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VSAE 2018 NAUTICUS AND THE BATTLESHIP WISCONSIN Sunday, May 6 2018

Sunday, May 6

11am	Meet on the first floor of Hilton Norfolk The Main (atrium level).
11:10am	Depart Hilton to walk to Waterside District.
11:15am – 12:15pm	Lunch on your own in The Market at Waterside District (gift cards to be provided). Featuring ten curated culinary and beverage experiences, you will be able to choose your cuisine! The Market offers everything from local pizza, wings, sandwiches and barbeque to made-to-order salads and Asian fare such as sushi, ramen, and dim sum. Have a seat at one of the main bars and a server will take your order from their diverse menu!
12:15pm	Depart Waterside District to walk to Nauticus and the Battleship Wisconsin
12:30pm - 2pm	Explore the Battleship <i>Wisconsin</i> , the largest and last battleship ever built by the U.S. Navy during a guided private tour. You will walk through previously sealed off areas of the Battleship including the Captain's cabin, Admiral's cabin, Combat Engagement Center, Flag Bridge, navigation Bridge and Quartermaster's space. This 90 minute tour involves climbing up to 4 decks (aka floors) and entering small spaces. Participants must wear comfortable walking shoes.
2pm – 3:30pm	After the guided tour you will have free time to explore Nauticus on your own. Nauticus is an exciting interactive science and technology center that explores the naval, economic, and nautical power of the sea. It features Battleship Wisconsin-related exhibits, hands-on exhibits, national-caliber traveling exhibits, HD and 3D films on a giant screen, sharks, the Hampton Roads Naval Museum and more!
3:30pm	Meet in the Main Lobby at the entrance of Nauticus on the first level.
3:45pm	Depart to walk back to Hilton Norfolk The Main. Tour concludes.