



**Miss Corrie Luus
Queen Azalea XV**

Miss Corrie Luus, daughter of The Netherlands Foreign Minister, Dr. Joseph M. A. H. Luus, and Mrs. Luus, will reign as Queen Azalea XV at the International Azalea Festival in Norfolk, Virginia, April 24-28. She succeeds Miss Monique Van den Boeynants of Belgium, 1967 Azalea Queen.

The tall and graceful Miss Luus is a doctor's assistant in Leyden, near The Hague and includes riding, swimming and sailing among her hobbies. She was educated in The Hague and attended college in Switzerland.

The Azalea Festival is Norfolk's annual salute to all the member nations of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization and the Queen's Court of Princesses will represent each of the other NATO countries. They are: Belgium, Canada, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Norway, Portugal, Turkey, United Kingdom and the United States.

NORFOLK'S SPRING GARDEN TOUR

Thursday, April 25
10 A.M. - 5 P.M. (free or \$1.00)

Norfolk's 1968 Suburban Walking Tour of Gardens will include a circuit from the back lanes of North Shore Point (Algonquin Park) where four houses and gardens will be open, and a visit to three apartments high in the nearby Algonquin House.

This tour includes visits through some of Norfolk's most elegant homes where the visitor sees an antique furniture room, several gardens, and numerous aquarium and plant life. The gardens of four residences will be flowering in all their spectacular glory with azaleas, camellias, roses and other spring flowers.

Information concerning the annual Suburban Walking Tour may be obtained from the Norfolk Chamber of Commerce or the Tidewater Automobile Association. Tickets are \$2.50 per person.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

For free tickets, or for lists of models and hotels offering special Festival rates, write: Norfolk Chamber of Commerce, Box AF, 259 South Street, Norfolk, Virginia 23500.

TWILIGHT POPS CONCERT

Thursday, April 25 at 7:30 P.M.

The Norfolk Symphony Orchestra presents a special concert in the Center Theatre.

OPEN HOUSE

Wednesday, April 24

9:30 A.M. to 2:30 P.M.

Daylight Tour 4:30 P.M. - 9:30 P.M.

You are invited to tour eight of the famous Jamestown Exposition houses at the Norfolk Naval Station. Erected by various states, the houses are now the homes of Navy Admirals and Marine Generals. Advance tickets are \$2.00 at the Golden Triangle, Norfolk Historical Society and Norfolk Museum.

CONCERT UNDER THE STARS

Friday, April 26 at 8:30 P.M.

Beneath the gentle Virginia starlight, the Azalea Queen and her entire court will reign over a musical variety show at Foreman Field. For your enjoyment the Navy Show Band, which has toured Latin America, will perform.

AZALEA FESTIVAL PARADE

Saturday, April 27 at 9:30 A.M.

Magnificent floats representing the various NATO nations and spectacular marching units parade the Queen and her Court in this exciting and colorful parade through downtown Norfolk.

CORONATION OF QUEEN CORRIE

Saturday, April 27 at 2:30 P.M.

Queen Azalea XV will be crowned with royal pomp and pageantry at the Gardens Amphitheatre. A shimmering pond lined with cascading azaleas will form her backdrop. Each of the 14 International Princesses will be individually crowned by a dignitary from her respective country. Special bus transportation will be available from points throughout Norfolk.

MILITARY AERIAL AND UNDERWATER SHOWS

Sunday, April 28 at 1:30 P.M.

The famed Air Force Thunderbirds and the Army's outstanding parachute team, The Golden Knights will perform at the Naval Amphibious Base. The Navy's Underwater Demolition Team (Frogmen) will feature an aquatic demonstration.