

The Pathways of History

Saturday, October 7, 2017 ~ 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Sunday, October 8, 2017 ~ Noon – 4:00 PM

Tours Within the Tour

Since we are presenting an extensive tour this weekend, and time will not permit a visit to every location, below are some suggested “Tours Within the Tour” which include charismatic museums, homes and historical properties of distinction. You may of course select your own destinations. Wherever your path takes you, we know you will enjoy your tour.

Blue Tour

- 1 Florham Park Historic Preservation Commission – Little Red Schoolhouse
- 2 Boonton Historical Society and Museum – Boonton Museum at the Dr. John Taylor House
- 3 Historical Society of Boonton Township – Oscar A. Kincaid Home of History
- 4 Township of Montville – Henry Doremus Dutch Stone House
- 5 Township of Montville – Nicholas Vreeland Dutch Stone Out Kitchen

Red Tour

- 6 Lincoln Park Historical Society – Lincoln Park History Museum, Old Library
- 7 Museum of Pequannock Township
- 8 Borough of Butler Museum – New York, Susquehanna & Western Railroad Station
- 9 L’Ecole Kinnelon Museum
- 10 Jefferson Township Historical Society – George Chamberlain House

Gold Tour

- 11 Denville – Ayres/Knuth Farm Foundation
- 12 Historical Society of Old Randolph – Brundage House
- 13 Randolph Friends Meeting House & Cemetery
- 14 Dover Area Historical Society – Dr. Condict House
- 15 Ferromonte Historical Society of Mine Hill – Bridget Smith House

Green Tour

- 16 Lake Hopatcong Historical Museum
- 17 Roxbury Historic Trust, Inc. – The King Store and King House Museums
- 18 Roxbury Township Historical Society – Silas Riggs ‘Saltbox’ House
- 19 Washington Township Historical Society – Union Schoolhouse, Church Ruins & Cemetery
- 20 Washington Township Land Trust – Obadiah LaTourette Grist Mill

Tour Highlights

Locations and Events

Admission is free at all locations

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Florham Park Historic Preservation Commission

Little Red Schoolhouse

203 Ridgedale Avenue

Florham Park 07932

GPS: 40° 47' 18" N, 74° 23' 25" W

- Celebrate the schoolhouse's 150th anniversary
 - Cider making in the 19th century
 - Exhibits illustrating the development of Florham Park
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Boonton Historical Society and Museum

Boonton Museum at the Dr. John Taylor House

210 Main Street, Boonton 07005

GPS: 40° 54' 10" N, 74° 24' 28" W

- Exhibit: *Celebrating Boonton, NJ: 150 Years* – featuring the Centennial Quilt together with photographs, video clips, costumes and dresses
 - Visit the Gift Shoppes – featuring a 2017 publication *Images of America: Boonton* and gift items, books, maps, signed prints and **Boontonware**
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Historical Society of Boonton Township

Oscar A. Kincaid Home of History

591 Powerville Road, Boonton Township 07005

GPS: 40° 57' 17" N, 74° 24' 35" W

- Photographs and documents highlighting the history of Boonton Township
 - Newly-restored Civil War era flag
 - Farm implements at the Road Stand
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Township of Montville

Henry Doremus Dutch Stone House

490 Main Road (US 202), Towaco 07082

GPS: 40° 55' 05" N, 74° 21' 15" W

- Experience 18th and early 19th century Dutch-American family life and architecture
 - See how homes were built utilizing techniques unique to the Dutch-Americans
 - Learn how our early settlers lived during the Revolutionary War
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Township of Montville

Nicholas Vreeland Dutch Stone Out Kitchen

52 Jacksonville Road, Towaco 07082

GPS: 40° 55' 59" N, 74° 20' 33" W

- Visit what is believed to be Morris County's last remaining detached Dutch stone out kitchen
 - See the out kitchen's original hardware, beehive oven and cooking crane
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Lincoln Park Historical Society

Lincoln Park History Museum, Old Library

37 Main Street, Lincoln Park 07035

GPS: 40° 55' 22" N, 74° 18' 35" W

- Native American displays
 - Farming implements illustrating Lincoln Park's ties to its rural past
 - Artifacts and models depicting the town's link to the Morris Canal
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Museum of Pequannock Township

33 Evans Place, Pompton Plains 07444

GPS: 40° 58' 07" N, 74° 17' 36" W

Learn about:

- The Martin Berry House believed to date to 1720
 - James R. Evans, Medal of Honor recipient
 - Reaction Motors' role in the Space Race
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Borough of Butler
New York, Susquehanna & Western Railroad Station
233 Main Street, Butler 07405
GPS: 41° 00' 15" N, 74° 20' 31" W

- **Saturday Only! Classic cars** on display from 12:00 – 3:00 PM
 - Video presentation/slides of the 1957 Pequannoc Rubber Company Fire
 - Free postcards for adults and coloring book/crayons for our younger visitors
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L'Ecole Kinnelon Museum
25 Kiel Avenue, Kinnelon 07405
GPS: 41° 00' 07" N, 74° 21' 41" W

- **2:00 PM both days – Frank Fay, Jr. – Developer or Scoundrel?**
Kinnelon's first large-scale real estate development – Fayson Lakes – was begun in 1927. Tom Kline, Kinnelon Historian, will provide an overview of Mr. Fay's accomplishments and missteps
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Jefferson Township Historical Society
George Chamberlain House
315 Dover-Milton Road, Jefferson (Oak Ridge) 07438
GPS: 41° 01' 12" N, 74° 31' 40" W

- Guided museum tours by docents in authentic Victorian costumes
 - Self-guided tours of Museum's Victorian gardens
 - Historic Milton Village
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Ayres/Knuth Farm Foundation
25 Cooper Road, Denville 07834
GPS: 40° 51' 59" N, 74° 30' 06" W

- Tour the historic farmstead and see the latest preservation projects, special displays, farming related demonstrations and activities
 - Enjoy the pristine vista as a reminder of 200 years of active farming history
 - Visit Union Hill Farms for fresh produce, pumpkin picking and hayrides
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**Historical Society of Old Randolph
Brundage House**

630 Millbrook Avenue, Randolph 07869

GPS: 40° 50' 13" N, 74° 34' 21" W

- Revolutionary War period costumes
- A room exhibiting typical duties and tools of home and hearth
- Mining Room exhibit

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Randolph Friends Meeting House & Cemetery

190 Quaker Church Road, Randolph 07869

GPS: 40° 51' 54" N, 74° 33' 46" W

- Explore the Meeting House interior and Cemetery
- Learn more about the Meeting House from those involved in its preservation
- **Sunday Only: 12:30 PM opening** after conclusion of the Sunday Meeting

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**Dover Area Historical Society
Dr. Condict House**

55 West Blackwell Street, Dover 07801

GPS: 40° 53' 02" N, 74° 33' 40" W

- Dover's World War I Era, including artifacts and movies
- World War I PowerPoint highlighting Hurd Park
- Dover High School Yearbooks – 1917 and 1925 to Present

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Ferromonte Historical Society of Mine Hill
Bridget Smith House

124 Randolph Avenue, Mine Hill 07803

GPS: 40° 52' 25" N, 74° 35' 48" W

- Artifacts from the various mines of the Township
 - Exhibit of “women’s work” tools of the mid-19th and early 20th centuries
 - Artifacts from the onsite archaeological dig
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Lake Hopatcong Historical Museum

At Hopatcong State Park, Landing 07850

GPS: 40° 54' 57" N, 74° 39' 56" W

- The history of New Jersey’s largest lake
 - New exhibit on the Lenape presence at Lake Hopatcong
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Roxbury Historic Trust, Inc.
The King Store & King House Museums
Drakesville Historic Park

209 - 211 Main Street, Ledgewood 07852

GPS: 40° 52' 42" N, 74° 39' 05" W

- New – *Miss Louise’s School Room*
 - Wagon scale in operation at the Store
 - **Sunday Only!** *Living History Day* – blacksmithing and music; hot dogs and refreshments for sale
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Roxbury Township Historical Society
Silas Riggs ‘Saltbox’ House
Drakesville Historic Park

213 Main Street, Ledgewood 07852

GPS: 40° 52' 42" N, 74° 39' 05" W

- Tours of a furnished restored 18th century home
 - Open hearth cooking with sample tastings
 - Vintage textiles, clothing and varied artifacts
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**Washington Township Historical Society
Union Schoolhouse**

6 Fairview Avenue, Long Valley 07853

GPS: 40° 47' 10" N, 74° 46' 47" W

- Exhibits of the famous *Schooley's Mountain Spring and Grand Hotels*
- Learn about the history of the High Bridge Branch of the Central Railroad of New Jersey
- Tour the ruins and burial grounds of the 1774 Old Stone Union Church

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**Washington Township Land Trust
Obadiah LaTourette Grist Mill**

12 East Mill Road, Long Valley 07853

GPS: 40° 47' 05" N, 74° 46' 42" W

- One of the only grist mills with its original equipment intact
- Learn about the important economic contribution the Mill made to Long Valley
- Mill Pond Park – a diverse environmental preserve with easy walking trails