CAMWS 2016

Travel Information (see also: http://www.colonialwilliamsburg.com/plan/groups/meetings-and-conferences/getting-here/)

By Plane

Three airports service the Williamsburg area:

Richmond International Airport (RIC) is about 45 miles WNW of Colonial Williamsburg. Airlines flying through Richmond include American, Delta, Jetblue, Southwest, United). Travel time is about an hour, depending on traffic on I-64.

Newport News/Williamsburg International Airport (PHF; quondam Patrick Henry field), fed by hubs in Atlanta, Charlotte, and Philadelphia, is about 25 miles SSE of Colonial Williamsburg. Travel time is about half an hour, depending on traffic on I-64.

Norfolk International Airport (ORF) is about 45 miles SSE of Colonial Williamsburg. Airlines flying through ORF include American, Delta, Southwest, United). Travel time is about an hour, depending on traffic on I-64 and the Hampton Roads Bridge tunnel (notorious for back-ups).

Departing guests should arrive at the airport at least 90 minutes before departure, and international travelers should allow at least two hours.

Shuttle Services from the airports

Tidewater Coach has a special (and very generous) deal for CAMWSians. See http://www.tidewatercoach.com/CAMWS. One way, single rides are: \$25 (PHF), \$50 (RIC), \$75 (ORF). Please make reservations at least one day in advance (more notice is better).

There are also a few limousine services, but Tidewater Coach will be your best bet by far.

Rental Cars from the airports

All major rental car companies have offices at RIC, PHF, and ORF. Self-parking at the Lodge is complimentary for registered guests, valet parking is \$10.00/night.

By Car

To reach the Lodge, from I-64, take exit 238 to 143 (Merrimac Trail) E (you'll be heading to Camp Peary—restricted). Take VA-143 E/Merrimac Trail, Capitol Landing Rd. Capitol Landing becomes Waller Street. At the dead end, turn right onto Francis St E; Turn right onto S England St. The Williamsburg Lodge will be on your right (just after Newport Avenue)

By Train

Amtrak comes right into Williamsburg (468 N Boundary St; https://www.amtrak.com/home) just a couple of blocks (1 mile) north of the Lodge. Walkable if you don't have a great deal of luggage (see map below).

By Bus

Greyhound comes right into Williamsburg (468 N Boundary St; http://locations.greyhound.com/bus-stations/us/virginia/williamsburg/bus-station-331188), just a couple of blocks (1 mile) north of the Lodge.

Taxi Cabs (from Williamsburg Transportation Center to the Lodge)

Triangle Taxi: 757.564.6969; http://www.triangletaxiwilliamsburg.com/

Colonial Capital Cabs: 757.345.2224; http://www.colonialcapitalcabs.com/

Best Taxi Williamsburg: 757.358.7151; http://www.besttaxiwilliamsburgva.com/

There is usually a queue of taxis waiting when the train arrives.

By Horse

Allow some extra travel time: about 75 miles per day by coach, about 60 miles per day on horseback.

By Ship

From Blackwell (London), sail "south until the butter melts" to a latitude around the Canaries (where you'll likely want to lay in provender) before heading West to pick up the North East trade winds. Do be sure to stop in the Caribbean (Dominica, Guadalupe, Nevis, the Virgin Islands, Martinique—but I advise against boar hunting!) before heading into the "Bay of Chesupioc" to land at Cape Henry. Then up the James to "Jamestowne Iland". Do be sure to give yourself 144 days. Good time to read Shakespeare's Tempest;-)

