

Bergen County Historical Society

EVENT CARD for Sept 2025 to 2026

Sep 27, Sat

Baron's Oktoberfest, A Birthday Celebration of Major-General Baron Von Steuben. 3 Craft Breweries represented in beer garden, **Particle Theory Band, Meet Major-General Baron von Steuben**, Pumpkin Picking, Bavarian pretzel and Fasnachts/German fritters in the Outkitchen, Empanada truck, hot dogs, Games for Children. Three 18th century stone houses and barn open for tours. Adult: \$15. BCHS member, Designated Driver, & 12-20 yrs: \$10, Beer & Wine: \$8. 1:00-6:00 PM. Raindate, 9/28.

Major-General Baron von Steuben is best remembered for training the Continental troops at Valley Forge. The State of NJ gifts the Zabriskie (Steuben) House to him in 1783. He restores the war damaged house.



October

New Museum Groundbreaking. Dreams really do come true. 10:00 AM



1201 Main Street, River Edge, NJ

Oct 26, Sun

Harvest Homecoming Historian Scott Lance joins us to demonstrate woodworking. All 3 houses and barn are open at the museum site. Making wheat bread, herbed & flavored butters, apple sauce, pumpkin stew of pork, potato, celery in outkitchen. Scarecrow building in front of the Demarest House, last day the barn is open for year, **pumpkin picking**. 1-4:30 PM. **



Nov 8, Sat

Fall Clean-up. Bring tools, water. 8-11 AM.

Nov 9, Sun

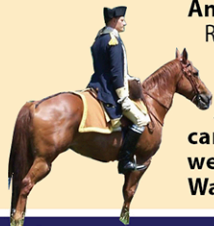
Veterans Day. Join us as we remember our Veterans 10:00 AM, Continental Ave, River Edge.

Nov 22, Sat

Dine with Washington. Fundraiser takes place at the Sanzari's New Bridge Inn. By reservation.

Nov 23, Sun

249th Anniversary of the British Invasion & American Retreat. The Brigade of the American Revolution, The 3d NJ Reg't, The Jersey Grays, 3d Reg't of Foot, Light Infantry Co., & BCHS host this event. Event includes **reading of the American Crisis at the Bridge**, skirmishes, camp life, children's drill, lectures. **We welcome back reenactor John Koopman as Washington who leads the troops across**



Are you interested in volunteering? Join us for the School of Interpretation. We have meetings throughout the year.

Family-friendly events with activities for children Continued ➡

Schedule Subject To Change - **CHECK WEBSITE** For Latest & Greatest!
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the bridge as described by Thomas Paine in 1776! Featuring BCHS's rare Rev War collection & paintings. **Fundraiser:** BCHS members: \$10, Non-members: \$15, Under 18 yrs are free! **10:00 to 4:00 PM ****

Dec 6, Sat

Decorating at Historic New Bridge Landing: for winter holidays. 10 AM - 3 PM. * Email: contactBCHS@bergencountyhistory.org

Dec 7, Sun

Sinterklaas & Dutch Christmas Tea by reservation. Cooking in the Outkitchen, 1-4:30 PM.

Dec 13 & 14,

The 42nd Anniversary of Colonial Christmas Concerts, with **Linda Russell & Co.** takes place in the Steuben House, 2 shows per evening. By reservation. Tavern fare available in the Black Horse Inn - Campbell-Christie House.

Dec 18,

Annual Enchanted Holiday Story Reading with Linda Russell. By Zoom.

Jan 11, 2025

Twelfth Night, BCHS Party. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM
Join BCHS Holiday Party in the c. 1774 Campbell-Christie House.



Walk HNBL, the historic site and view the interpretive sites or take the 12-step History Challenge through the QR Code signs and take the quiz. The grounds are open dawn to dusk. The 1889 swing bridge is safe to walk across.



BCHS website

More info on our website: www.BergenCountyHistory.org

Lecture Series * Steuben House, 1209 Main St, River Edge or Zoom. No charge.

COME HOME TO HISTORY • JOIN TODAY !

Events ** \$12-Adults & \$7-Students (6-22 yrs), BCHS Members-FREE

Historic New Bridge Landing: Bergen County's Premier Historic Site. Battleground in the American Revolution featuring **3** Jersey-Dutch sandstone houses including the **Zabriskie-Steuben House** (a state-historic site) **Campbell-Christie House**, **Demarest House**, barn, tavern, BCHS collections on exhibit, gift shop, outkitchen & refreshments in tavern. Family-friendly events. Free parking. Friendly, leashed dogs allowed on the grounds but not in buildings. We can take credit cards.

HNBL, 1201-1209 Main St, River Edge, NJ. The **New Bridge Landing train stop** on the Pascack Valley line out of Secaucus Junction is only one block away.

The **Bergen County Historical Society** is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit volunteer organization, founded in 1902. Largest landowner at HNBL. We do not receive public operating grants, we live by your donations & membership.



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HNBL is only OPEN for events. Grounds open dawn to dusk.