

ART MUSEUMS *of Colonial Williamsburg*

All programs are included with museum admission, unless indicated otherwise. Programs are subject to change.
Reservations or tickets available by calling (888) 965-7254 or at any ticket location.

October 2023

SUN 1

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 All Things are Possible

MON 2

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: My Dear Madam
4:30 Presentation: Pride not Prejudice

TUE 3

10:30 Tour: Works by Black Artists and Artisans
11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: Cost of War

WED 4

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: A Soldier's Journey
2:30 Music: Domestic Diversions
4:30 Music: Deed Without a Name

THU 5

10:30 Musick: Governor Musick
10:30 Tour: DIY Craft, Quilting
11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: Designing Virginia's Seal
2-3:30 Museum Discovery: The Public Hospital 1773
2-4 Museum Discovery: Pop-Up Archaeology
4:30 Presentation: Life and Character of Washington

FRI 6

10:30 Presentation: Good Stories about Great Stuff
11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: To Purchase a Likely Man
4:30 Presentation: Life and Character of Washington

SAT 7

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: God is My Rock

SUN 8

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: All Things are Possible
4:30 Presentation: The Jeffersons at Shadwell

MON 9

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: My Dear Madam
4:30 Presentation: Pride not Prejudice

TUE 10

10:30 Tour: Works by Black Artists and Artisans
11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: Cost of War
4:30 Music: Early American

WED 11

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: A Patriotic American
2:30 Music: Domestic Diversions
4:30 Music: Deed Without a Name

THU 12

10:30 Special Event: John Minson Galt II
11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Special Event: Heal Thy Self
3-4:15 Special Event: The Public Hospital 1773
2-4 Museum Discovery: Pop-Up Archaeology
4:30 Presentation: Life and Character of Washington

FRI 13

10:30 Special Event: Patient Care at the Public Hospital
11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: To Purchase a Likely Man
3-4:15 Special Event: The Public Hospital 1773
4:30 Special Event: Dr. King Davis - Reclaiming the Past, Designing the Future

SAT 14

11:30 Presentation: The Public Hospital of 1773
11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
2:00 Special Event: The Public Hospital of 1773
4:30 Special Event: 25 Years of Virginia Mental Healthcare Panel

SUN 15

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: All Things are Possible

MON 16

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: My Dear Madam
4:30 Presentation: Pride not Prejudice

TUE 17

10:30 Tour: Works by Black Artists and Artisans
11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: Cost of War

WED 18

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: Nation Builders Discuss Religion
2:30 Music: Domestic Diversions
4:30 Music: Deed Without a Name

THU 19

10:30 Tour: DIY Craft, Quilting
11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: Designing Virginia's Seal
2-3:30 Museum Discovery: The Public Hospital 1773
2-4 Museum Discovery: Pop-Up Archaeology
4:30 Presentation: Life and Character of Washington

FRI 20

10:30 Presentation: Good Stories about Great Stuff
11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: To Purchase a Likely Man
4:30 Presentation: Life and Character of Washington

SAT 21

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: From Freedom to Slavery

SUN 22

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 All Things are Possible

MON 23

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: My Dear Madam
4:30 Presentation: Pride not Prejudice

TUE 24

10:30 Tour: Works by Black Artists and Artisans
11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview

WED 25

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
2:30 Music: Domestic Diversions

THU 26

10:30 Tour: DIY Craft, Quilting
11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
2-3:30 Museum Discovery: The Public Hospital 1773
2-4 Museum Discovery: Pop-Up Archaeology

FRI 27

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview

SAT 28

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview

SUN 29

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: All Things are Possible
4:30 Presentation: Global History of Vase Sets

MON 30

11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: My Dear Madam
4:30 Presentation: Pride not Prejudice

TUE 31

10:30 Tour: Works by Black Artists and Artisans
11:30 Tour: Art Museums Overview
1:30 Performance: Cost of War
4:30 Music: Early American



IN THE HENNAGE AUDITORIUM

*See calendar on reverse for exact days and times.***Performance: All Things are Possible** (Sundays)

Meet with Robert Carter III, who in 1791 owned more enslaved people than any other Virginian. His inner struggles and new-found faith will lead him to an extraordinary decision, followed by an equally remarkable action. (45 minutes)

Performance: My Dear Madam (Mondays)

Mrs. Washington reflects on how her friendship with Mrs. Adams has shaped their shared role of President's lady. (45 minutes)

Presentation: Pride not Prejudice (Mondays)

This program creates a framework for understanding the connections between the past and the present, inspiring researchers, allies, and members of the LGBTQIA+ community. (45 minutes)

Performance: Cost of War (Tuesdays)

Join Colonel George Washington as he relates his personal experiences in the The Seven Years' War and discusses the physical and mental toll that frontier fighting took on individuals on all sides. Content warning and parental guidance advised. (45 minutes)

Music: Early American (Tuesdays)

Enjoy the music that has come from nearby and distant shores to shape the music of Early America. Programs include, *Dulcimers and Folk Flutes, America's Music, The King's Delight, Music of the Common Man (and Woman), and Things that Go Bump in the Night.* (60 minutes)

Presentation: Deed without a Name (Wednesdays)

Discover the tale of this musical theater playwright, who lost his career due to public exposure of his homosexuality. Mature subject matter, audience discretion advised. (45 minutes)

Performance: A Soldier's Journey (Most Wednesdays)

Meet John Jarret Carter, a soldier in Washington's army and a barkeep in Williamsburg. The year is 1781 and Williamsburg stands on brink of invasion! Benedict Arnold's army is marching toward the city. What advice will this military man have for the people of Williamsburg? (45 minutes)

Performance: Designing Virginia's Seal (Thursdays)

Before Americans had a national identity or flag, they used numerous images and symbols to define themselves. Join George Mason and George Wythe as committee members to design the new seal of a free and independent Virginia. (45 minutes)

Music: Governor's Musick at the Art Museums (Thursdays and Fridays)

Members of the Governor's Musick ensemble have a number of presentations on various topics. These seasoned musicians will dive into specific topics with informative and engaging talks and musical examples. (45 minutes)

Presentation: Good Stories about Great Stuff (Fridays)

Join a curator, conservator, educator, archaeologist, or historian to discover who created the object, who owned it, and how it ended up in the collection. (45 minutes)

Performance: To Purchase a Likely Man (Fridays)

Join Colonel and Mrs. Washington as they discuss the intricacies and complexities of purchasing a pair of enslaved brothers. (45 minutes)

Performance: From Freedom to Slavery (Most Saturdays)

After making a free life for herself as an adopted Shawnee Indian, Methotaskie is brought back into slavery. Her compelling story unfolds as her mistress prepares her to reenter Williamsburg society as Elizabeth. (45 minutes)

Presentation: Life and Character of Washington (October 5, 6, 12, 19, and 20)

Join Professor Peter Henriques, a scholar of George Washington's life and character, for a series of seven lectures detailing what he views as the seven stages of Washington's life. (45 minutes)

Presentation: The Jeffersons at Sadwell (October 8)

Join Susan, author of *The Jeffersons at Shadwell*, as she details archaeological evidence that reveals how the Jeffersons and the people they enslaved established families and maintained connections across colonial Virginia. (45 minutes)

Presentation: Presentation: a Global History of Vase Sets (October 29)

This talk looks at vases in the collection of the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation and places them in the context of the history of this fashion and considers its origins. (60 minutes)

UNDERSTUDY PROGRAMS

When a program must be changed due to staffing, illness, or emergency you can expect to see:

- **A Patriotic American** - Elizabeth Braxton reflects on the changes during the Revolution.
- **Rochambeau: Forgotten Hero** - General Rochambeau discusses the Yorktown campaign.
- **Nation Builders Discuss Religion** - Nation Builders discuss various views of religion.
- **God is My Rock** - Gowan Pamphlet offers his perspective on slavery, religion, and freedom.

IN THE GALLERIES

Tour: Art Museums Overview (Every day)

Join a guided tour and enjoy some Museum favorites. (20 minutes)

Tour: Black Artists and Artisans (Tuesdays)

Tour the museum galleries, including the "I Made This" exhibition, to explore art made by Black American artists and artisans. (30 minutes)

Museum Discoveries: The Public Hospital of 1773

(October 5 and 19) Drop by to see the reconstructed Public Hospital of 1773 and chat with a historian about Mental Health Care in the 18th century.

Museum Discoveries: Pop-up Archaeology (Thursdays)

Stop by the Art Museums for a special pop-up exhibition of artifacts from the Public Hospital of 1773 discovered through archaeology.

DIY Craft: Quilting (October 5, 19, and 26)

Discover the story of Arlonzia Pettaway, quilter, and enjoy a mini quilting project. (Separate \$5 ticket required)

Music: Domestic Diversions (October 4, 11, and 18)

Drop in to hear Kyle Collins play musical pieces best suited for the intimate settings of an 18th-century home on the organized piano in the Leckie Gallery.

COMMEMORATE 250 YEARS
OF MENTAL HEALTHCARE

OCTOBER 12-14

Explore the Public Hospital of 1773 - Oct. 12, 13, 14 from 3-4:15 - Explore the Public Hospital of 1773 for a discussion about 18th-century mental health.

John Minson Galt, II - Oct. 12 at 10:30 - Join Dr. Kelly Brennan as she discusses the life and work of the first Superintendent of Eastern Lunatic Asylum of Virginia.

Heal Thy Self - Oct. 12 at 1:30 - Witness a compelling story set in 1777 from Dr. John Galt.

Pop-Up Archaeology - Oct. 12 from 2-4 - Drop by the Goode Education Studio to view artifacts and talk with Archaeologists about excavations at the Public Hospital.

Patient Care at the Public Hospital - Oct. 13 at 10:30

Join Margaret Perry, Apothecary apprentice, as she discusses Patients and Patient Care at the Public Hospital.

Dr. King Davis: Reclaiming the Past, Designing the Future - Oct. 13 at 4:30 - Discover Eastern State

Hospital's influence in creating the historical discussion about racial integration in mental health.

The Making of the Public Hospital - Oct. 14 at 10:30 -

Join Christina Westenberg, Manager of Gallery Learning, as she discusses the Public Hospital of 1773.

Create Art - Oct. 14 from 11-12:30 - Drop by the Goode Education Studio and create art inspired by self-taught artist: Eddie Arning.

250 Years of Eastern State Hospital - Oct. 14 at 2:00

On the Public Hospital Front Lawn, join Eastern State Hospital, the Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services, and Colonial Williamsburg to commemorate 250 years of organized mental healthcare.

250 Years of Virginia Mental Healthcare - Oct. 14 at 4:30 - Join the panel discussion of 250 years of mental healthcare in Virginia with a panel of mental healthcare practitioners and historians.