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Choptank River museum open for season

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DENTON The Choptank River Heritage Center, a museum that highlights Caroline County's maritime history, has opened for the season.

The center, located at the Joppa Steamboat Wharf on River Landing Road in West Denton, will be open from noon to 4 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays through Labor Day.

The CRHC is housed in a historic schooner and steamboat warehouse on the upper Choptank River and is one of only two remaining riverfront warehouses in Maryland. The center seeks to preserve and interpret the interrelationship of the evolution of the land and its inhabitants and the Choptank River through research, programs, exhibits and publications. Visitors can tour the Choptank River Heritage Center, which includes a passenger waiting room, the steamship agent's office, exhibits, artifacts and several outbuildings. The CRHC also offers detailed Choptank and Tuckahoe Rivers Water Trails Map Guides that are available for purchase at the center.



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The CRHC is open free of charge, though donations are greatly appreciated. The center is also seeking volunteers interested in staffing the museum. If you are interested in volunteering or would like more information, contact the Caroline Office of Tourism at 410-479-0655.

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