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July 2022 Events & Story Ideas

from LancasterHistory

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Storytime

Every Wednesday in July 10am at LancasterHistory

Gather 'round with LancasterHistory every Wednesday in July at 10am for Storytime! Storytime at LancasterHistory takes place among historic buildings, giving children an immersive history experience. A passionate museum educator will read aloud from a book centered on a historical theme, and then lead a craft or activity inspired by the theme. This program broadens kids' historical knowledge, and establishes museum literacy and critical thinking skills.

The selections for July are:

- · July 6: Gingerbread for Liberty by Mara Rockliff
- July 13: Eliza: The Story of Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton by Margaret McNamara
- July 20: Hidden Figures: The True Story of Four Black Women and the Space Race by Margot Lee Shetterly
- July 27: Henry's Freedom Box: A True Story from the Underground Railroad by Ellen Levine

The program is free, and registration is required to ensure we have craft supplies for everyone. Suggested for ages 12 and under. Register for all four Storytime programs or individual programs online or over the phone by calling (717) 392-4633.

Storytime will take place outdoors unless it rains, in which case it will be moved indoors. All attendees should abide by LancasterHistory's <u>Heath & Safety Protocols for Visitors.</u> We kindly ask that at least one (1) adult 18 years or older attend for every two children.

Event takes place at LancasterHistory, 230 N. President Avenue, Lancaster

Music on the Lawn

Saturday, July 16 6-8pm at LancasterHistory

Enjoy the sounds of the summer on the lawn at LancasterHistory! On Saturday, July 16 at 6pm, spend a relaxing evening outdoors listening to local band, *Mark DeRose & the Dreadnoughts*. *DeRose & the Dreadnoughts* will perform upbeat, feel-good roots, soul, and classic rock music.

Attendees are encouraged to bring their own blankets, foldable chairs, and picnics. Well-behaved, leashed dogs are welcome. If you require any special accommodations to attend, please notify Annie Weeks at (717) 392-4633, ext. 134 or annie.weeks@lancasterhistory.org in advance. Porta potties will be available onsite (including an accessible porta pot). In the event of inclement weather, the call will be made at noon on July 16 and ticketholders will be notified.

Tickets are free for LancasterHistory Members, \$10/Adult (18+) Non-Members, and free for Children 17 & Under. To purchase your tickets in advance, please go online or call (717) 392-4633. Tickets may also be available at-the-door, but are not guaranteed.

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LANCASTERHISTORY HOURS OF OPERATION

LancasterHistory is open to the public Tuesdays - Saturdays from 9:30am - 5pm. Tours of President James Buchanan's Wheatland will also be available Tuesdays - Saturdays beginning at 10am and continuing through 3pm. Beginning July 5, The Research Center will open Tuesdays - Saturdays with timeslots at 9:30am and 1pm.

Plan your visit by reviewing LancasterHistory's **Health & Safety Protocols for Visitors and FAQs.**

Limited-capacity | Reservations recommended