

A faded historical map of Camden County, Georgia, serves as the background for the top half of the poster. It shows the Savannah River, various towns, and a grid of land parcels.

CAMDEN COUNTY HISTORY MONTH

OCTOBER 2021

A full month of history events, featuring virtual & in-person programs, tours, exhibits, reenactments and children's activities held by over 30 historic sites throughout Camden County!



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HISTORY
MONTH

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
OCTOBER 2021	ONGOING EVENTS • Battleship New Jersey (Daily 10am-4pm) • Merchantville Historical Society (Virtual Presentation) • Ye Olde Newton-Nassau Chapter, NSDAR (Virtual Presentation) • Somerdale Historical Society (Online Tour Guide)			1 • Walt Whitman House (2pm)	2 • Ebenezer Hopkins House (10am-2pm) • Indian King Tavern Museum (10am-12pm, 1-4pm) • Walt Whitman House (11am & 2pm) • Haddon Township Champion School (1pm-6pm)	3 • March of Remembrance (9am-11:45am) • Newton Friends Meeting (11:30am-1:30pm) • Burrough-Dover/Griffith Morgan Houses (1-4pm) • Camden County Historical Society (1:30pm) • Raab/Goodwin Center (7:00pm)
4	5 • Battleship New Jersey (3pm) • Whitman-Stafford Farmhouse (7-8pm)	6 • Raab/Goodwin Center (10am-2pm)	7 • MARCH Online Book Club (6pm-7pm)	8 • Camden County Historical Society (12pm-4pm)	9 • Barclay Farmstead Museum (10am-2pm) • Winslow Township History Center (10am-4pm) • Saint Joseph's History Society (2pm-4:15pm)	10 • Winslow Township History Center (12-4pm) • Gabreil Daveis Tavern Museum (1pm-4pm) • Camden Shipyard & Maritime Museum (2pm)
11	12 • American Revolution Round Table (7pm) • Whitman-Stafford Farmhouse (7-8:15pm)	13 • Camden County Historical Society (12-4pm) • Historical Society of Haddonfield (7pm)	14 • MARCH Online Book Club (6pm-7pm) • Old Baldy Civil War Round Table (7:15pm)	15 • Walt Whitman House (2pm) • Historical Society of Haddonfield (7pm)	16 • Walt Whitman House (11am & 2pm) • Peter Mott House Underground Railroad Museum (12pm-2:30pm) • Historic Berlin Railroad Depot (1pm-4pm) • Long-A-Coming Historical Society (1pm-4pm) • Indian King Tavern Museum (1pm-5pm) • Historical Society of Haddonfield (7pm)	17 • Newton Friends Meeting (11:30am-1:30pm) • Indian King Tavern Museum (1-4pm)
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The Camden County History Alliance invites you to explore Camden County's remarkable history by visiting as many historic sites as possible in October 2021! Enjoy your journey to the past in Camden County!

ONGOING EVENTS ALL MONTH LONG

Battleship New Jersey (62 Battleship Place, Camden NJ)

Tours of the ship are over a mile-long and appropriate for all ages. Open daily 10am-4pm. Register at BattleshipNewJersey.org. (\$25 Adults, \$20 Children/Seniors/Veterans)

Merchantville Historical Society (VIRTUAL, on Facebook "Merchantville Historic Society")

Presentation of Eagle Scout Zachary Moore's documentary "The Voices of Merchantville."

Somerdale Historical Society (VIRTUAL, at somerdale-nj.com/departments/historical-society)

Virtual tour of historic sites in Somerdale through online videos.

Ye Olde Newton-Nassau Chapter, NSDAR (VIRTUAL, at <https://yonn77.wixsite.com/yonn>)

Presentation of chapter and organization history, membership information and fun facts.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1ST (ALSO FRI., OCT. 15, 22, & 29)

2pm **Walt Whitman House** (330 Martin Luther King Jr/Mickle Blvd, Camden NJ)

Special "Legacy" Tours focus on the work Walt Whitman created while living in Camden. Tours by appointment only. Call (856) 964-5383 to schedule a tour. Masks are required.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2ND (ALSO SAT., OCT. 16, 23, & 30)

11am & 2pm **Walt Whitman House** (330 Martin Luther King Jr/Mickle Blvd, Camden NJ)

Special "Legacy" Tours focus on the work Walt Whitman created while living in Camden. Tours by appointment only. Call (856) 964-5383 to schedule a tour. Masks are required.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2ND

10am-12pm & 1-4pm **Indian King Tavern Museum** (233 Kings Hwy East, Haddonfield NJ)

Tours of historic Indian King Tavern, where NJ's newly-formed government met in 1777.

10am-2pm **Ebenezer Hopkins House** (250 S Park Dr, Haddon Township NJ)

"Along the Cooper River" historic photo exhibit; talk by Bob Shinn & Kevin Cook at 11am.

1pm-6pm **Haddon Township Champion School** (2910 Lynne Ave, Haddon Township NJ)

Celebrating the 200th Birthday of Champion School! Live music, food trucks, beer garden, school tours, and loads of activities for kids. Fun for the whole family. Rain date 10/3/2021.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3RD (ALSO SUN., OCT. 17TH)

11:30am-1:30pm **Newton Friends Meetinghouse** (808 Cooper St, Camden NJ)

Tour and talk describing the historic significance of Newton Monthly Meeting, Religious Society of Friends' meetinghouse built in 1827. Light refreshments will be served.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3RD

9am-11:45am **March of Remembrance** (Meet at 1721 Springdale Rd, Cherry Hill NJ)

Walk with Holocaust survivors, their families and community members against prejudice and bigotry. Ensure that hate has no home in our communities. Register at jcrsnj.org/mor21.

1-4pm **Burrough-Dover House** (9201 Burrough-Dover Lane, Pennsauken NJ)

1-4pm **Griffith Morgan House** (243 Griffith Morgan Lane, Pennsauken NJ)

Free guided tours by docents; museum and nature trail also open. Masks are recommended.

1:30pm **Camden County Historical Society** (1900 Park Blvd, Camden NJ)

"Negro Baseball League in New Jersey" by speakers Dr. Lawrence Hogan, Michael Everett, & Belinda Manning, with an exhibit from Stockton University's "Pop Lloyd" collection.

7pm **Raab/Goodwin Center** (VIRTUAL, register at jcrsnj.org/mor21)

"Digital Terrorism, Antisemitism, and Hate Online": Hear guest speakers Rabbi Abraham Cooper & Rick Eaton from the Simon Wiesenthal Center's Digital Terrorism & Hate Project.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5TH

3pm **Battleship New Jersey** (62 Battleship Pl, Camden NJ, register 856-966-1652 x127 by 10/3)

Lecture on the history of Shipbuilding and the Navy on the Delaware River.

7-8:15pm **Whitman Stafford Farmhouse** (315 Maple Ave, Laurel Springs NJ)

Open House at the house where Walt Whitman edited one edition of Leaves of Grass.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6TH

10am-2pm **Raab/Goodwin Center** (Inside Katz JCC, 1301 Springdale Rd, Cherry Hill NJ)

NJ Week of Respect: Tour the Esther Raab Holocaust Museum, learn the consequences of hate.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7TH (ALSO OCT. 14, 21, 28, & NOV. 4)

6-7pm **Mid-Atlantic Regional Center for the Humanities** (VIRTUAL, via Zoom meeting)
Join our online reading group to talk about Chip Colwell's book "Plundered Skulls & Stolen Spirits: Inside the Fight to Reclaim Native America's Culture" (2017). Limit 10. (Participants expected to join all five Thursday sessions.) Register at preservation.rutgers.edu.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8TH (ALSO WED., OCT. 13, 20, & 27)

12-4pm **Camden County Historical Society** (1900 Park Blvd, Camden NJ)
Museum with exhibits on Native Americans, and tours of Pomona Hall, built in 1726 & 1788.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9TH

10am-2pm **Barclay Farmstead Museum** (209 Barclay Lane, Cherry Hill NJ)
Welcome to the Farm - Crafts, games, chickens, apple pie contest, picnicking, vendors, photo opportunities, and so much more. Register at chnj.gov/1319/Welcome-to-the-Farm-Event.

10am-4pm **Winslow Township History Center** (124 Pump Branch Rd, Waterford Works NJ)
Visit us, learn the history of our Township, ring the Winslow Inn bell, and view artifacts.

2-4:15pm **Saint Joseph's History Society of South Camden** (1010 Liberty St, Camden NJ)
Visit this early 20th century Lovatt-designed baroque church with magnificent stained glass.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10TH

12-4pm **Winslow Township History Center** (124 Pump Branch Rd, Waterford Works NJ)
Visit us, learn the history of our Township, ring the Winslow Inn bell, and view artifacts.

1-4pm **Gabrell Davels Tavern Museum** (Fourth Ave & Floodgate Rd, Glendora NJ)
Original Blackwood Post Office boxes from 1800s on display with copies of letters found in Tavern. Sort mail, hear the news, take a tour.

2pm **Camden Shipyard & Maritime Museum** (1912 S Broadway, Camden NJ)
"Disasters on the Delaware River" exhibit and unveiling of shipwreck photo exhibition from photographer Ambassador Stefano Benazzo via Zoom from Italy.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12TH

7pm **American Revolution Round Table** (VIRTUAL, register on Eventbrite, search "arrtosj")
Historian and author Donald F. Johnson will speak about his book, "Occupied America: British Rule and the Experience of Revolution." (\$5 tickets for non-members)

7-8:15pm **Whitman Stafford Farmhouse** (315 Maple Ave, Laurel Springs NJ)
Open House at the house where Walt Whitman edited one edition of Leaves of Grass.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13TH

7pm **Historical Society of Haddonfield** (VIRTUAL, register at haddonfieldhistory.org)
The History of Haddon Fire Company #1, presented by Charlene Creed via Zoom.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14TH

7:15pm **Old Baldy Civil War Round Table** (VIRTUAL, register at www.oldbaldycwrt.org)
Caroline E. Janney on "Ends of War: The Unfinished Fight of Lee's Army After Appomattox."

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15TH (ALSO SAT. OCT. 16, 22, 23, 29, & 30)

7pm **Historical Society of Haddonfield** (343 Kings Hwy East, Haddonfield NJ)
Haunted Haddonfield Walking Tours with Bill Meehan, author of Haunted Haddonfield & Haunted Haddonfield II. All tours start at Greenfield Hall at 7pm.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16TH

12-2:30pm **Peter Mott House Underground Railroad Museum** (26 Kings Court, Lawnside NJ)
The Lawnside Historical Society will dedicate historic markers installed in 2020. Music, re-enactments, & more. Register at tinyurl.com/LHSAnniversary.

1-4pm **Historic Berlin Railroad Depot** (65 Washington Ave, Berlin NJ)
The Long-A-Coming Historical Society will have exhibits on display at the 1856 railroad depot.

1-4pm **Long-A-Coming Historical Society** (Berlin Cemetery, 40 Clementon Rd, Berlin NJ)
History Comes Alive Cemetery Tour with reenactments of past residents. (\$5/person)

1-5pm **Indian King Tavern Museum** (233 Kings Hwy East, Haddonfield NJ)
Open House 1-4pm. Family Activity 3-4pm. Ichabod Crane living history program 4-5pm.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17TH (ALSO SUN., OCT. 24 & 31)

1-4pm **Indian King Tavern Museum** (233 Kings Hwy East, Haddonfield NJ)
Tours of historic Indian King Tavern, where NJ's newly-formed government met in 1777.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 18TH

7pm **Haddon Heights Historical Society** (Had Hts Library, 608 Station Ave, Haddon Heights NJ)
Historic Architect Margaret Westfield presents the history of Lucy the Elephant and her work over 3 decades restoring and maintaining the 6-story elephant on the NJ shore.

7:30pm **West Jersey Chapter, National Railway Historical Society** (VIRTUAL, via Zoom)
South Jersey Railroad Stations from A to Z. Register at www.westjersey-nrhs.org/events.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20TH (ALSO THURS., OCT. 21ST)

10am-4pm **Indian King Tavern Museum** (233 Kings Hwy East, Haddonfield NJ)
Tours of historic Indian King Tavern, where NJ's newly-formed government met in 1777.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23RD

10am-4pm **Winslow Township History Center** (124 Pump Branch Rd, Waterford Works NJ)
Visit us, learn the history of our Township, ring the Winslow Inn bell, and view artifacts.

11am-2pm **Whitman Stafford Farmhouse** (315 Maple Ave, Laurel Springs NJ)
Meet & Greet with Walt Whitman from 11:30am-1:30pm. Free house tours also available.

11am-3pm **Stratford Quaker Store** (17 N White Horse Pike, Stratford NJ)
Open House with tours throughout the building. Photograph and document albums showing the history of Stratford and surrounding communities will be available.

11am-4pm **Burrough-Dover House** (9201 Burrough-Dover Lane, Pennsauken NJ)

11am-4pm **Griffith Morgan House** (243 Griffith Morgan Lane, Pennsauken NJ)

Domestic living history demonstrations, live music, pumpkins, Halloween activities for kids, guided tours by docents, museum and nature trail open. Masks are recommended.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24TH

12-4pm **Ebenezer Hopkins House** (250 S Park Dr, Haddon Township NJ)
Historic photo exhibit, Dennis Raible will discuss the history of the Hopkins House at 1pm.

12-4pm **Winslow Township History Center** (124 Pump Branch Rd, Waterford Works NJ)
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1-4pm **Gabriel Davels Tavern Museum** (Fourth Ave & Floodgate Rd, Glendora NJ)
Original Blackwood Post Office boxes from 1800s on display with copies of letters found in Tavern. Sort mail, hear the news, take a tour.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28TH

7-8:30pm **Raab/Goodwin Center** (Inside Katz JCC, 1301 Springdale Rd, Cherry Hill NJ)
NJ Week of Respect: Tour the Esther Raab Holocaust Museum, learn the consequences of hate.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30TH

9:30am-3pm **Haddon Heights Railroad Station** (RR tracks & Station Ave, Haddon Heights NJ)
130th birthday party for the historic passenger station with cake, model trains, book sale, first-person history of the railroad station, and slide presentation on trains at 11 am.

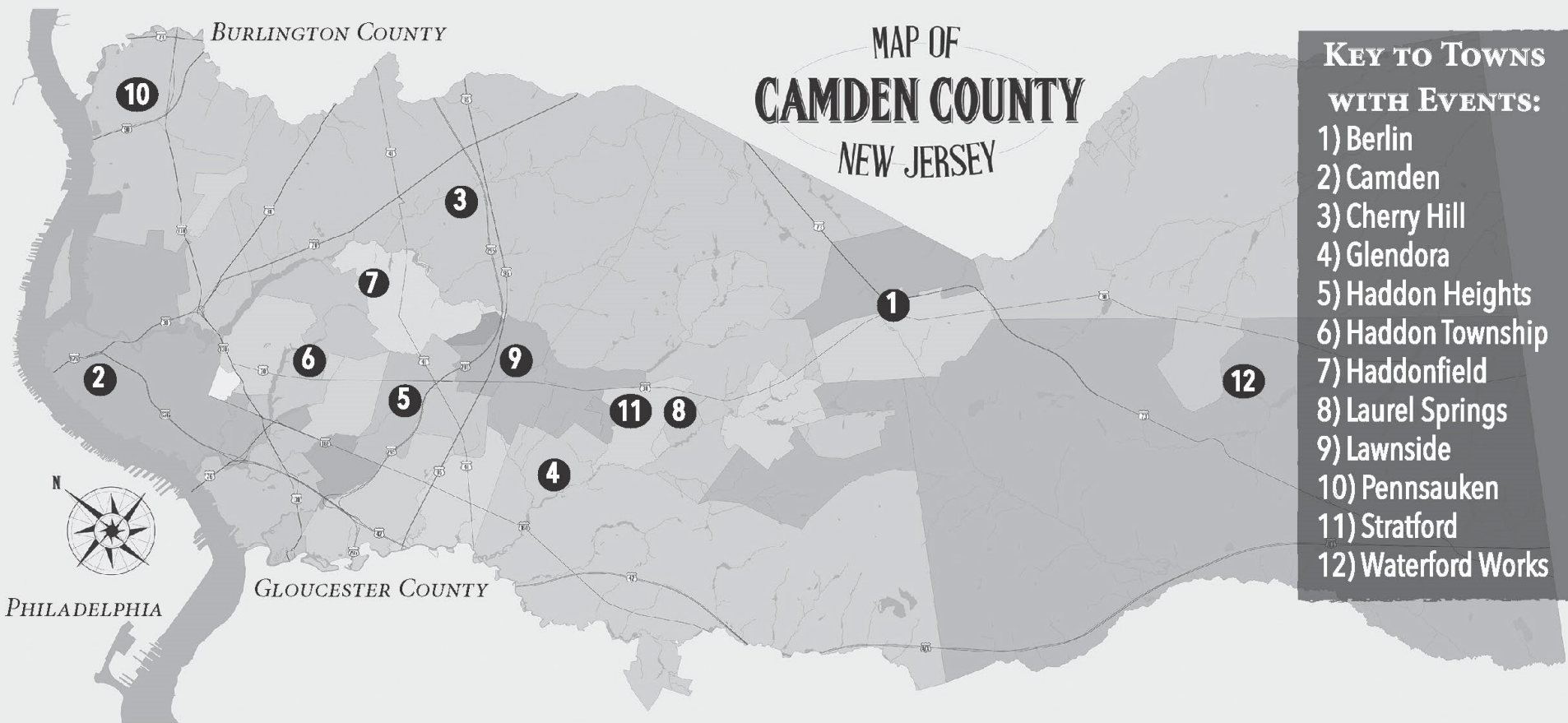
7:30pm **Indian King Tavern Museum** (233 Kings Hwy East, Haddonfield NJ)
Sea Shanty Sing Along with the Sea Dogs, a pirate reenacting group.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31ST

1:30pm **Camden County Historical Society** (1900 Park Blvd, Camden NJ)
"Political Campaign Posters from 1844 to 2012", talk and campaign memorabilia from Haddonfield's Joe Murphy and special invited guests.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT THE CAMDEN COUNTY HISTORY
ALLIANCE WEBSITE, FACEBOOK PAGE, OR CALL 856-964-3333.

*All events free unless noted. Due to COVID, schedule subject to change, according to CDC guidelines.
Please no smoking, food, drink, or pets. Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.*



KEY TO TOWNS

WITH EVENTS:

- 1) Berlin
- 2) Camden
- 3) Cherry Hill
- 4) Glendora
- 5) Haddon Heights
- 6) Haddon Township
- 7) Haddonfield
- 8) Laurel Springs
- 9) Lawnside
- 10) Pennsauken
- 11) Stratford
- 12) Waterford Works

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For more information or to download a large-print event guide, visit www.camdencountyhistoryweek.com.