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## **VIRGINIA BEACH OCEANFRONT EVENTS ANNOUNCED FOR 2022**

### ***Presenting a Variety of Festival and Concert Experiences***

VIRGINIA BEACH, Va.— The City of Virginia Beach and Beach Events are proud to announce the line-up of concerts, festivals, and entertainment coming to the Virginia Beach oceanfront in 2022. The exciting and eclectic schedule will include the always popular signature events as well as a variety of unique entertainment experiences including family shows, art and cultural events, and holiday celebrations.

Designed to provide entertainment for both visitors and the residents of Hampton Roads, the 2022 calendar of mostly free events will begin in April and continue through the holidays. Daily, Live! On Atlantic programming begins April 22 with the always-popular Atlantic Coast Kite Festival rounding out the first month of activities. Visitors and residents can enjoy the arts throughout the summer with events such the Virginia International PANfest and Chalk the Walk.

After a two-year hiatus, Pungo Offroad Monsters on the Beach presented by Eastern Truck & Accessories roars onto the sand for four-wheeling fun. Additional family favorites include Beach Blanket Cinema, Holiday Parade at the Beach, BayPort Credit Union Holiday Lights at the Beach, and the Family HolidayBike Night.

We celebrate the seasons with Salute to Summer, Stars and Stripes Celebration, and Labor Day Weekend Oceanfront Concert Series. We round-out 2022 with BayPort Credit Union Holiday Lights at the Beach where guests navigate their vehicles through holiday, nautical, and adventure-themed light displays on the Virginia Beach Boardwalk. Additional festivals offer something for everyone throughout the summer, including Beach Music Weekend, La Fiesta! Virginia Beach, Totally Tribute Music Fest, Virginia

Beach Funk Fest Beach Party, and the Virginia Beach Craft Beer, Bar-B-Que, and Blues.

For remaining events in 2021, including the BayPort Credit Union Holiday Lights at the Beach, visit [BeachEventsVB.com](http://BeachEventsVB.com).

### **April**

- Friday, April 22-Sunday, April 24 - **Live! On Atlantic** entertainment program on the closed streets and in 17th and 24th Street Parks
- Friday, April 29-Saturday, April 30 – **Live! On Atlantic** entertainment program on the closed streets and in 17th and 24th Street Parks
- Saturday, April 30-Sunday, May 1 - **Atlantic Coast Kite Festival**

### **May**

- Friday, May 6-Saturday, May 7 - **Live! On Atlantic** entertainment program on the sidewalks, streets and in 17th and 24th Street Parks (along Atlantic Avenue from 16<sup>th</sup> to 25th Streets; on 19th and 23<sup>rd</sup> closed streets)
- Friday, May 6-Saturday, May 7 – **Virginia International PANfest**
- May 13-Saturday, May 14 - **Live! On Atlantic** entertainment program on the sidewalks, streets and in 17th and 24th Street Parks (along Atlantic Avenue from 16<sup>th</sup> to 25th Streets; on 19th and 23<sup>rd</sup> closed streets)
- May 20-Saturday, May 21 - **Live! On Atlantic** entertainment program on the sidewalks, streets and in 17th and 24th Street Parks (along Atlantic Avenue from 16<sup>th</sup> to 25th Streets; on 19th and 23<sup>rd</sup> closed streets)
- Friday, May 13-Sunday, May 15 – **Pungo Offroad Monsters on the Beach, presented by Eastern Truck & Accessories**
- Friday, May 20-Sunday, May 22 – **Beach Music Weekend**
- Friday, May 27-Sunday, May 29 – **Salute to Summer**
- Friday, May 27-Tuesday, May 31 - **Live! On Atlantic** entertainment program on the sidewalks, streets and in 17th and 24th Street Parks (along Atlantic Avenue from 16<sup>th</sup> to 25th Streets; on 19th and 23<sup>rd</sup> closed streets)

### **June**

- Wednesday, June 1-Thursaday, June 30 - **Live! On Atlantic** entertainment program on the sidewalks, streets and in 17th and 24th Street Parks (along Atlantic Avenue from 16<sup>th</sup> to 25th Streets; on 19th and 23<sup>rd</sup> closed streets)
- Wednesday, June 8 – **Oceanfront Concert Series**
- Wednesday, June 15 – **Oceanfront Concert Series**
- Wednesday, June 22 – **Oceanfront Concert Series**

- Saturday, June 18 - **Chalk the Walk**
- Thursday, June 23 - **Beach Blanket Cinema**
- Friday, June 24-Saturday, June 25 – **La Fiesta! Virginia Beach**
- Thursday, June - **Beach Blanket Cinema**

## July

- Friday, July 1-Sunday, July 31 - **Live! On Atlantic** entertainment program on the sidewalks, streets and in 17th and 24th Street Parks (along Atlantic Avenue from 16<sup>th</sup> to 25th Streets; on 19th and 23<sup>rd</sup> closed streets, and 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> Streets)
- Friday, July 1-Sunday, July 3 - **Totally Tribute Music Fest**
- Monday, July 4 - **Stars and Stripes Celebration**
- Wednesday, July 6 - **Oceanfront Concert Series**
- Wednesday, July 13 - **Oceanfront Concert Series**
- Wednesday, July 20 - **Oceanfront Concert Series**
- Wednesday, July 27 - **Oceanfront Concert Series**
- Thursday, July 7 - **Beach Blanket Cinema**
- Thursday, July 14 – **Beach Blanket Cinema**
- Thursday, July 21 – **Beach Blanket Cinema**
- Thursday, July 28 – **Beach Blanket Cinema**

## August

- Monday, August 1-Sunday, July 28 - **Live! On Atlantic** entertainment program on the sidewalks, streets and in 17th and 24th Street Parks (along Atlantic Avenue from 16<sup>th</sup> to 25th Streets; on 19th and 23<sup>rd</sup> closed streets, and 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> Streets)
- Wednesday, August 3 – **Oceanfront Concert Series**
- Wednesday, August 10 – **Oceanfront Concert Series**
- Wednesday, August 17 – **Oceanfront Concert Series**
- Thursday, August 4 - **Beach Blanket Cinema**
- Thursday, August 11 – **Beach Blanket Cinema**
- Thursday, August 18 – **Beach Blanket Cinema**
- Thursday, August 25 – **Beach Blanket Cinema**
- Friday, August 26-Saturday, August 27 – **Virginia Beach Funk Fest Beach Party**

## September

- Friday, September 2 - Sunday, Sunday, September 4 - **Live! On Atlantic** entertainment program on the sidewalks, streets and in 17th and 24th Street

Parks (along Atlantic Avenue from 16<sup>th</sup> to 25th Streets; and on 19th and 23<sup>rd</sup> closed streets)

- Friday, September 2-Sunday, September 4 - **Labor Day Weekend Oceanfront Concert Series**

### **October**

- Saturday, October 29 - **Virginia Beach Craft Beer, Bar-B-Que, and Blues**

### **November**

- Friday, November 18-Sunday, January 1 – **BayPort Credit Union Holiday Lights at the Beach**

### **December**

- Saturday, December 3 – **Holiday Parade at the Beach**
- Sunday, January 1 – **Family Holiday Bike Night**

The Beach Events program is sponsored by the City of Virginia Beach and produced by IMGoing.

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