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Portsmouth Naval Shipyard Museum Reopens

(PORTSMOUTH, VA - March 7, 2019) - The Portsmouth Naval Shipyard Museum, dedicated to exploring the history of America's oldest and largest naval shipyard, is now reopen to the public. After being closed for repairs, the shipyard museum will operate now through March 31, Wednesday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Beginning Wednesday, April 3, the museum's hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Wednesday through Saturday and 1 - 5 p.m. on Sundays.

The Portsmouth Naval Shipyard Museum offers visitors a unique perspective on U.S. history, from Colonial to the Civil War era and beyond. Patrons will find beautifully crafted ship models, weapons, uniforms, military artifacts and photographs depicting life in Portsmouth during the 18th, 19th and 20th centuries. For more information, call the Portsmouth Museums department at 757-393-8983 or visit <http://www.portsmouthva.gov/305/Museums>.

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