



# VIRGINIA MILITARY TATTOO

APRIL 18 - 27, 2024

Take part in one of the most awe-inspiring military performances in the world at the Virginia International Tattoo! See the amazing performers, and tour many historical sites on this tour of Virginia, Maryland, and Delaware.

**Day 1 // O'Fallon, IL** Our journey eastward begins today with a stop off in Illinois for our first nights hotel stay.

**Day 2 // Lexington, KY** After a stop for lunch along our path, we will enjoy an afternoon **Kentucky Backroads Tour**. Our guide will take us to several horse farms as well as share his own experience working for the Colonel Sanders himself! Then we'll check into our hotel for the night in Lexington.

**Day 3 // Richmond, VA** The drive to Virginia Beach continues today! One of our stops will be in Bleckley, West Virginia where we can explore the unique wares of local artists, artisans, craftspeople, woodworkers and more in the charming **Tamarack Marketplace**.

**Day 4 // Virginia Beach, VA** Today we enjoy our tour's main event! The **Virginia International Tattoo** brings together representatives from across the entire globe for a breathtaking spectacle. Watch from our premium reserved seats as bands, color guards, singers, dancers, and performers from all over the world will be present to perform as representatives of

international and domestic military forces. Representatives will be present for the 2024 Tattoo from Australia, France, Latvia, New Zealand, Singapore, Ukraine, United Kingdom, and the United States. This afternoon, explore the **Virginia Beach Boardwalk** with its 3-mile stretch of restaurants, art, museums, and historic sites. There's so much to see and fun to be had, not least of which the iconic 24-foot, 12-ton King Neptune Statue.

**Day 5 // Virginia Beach, VA** Kick off the day with a tour of the **Military Aviation Museum**. Take a trip back to a time and view these monuments of military history. See one of the largest collections of flying WWI and WWII military aircraft in the world and hear stories of contributions made by the men and women of aviation to our country. Enjoy **lunch** together followed by a historic airplane flight demonstration. (demonstration pending weather and plane mechanics) Enjoy **dinner** at the Grand Affairs with a nautical themed **Mermaid Welcome Reception** then complete the evening with a musical performance from **the Original Rhondels**. The outstanding vocals, powerful brass, and exciting showmanship will astound as the Rhondels perform many of their hits!

**Day 6 // Ocean City, MD** This morning we will tour the **Nauticus and the National Maritime Center**. This exciting science and technology center explores the power of the sea. Visit the **Battleship USS Wisconsin**, one of the largest Battleships ever built. You'll also learn about the port of Hampton Roads and the role it played in world maritime affairs is the high-tech, virtual reality museum. Enjoy lunch on your own, **freetime at the Waterside Marketplace**, and an included **dinner at the Captain's Table Restaurant**.

**Day 7 // Ocean City, MD** Our day will begin with a **step-on guided tour of Assateague Island**, home of the famed "wild ponies". Browse

**Departs:** Wichita, OKC, Tulsa

**Included Meals:**

- 9 Breakfasts
- 3 Lunches
- 4 Dinners



**Activity Level**



**\$3299 Double**  
**\$2999 Quad**

**\$3149 Triple**  
**\$3999 Single**

\$300 Non-Refundable Deposit Per Person  
Optional Travel Protection Available  
Final Payment Due 90 days before departure

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through the shops down main street in the quaint, historic town of Berlin. This afternoon you'll have some free time in Ocean City before we depart for a fabulous performance with a delicious **dinner** at the **Dickens Dinner Theater**.

**Day 8 // Claymont, DE** Today, we will pay a visit to the **Dover Air Mobility Command Museum**. The museum houses over 30 aircraft varying in roles and sizes, and has exhibits telling the story of humanitarian and airlift and air refueling history. Then we'll explore the area by motorcoach with an **Odessa Historic homes tour**. Finish the day with **dinner** at the historic **Cantwell's Tavern**.

**Day 9 // Claymont, DE** See the classic beauty of the **Longwood Gardens**. Explore the nearly 200 acres of lush, formal gardens, open meadows, and winding paths to the breathtaking vistas. The mesmerizing displays, feats of engineering, and research are sure to inspire! Then, nestled in the heart of Delaware's beautiful Brandywine Valley, tour the extraordinary museum, garden, and library at **Winterthur Museum & Gardens**.

**Day 10 // Home** Our adventure draws to a close as we board the plane to fly back home after our inspiring trip to this historical area of the United States.

