# History of the Bel Air Mansion

John Garland and Peggy Pollard built their home at the mouth of Deep Creek in Lancaster County, Virginia in 1942. Designed by Colonial Williamsburg architectural historian, Thomas Tileston Waterman, *Bel Air* was inspired by the Pollard ancestral home in King and Queen County, c. 1734.

#### **Guest House**

The Guest House sits 15 feet off a cove on Deep Creek. Picture and bay windows provide a beautiful view of sunsets over the Rappahannock River. The building is furnished with standard cabin-style furniture.

### **General Information**

The houses can be rented together or separately. The facility is well suited for weddings and other large events. Please see the brochure titled *Special Events* for more information on holding your wedding, family reunion, or similar gathering at this splendid location.

- Linens are provided.
- Smoking is not permitted.
- Check in is 4 pm and check out is 10am.
- A weeklong stay is required between Memorial Day and Labor Day. Weekly rentals run Monday to Monday.
- A two night minimum is required the remainder of the year.
- During the peak season, a two night minimum is allowed, if reserving less than 30 days in advance.
- The *Bel Air* Mansion has an occupancy limit of 6 overnight guests.
- Guest House sleeps 5 people, no more than 8 are allowed. Linens for 5 only.
- Canoes available seasonally, based on combined air and water temperatures.
- Area and facility shown by appointment only.

# **Directions to Belle Isle State Park**

**From Warsaw**: Take State Route 3 to SR 354. Turn right and follow for three miles. Turn right onto SR 683 near Litwalton to the park entrance.

**From Kilmarnock**: Take Route 3 West to Lively. Turn left on SR 201 for approximately 3 miles. Turn right on SR 354 and travel 3.7 miles and take left on SR 683 to park entrance.

See the *Special Events* brochure for information on holding a wedding, family reunion, or other event at the park.



View of *Bel Air* from the lawn, which overlooks the mouth of Deep Creek to the beautiful Rappahannock River.



#### **Belle Isle State Park**

1632 Belle Isle Road Lancaster, Virginia 22503 Phone 804-462-5030

# Virginia State Parks

# Belle Isle State Park Bel Air



Bel Air



**Guest House** 

The *Bel Air* area is a 33-acre peninsula of land at the mouth of Deep Creek in Lancaster County. Views of the beautiful sunsets over the Rappahannock River make this Northern Neck landmark an ideal place to spend a week with friends, family, or associates.



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#### **BEL AIR MANSION**

# **First Floor Layout:**

- Kitchen-fully furnished, microwave, dishwasher (detergent provided), refrigerator with ice maker, pots, pans, cooking utensils, measuring cups, coffee maker.
- Laundry Room-(Detergent not provided)
- Dining Room-table with seats for eight, two side tables with seats for 2 each, gas fireplace.
- Living Room-three sofas, television (no reception), VCR/DVD player, gas fireplace.
- Library-one sofa, two chairs, books.
- Deep Creek bedroom-queen size bed, dresser, adjacent full bathroom.
- Maid's room-day bed, adjacent full bathroom.

# **Second Floor Layout:**

- Pollard bedroom-queen size bed, full bathroom.
- Rappahannock Bedroom-two twin beds, shared full bathroom.
- Northwest bedroom-one twin bed, shared full bathroom.
- Two canoes provided along with bicycles. See important note below.

### **GUEST HOUSE**

# The floor plan includes:

- Kitchen-fully furnished, dishwasher (detergent provided), coffee maker, pots, pans, cooking utensils, and measuring cups.
- Master Bedroom-queen size bed, closet, vanity top with sink and drawers for storage, shared full bathroom.
- Bedroom-bunk bed with full size on bottom and single on top, shared full bathroom.
- Great Room-Television (no reception), DVD player, two sofas, matching chairs, two rocking chairs.
- Two canoes and bicycles provided for guests. See important note below.

NOTE: Canoes are seasonal and based on combined air and water temperatures. Pick up life jackets, paddles, and keys (to unlock the canoes) at the Camp Store when you check in.

# **Bel Air Houses**

Bel Air House (aka Mansion) (max. 6 people)

Guest House (beds & linens for 5, allows 8)

Virginia Resident Fees:

Prime Season**	<u>Nightly</u>	Weekly
Bel Air Mansion	\$322	\$ 1,932
Guest House	\$161	\$ 966
Standard Season*	<b>Nightly</b>	Weekly
Bel Air Mansion	\$291	\$ 1,744
Guest House	\$145	\$ 869

**Non-Resident Fees:** 

Prime Season**	<u>Nightly</u>	<u>Weekly</u>
Bel Air Mansion	\$370	\$ 2,222
Guest House	\$185	\$1,111
Standard Season*	<b>Nightly</b>	Weekly
Bel Air Mansion	\$334	\$ 2,006
Guest House	\$167	\$ 999

<sup>\*</sup>Two-night minimum required stay

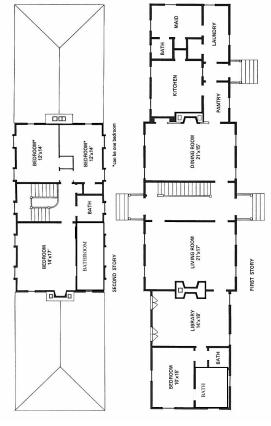
# Pet Fee is \$10 per pet, per night

Reservations must be made through the Customer Service Center by calling 1-800-933-PARK(7275). Application for Special Use Permit must be sent to the Park if you will be holding a wedding, family reunion, or other special event at the Bel Air Area.

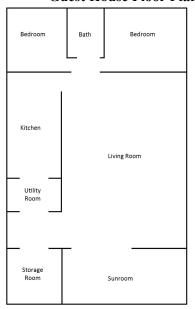
## **Cabin Seasons:**

Prime: April through October
Standard: November through March\*

#### **Bel Air Mansion** Floor Plan



#### **Guest House Floor Plan**



Effective 1/27/2020

<sup>\*\*</sup>Seven-night minimum required stay

<sup>\*</sup>The following major holiday periods will be charged prime season weekend rates: Night before Thanksgiving; Thanksgiving; Christmas Eve & Christmas Day; New Year's Eve & New Year's Day.