

COVID & April Update



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Breaking News

- 2020 Annual Meeting is being **postponed** 5 months + 2 weeks to
- Mark your calendar for:
- **October 7-11, 2020**
- If you have hotel reservations in April, you need to make them cancelled.
- Book in to our new, larger, room block in October
 - Online: <https://tinyurl.com/rooms-in-Oct-4-CMH>
 - By phone 877-666-3243.



October 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
				N-SSA Fall Nationals		
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			★	★	★	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
★	Columbus Day					
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
						G'burg Show
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
						Halloween

Breaking News

- For members who are unable to travel to the 2020 Annual Meeting for ANY reason, we now have an **online attendance** option.
- With help of Cody Knotts, a professional videographer and member of the West Point Chapter, we will produce and post online videos of 11 events:
 - Annual Business Meeting
 - 9 lecture presentations
 - Tour of Exhibit room
- **CO**mpany **VID**eo registration option has been added to the registration form featuring our new Oct dates.
- At **\$100** it is the lowest price registration option.



Registration Options

	Exhibits	Thurs Receptn	Three Meals Fri, Sat	Fri Field Trip	Bus. Mtg & Nine Lectures	Banquet	Price
Full	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	\$275
Recruit	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	\$250
No Banquet	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		\$225
Cadet	✓			✓	✓		\$175
COmpany VIDEO	✓				✓		\$100

Help Wanted – Coordinators and Managers

Thurs-Sat night

1. **Skype-Master** – Need volunteer to organize, operate equipment and coordinate Skype calls during Thurs reception. **Attribute – Thurs. attendance & tech skills.**

Attention Collectors: Silent Auction

Everybody Makes Mistakes! – As you pack to come to the conference, look around your house. If you see items taking up space you'd rather use for something else, please consider donating them to the Silent Auction at the Company meeting.

The Silent Auction is an opportunity to turn your burden into a blessing for the Company.

100% of proceeds from the Silent Auction will be used to make sure the meeting breaks even.

If you can help, please contact Juanita Leisch 845-754-8827 or lesandjuanita1@hushmail.com



Online Registration

1. You can register for the conference and pay by credit card Online

- Register online at: <https://tinyurl.com/register-4-CMH2020>.
- After you register online you can pay online by credit card, or (to reduce your convenience fees) send a check made out to “CMH-2020” to: CMH-2020, P. O. Box 535 Cuddebackville, NY 112729.

2. You can also book your room online (or by phone)

- Book online at: <https://tinyurl.com/rooms-in-Oct-4-CMH2020>.

(or Call 877-666-3243 and mention the Company of Military Historians.)



Conference Agenda

Great Agenda!

Wed – *Fellows Event*

Workshop

Dinner on Own

Lecture Presentation

Thurs – *Optional Field Trips*

Shopping & Shooting

Spouse-Scursion

7-10pm Welcome Reception (short program starts at 8pm)

Fri – *Primary Field Trip*

One Lecture

Ten Crucial Days Field Trip

Sat – *Day of Lectures*

7 Lectures

Cocktail Party & Banquet

Sun – *Optional Field Trips*

One Lecture

Museum of the American Revolution

NJ National Guard Militia Museum

Displays and Flea Market

- 24-hour security
 - Large octagonal room convenient to our lecture room
 - Up to 2 FREE display tables for each registration form received
 - Purchase additional display tables for only \$40 each
 - Sales tables \$50 each
 - All tables measure 5' x 2'
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- PREVIEW TEASER: display of “Trenton” inscribed powder horn



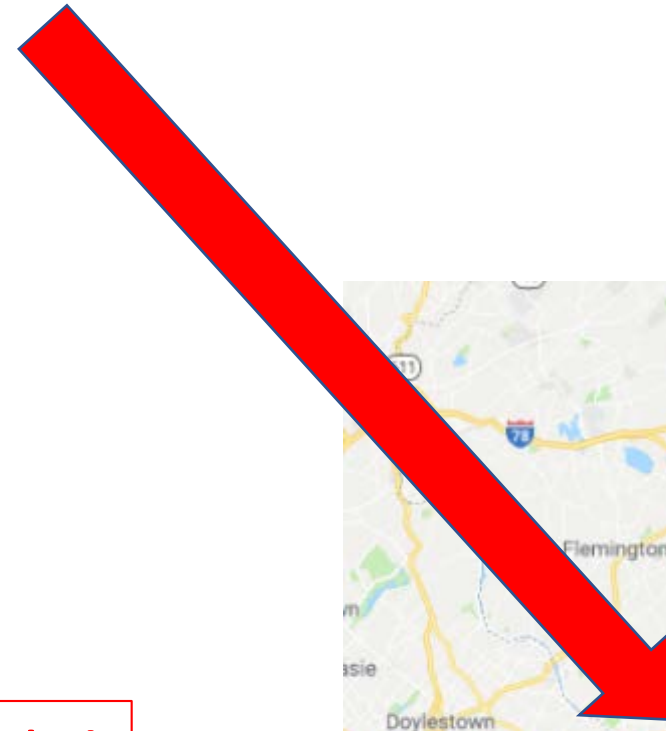
July was REASON #9 to attend
Great Hotel & Great Location

Crowne Plaza Princeton

**Between NYC
(& Newark Airport)
And Phila.**

Room Rate: **\$119 !!**

As low a rate as we've had in a decade!



REASON #9, cont'd

Great Location

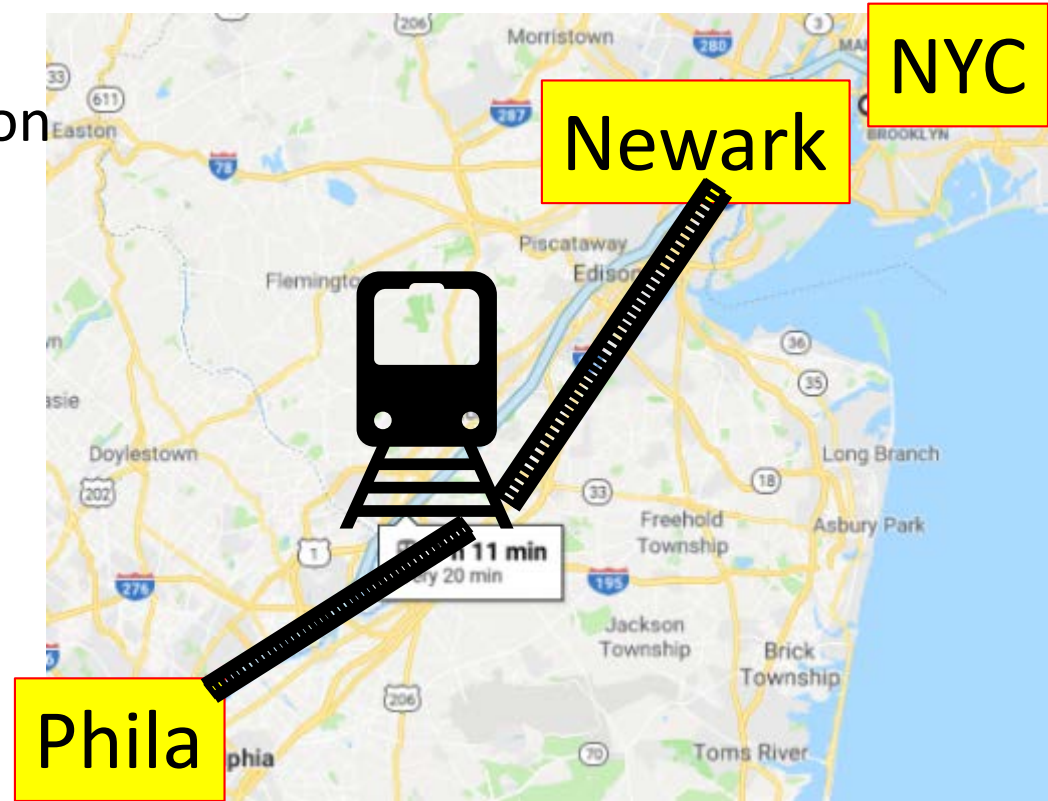
Crowne Plaza Princeton

Transportation options

- FREE parking at hotel
- Access from Newark or Philadelphia Airports
- Easy AMTRAK access
- FREE shuttle to/from Princeton Center Train station

FREE SHUTTLE from Princeton Junction,

No need to DRIVE



THURSDAY

Shopping and Shooting Field Trip

- 9-930 Travel by bus to IMA Warehouse, Gillette , NJ
- 930-1230 Shopping at IMA Warehouse with coffee & donuts and buffet lunch, complements IMA
- 1230-1 Travel by bus to Florham Park Firing range
- 1-430 Opportunity to shoot weapons from flintlock to semi-automatic, weapons and ammunition provided by IMA
- 430-5 Return by bus to Crowne Plaza



Thursday - Option A



Begins with a bang !

Warehouse Visit

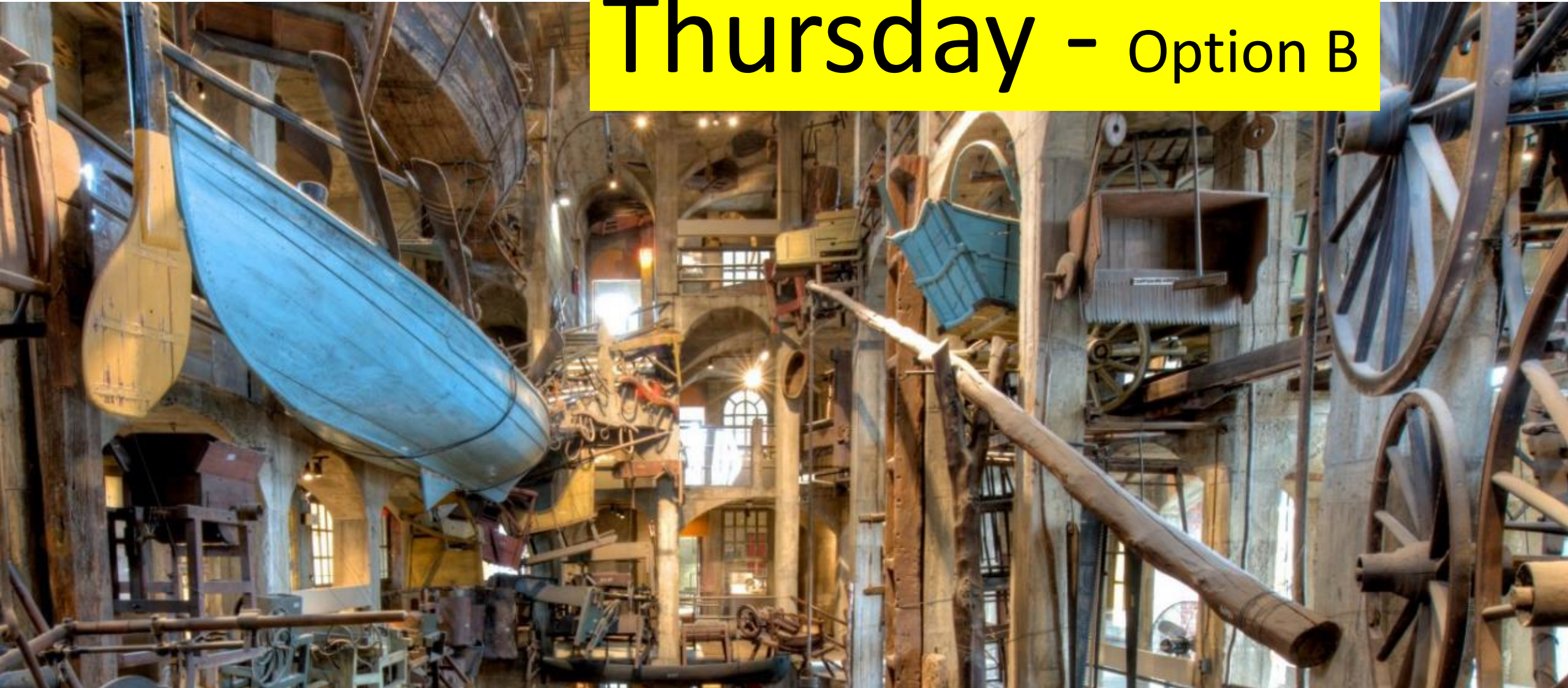
This stuff is
for sale!

International Military Antiques

Shooting Range Visit: Live Fire Opportunity

Shoot live ammo
from flintlock
to full automatic !

Thursday - Option B



Spouse-Scursion to the Mercer Museum
(Doylestown)

Thursday evening



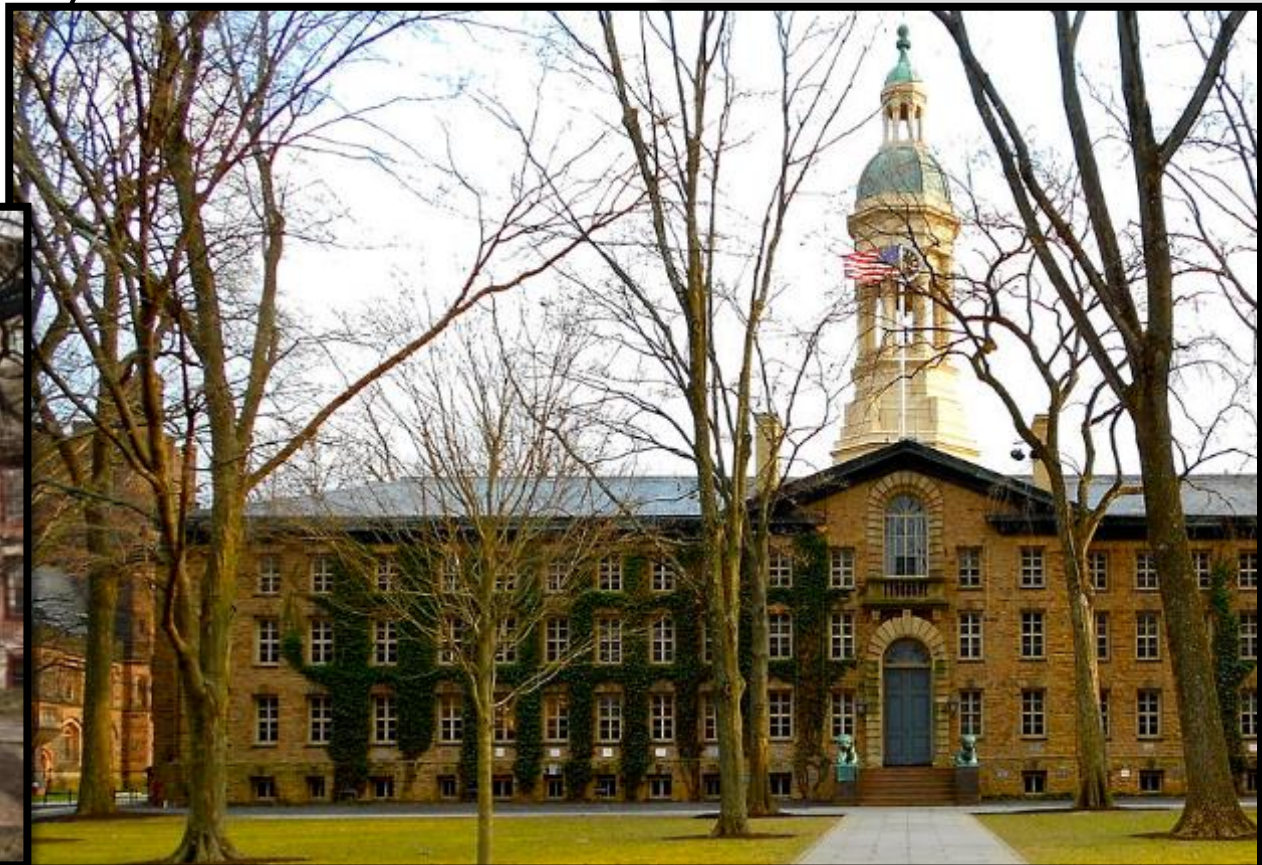
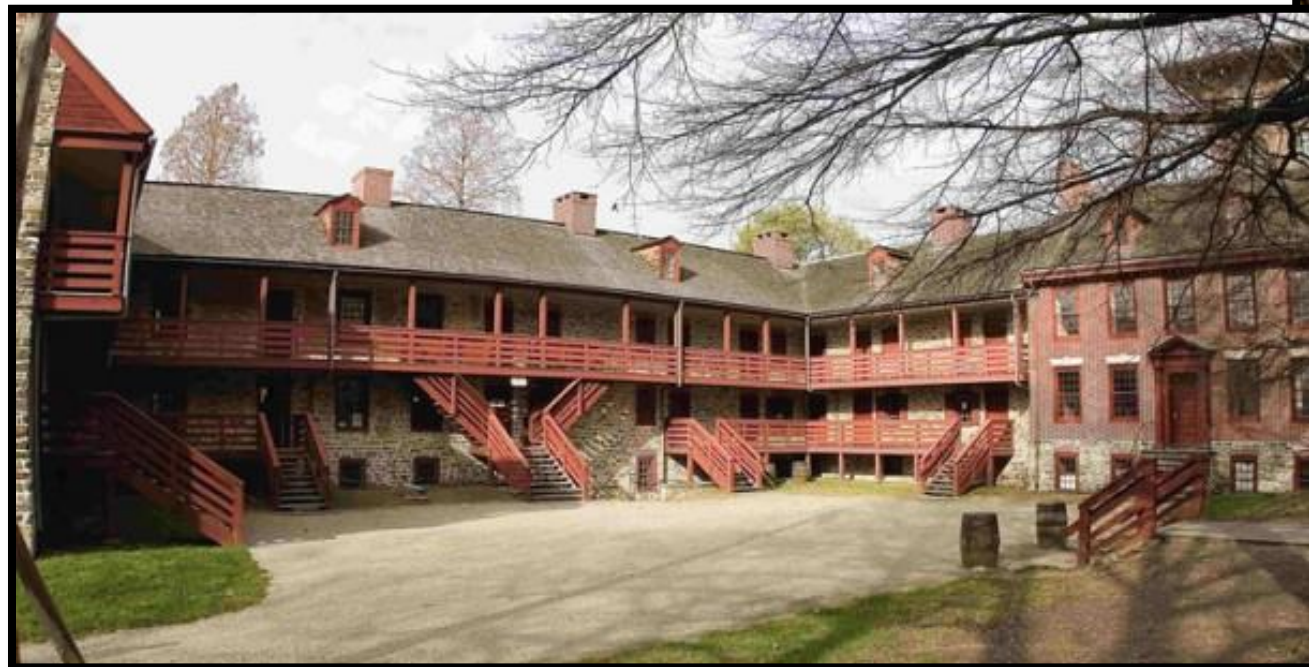
Welcome Reception

Friday

Ten Crucial Days of the Revolution

Field Trip

- Washington's Crossing, PA
- Washington's Crossing, NJ (Swan Collection)
- Old Barracks Museum
- Princeton Battlefield

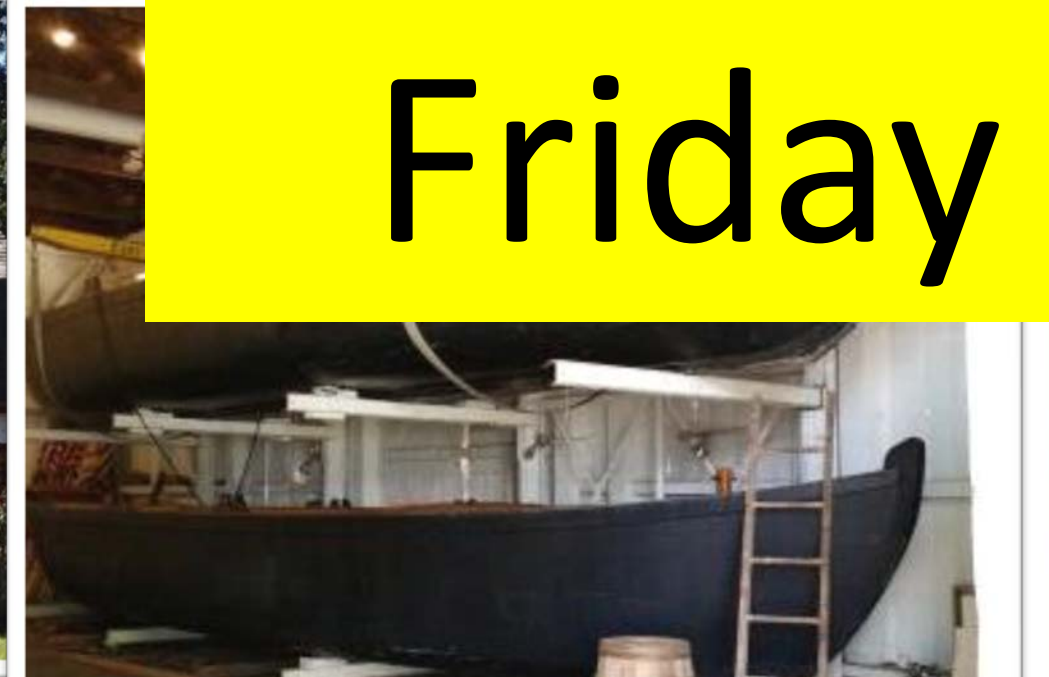


State Park
(NJ)



Friday

State Park
(PA)



Ten Crucial Days of the Revolution



Old Barracks Museum



Driving Tour
(Trenton, Princeton)

Friday evening



Dinner on your own

Saturday



Presentations Day

Lectures & Presentations

FRIDAY

1. The Mud Rounds: The British Invasion and the Great Retreat Across the Jerseys
By **Todd Braisted**



Braisted



MacNutt



Seymour

SATURDAY

2. The Great War: What the Doughboys Told Me
By **Karen MacNutt, LTC Ret.**
3. Pennsylvania's Defenses, 1775-1781
By **Joseph Seymour**
4. Colonial Medicine 1775
By **Robert Jaffee, MD**
5. Guadalcanal: A 75th Anniversary Visit to the Battlefields
By **Mike Gill**
6. Ten Days of the Revolution: A "Southron" View
By **Lawrence E. Babits**



Jaffee



Gill



Babits

7. Depictions of the Common Soldier in the Parlor Music of Civil War America
By **Emily Lapisardi**
8. Uniquely American: The Practice of Engraving Captured Cannon
By **Leslie D. Jensen**



Lapisardi



Jensen



Hill

SUNDAY

9. Regimental Flags of the German "Mercenaries" in the War of the American Revolution
By **Steven W. Hill**

Saturday evening



The Banquet

Two Options for Sunday Field Trips

- Option 1 Travel by bus or private vehicle to Museum of the American Revolution, Philadelphia
- Tour and special “Making the Museum” presentation

- Option 2 Travel by bus or private vehicle to NJ National Guard Militia Museum, Sea Girt
- Special tour by Associate Curator Joe Bilby

Depending on your travel plans, you can travel to these field trips on the bus or in your private vehicle.

