welcome to do so.

If you wish to donate supplies to the school, please reach out to Ashley Harrison at ashley.harrison@talbotschools.org — she'll be happy to share a list of items we could use!





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TES Families,





All HANDS ON DECK for Tilghman Island Day

Tilghman Island Day is October 18, 2025

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!

Contact Linda at 410-886-2453 or lgottleib@gmail.com









The Judy Center Early Learning Hub at Tilghman Elementary

Collaboration and partnerships with the community lie at the heart of Maryland's Judy Center Early Learning Hubs.

Judy Centers are not childcare centers but a comprehensive hub where families can participate in family learning experiences and receive services and support.

Judy Centers are in Title 1 and high-needs Elementary Schools in every Maryland jurisdiction. There are 96 Judy Centers across the state.

Judy Centers empower a child's first teachers- their families- by supporting child development and early learning skills for our youngest learners from birth through Kindergarten.



21374 Foster Road Tilghman, Maryland 21671

410.886.2391

Judy Center programming is developed with funds from the Maryland

State Department of Education
Division of Early Childhood

The Judy Center Early Learning Hub at Tilghman Elementary

We Offer:

FAMILY ENGAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

PLAY GROUPS

DEVELOPMENTAL SCREENINGS

CARE CLOSET

ASSISTANCE NAVIGATING COMMUNITY RESOURCES SUCH AS:

CHILD CARE
ADULT/CONTINUING
EDUCATION
LOCAL FOOD BANKS
AND MUCH MORE!





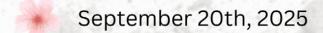


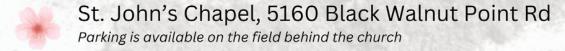


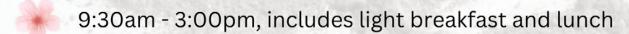
Lori Julian, Coordinator lori.julian@talbotschools.org

Bonnie Callahan, Service Coordinator bonnie.callahan@talbotschools.org

Discover the many ways the Judy Center can benefit your family! Beauty for Ashes Isaiah 61:3







Register at www.stjohnschapeltilghman.org

Guest Speaker: Lisa Yerby Bryson

Join us for a day celebrating women with the challenges we face in the roles we serve, bringing beauty from ashes throughout all stages of life.