

See reverse for program descriptions. Programs are subject to change.

DAILY

10:00 Centennial! (Tour)
12:00 Museum Highlights (Tour)

TUE-SAT

3-4 Music in the Galleries (Museum Discoveries)

THU 1

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Jane Vobe (Performance)
1:00-2:30 The Public Hospital of 1773 (Museum Discoveries)
2:00 Of Liberty, and Death (Performance)
3:00 Explore with an Expert (Tour)

FRI 2

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Wythe (Performance)
1:00 Face Your Fears (Tour)
2:00 My Dear Madam (Performance)
4:00 A Century in the Making Series - *The Williamsburg Quintet: Voices Behind the Music* - Hope Wright (Presentation)

SAT 3

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Wythe (Performance)

SUN 4

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Colonel Patrick Henry (Performance)
2:00 My Boy Has Gone for a Soldier (Performance)

MON 5

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - James Lafayette (Performance)
2:00 Constitutions with James Lafayette (Performance)
3:00 Williamsburg Lost & Found (Tour)
4:00 Films from the Archives: 100 Years of CW - *Eighteenth Century Life in Williamsburg VA* (Film)

TUE 6

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Washington (Performance)
2:00 Pursuing Happiness (Performance)
3:00 Explore the Declaration of Independence (Tour)

WED 7

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Wythe (Performance)
2:00 Virginia Declaration of Rights (Performance)
3:00 Works By Black Artists and Artisans (Tour)
4:00 Gaming, the Worst Diversion (Music)

THU 8

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Jane Vobe (Performance)
1:00-2:30 The Public Hospital of 1773 (Museum Discoveries)
2:00 Of Liberty, and Death (Performance)
3:00 Explore with an Expert (Tour)

FRI 9

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Marquis de Lafayette (Performance)
1:00 Face Your Fears (Tour)
2:00 My Dear Madam (Performance)
3:00-4:00 Pop-Up Archives (Museum Discoveries)
4:00 A Century in the Making Series - *'We Shall Carry On': Colonial Williamsburg's Participation in the War Effort, 1941-1945* - Sarah Nerney & Marianne Martin (Presentation)

7:00 SPECIAL EVENT
 Letters From the Archives

SAT 10

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Wythe (Performance)
2:00 State of Society (Performance)
4:00 How to Play the (18th-Century) Violin (Music)

SUN 11

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Colonel Patrick Henry (Performance)
2:00 My Boy Has Gone for a Soldier (Performance)

MON 12

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - James Lafayette (Performance)
2:00 Constitutions with James Lafayette (Performance)
3:00 Williamsburg Lost & Found (Tour)
4:00 Films from the Archives: 100 Years of CW - *Music of Williamsburg* (Film)

TUE 13

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Washington (Performance)
2:00 Pursuing Happiness (Performance)
3:00 Explore the Declaration of Independence (Tour)

WED 14

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Wythe (Performance)
2:00 Virginia Declaration of Rights (Performance)
3:00 Works By Black Artists and Artisans (Tour)
4:00 Gaming, the Worst Diversion (Music)

THU 15

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Jane Vobe (Performance)
1:00-2:30 The Public Hospital of 1773 (Museum Discoveries)
2:00 Of Liberty, and Death Visit a Nation Builder - George Washington (Performance)
3:00 Explore with an Expert (Tour)

FRI 16

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Marquis de Lafayette (Performance)
1:00 Face Your Fears (Tour)
2:00 My Dear Madam (Performance)

7:00 SPECIAL EVENT
 Letters From the Archives

SAT 17

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Wythe Jane Vobe (Performance)
2:00 State of Society (Performance)
4:00 How to Play the (18th-Century) Violin (Music)

SUN 18

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Colonel Patrick Henry (Performance)
2:00 My Boy Has Gone for a Soldier (Performance)

MON 19

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - James Lafayette (Performance)
2:00 Constitutions with James Lafayette (Performance)
3:00 Williamsburg Lost & Found (Tour)
4:00 Films from the Archives: 100 Years of CW - *Gunsmith of Williamsburg* (Film)

TUE 20

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Martha Washington (Performance)
2:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Jane Vobe (Performance)
3:00 Explore the Declaration of Independence (Tour)

WED 21

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Wythe James Lafayette (Performance)
2:00 Virginia Declaration of Rights (Performance)
3:00 Works By Black Artists and Artisans (Tour)
4:00 Gaming, the Worst Diversion (Music)

THU 22

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Jane Vobe George Washington (Performance)
1:00-2:30 The Public Hospital of 1773 (Museum Discoveries)
2:00 Of Liberty, and Death (Performance)
3:00 Explore with an Expert (Tour)

FRI 23

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Marquis de Lafayette (Performance)
1:00 Face Your Fears (Tour)
2:00 My Dear Madam Constitutions with James Lafayette (Performance)
3:00-4:00 Pop-Up Archives (Museum Discoveries)
5:00 For 2026 in 2026: "New Republic, New Worlds" (Presentation)

7:00 SPECIAL EVENT
 Letters From the Archives

SAT 24

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Wythe George Washington (Performance)
2:00 State of Society Visit a Nation Builder - George Wythe (Performance)
4:00 How to Play the (18th-Century) Violin (Music)

SUN 25

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Colonel Patrick Henry (Performance)
2:00 My Boy Has Gone for a Soldier All Things are Possible (Performance)

MON 26

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - James Lafayette (Performance)
2:00 Constitutions with James Lafayette (Performance)
3:00 Williamsburg Lost & Found (Tour)
4:00 Films from the Archives: 100 Years of CW - *Eighteenth Century Life in Williamsburg VA* (Film)

TUE 27

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Washington (Performance)
2:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Wythe (Performance)
3:00 Explore the Declaration of Independence (Tour)

WED 28

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Wythe (Performance)
2:00 Virginia Declaration of Rights (Performance)
3:00 Works By Black Artists and Artisans (Tour)
4:00 Gaming, the Worst Diversion (Music)

THU 29

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Martha Washington (Performance)
1:00-2:30 The Public Hospital of 1773 (Museum Discoveries)
2:00 Of Liberty, and Death (Performance)
3:00 Explore with an Expert (Tour)

FRI 30

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - Marquis de Lafayette (Performance)
1:00 Face Your Fears (Tour)
2:00 My Dear Madam (Performance)
4:00 A Century in the Making Series - *The Williamsburg Quintet: Voices Behind the Music* - Hope Wright (Presentation)

7:00 SPECIAL EVENT
 Letters From the Archives

SAT 31

11:00 Visit a Nation Builder - George Wythe Marquis de Lafayette (Performance)
2:00 State of Society Visit a Nation Builder - George Wythe (Performance)
4:00 How to Play the (18th-Century) Violin (Music)

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KEY TO SYMBOLS:



IN THE HENNAGE AUDITORIUM

PERFORMANCES

Visit a Nation Builder

(Daily) Step into the past with a Nation Builder to explore the past through stories, discussion, and questions. *See reverse side calendar to learn who will speak.* (45 minutes)

My Boy Has Gone for a Soldier

(Sundays, except Oct. 25) In 1776, Jane Vobe confronts her emotions regarding her son's choice to join the army. (45 minutes)

Constitutions with James Lafayette

(Mondays) James, a spy for the Americans, is put before the Legislature to ask for freedom for his service. (45 minutes)

Pursuing Happiness

(Oct. 6 & 13) Discover ghosts behind Jefferson's drafts of the Declaration of Independence. (45 minutes)

Virginia Declaration of Rights

(Wednesdays) This landmark document sets a precedent for future declarations of rights. (45 minutes)

Of Liberty, and Death

(Thursdays) Patrick Henry seeks a radical cure and reflects on his famed "Liberty or Death" speech. (45 minutes)

My Dear Madam

(Fridays, except Oct. 23) Mrs. Washington reflects on her life in the public eye and her friendship with Mrs. Adams. (45 minutes)

State of Society

(Oct. 10 & 17) Join Patrick Henry as he fights to save the revolution from its most dire threat. (45 minutes)

MUSIC

Gaming, the Worst Diversion

(Wednesdays) Discover the popular songs hidden in a board game and help compose new music using dice! (45 minutes)

How to Play the (18th-Century) Violin

(Saturdays, except October 3) The violin was played by all classes and in all settings in Virginia. Come hear how it was played. (45 minutes)

PRESENTATIONS

A Century in the Making Series

(Fridays, except October 16 & 23) Enjoy a series that brings together curators, scholars, and community voices to mark Colonial Williamsburg's first century. *See online or reverse for topics and speakers.* (45 minutes)

For 2026 in 2026: "New Republic, New Worlds"

(October 23) The Final year of "For 2026: A Five-Year Conference Series" focuses on New Republic, New Worlds, with a Friday evening keynote by Dr. Ronald Angelo Johnson. (90 minutes)

FILM

Films from the Archives: 100 Years of CW

(Mondays) Enjoy a curated series showcasing archival films from Colonial Williamsburg's first century with an expert introduction and Q&A. *See reverse side calendar.* (Approx. 45 minutes)

UNDERSTUDY PROGRAMS

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

- Finding Jane Vobe
- All Things are Possible
- Visit a Nation Builder
- Washington Takes Command
- Pursuing Happiness: Solo Edition
- Viola da Gamba

IN THE GALLERIES

TOURS

Museum Highlights (Daily) Discover highlights from Colonial Williamsburg's diverse collections during a guided tour. (40 min)

Centennial! (Daily) Celebrate 100 years of Colonial Williamsburg on a guided tour. (40 min)

Williamsburg Lost & Found (Mondays) Explore the history of Williamsburg through objects on exhibit during this guided tour. (45 min)

Explore the Declaration of Independence (Tuesdays) Explore the Declaration of Independence via objects on exhibit. (45 min)

Works by Black Artists and Artisans (Wednesdays) Tour the galleries, including the "I Made This" exhibition, to explore art made by Black American artists and artisans. (35 min)

Explore with an Expert (Thursdays) Explore the galleries with a curator, conservator or educator during this guided tour. (40 min)

Face Your Fears (Fridays) Face your fears and phobias on a guided tour of creepy, weird, and not-so-scary museum objects. (35 min)

MUSEUM DISCOVERIES

The Public Hospital of 1773 (Thursdays) Drop in for a discussion about 18th-c. mental health and history of the mental hospital. (Drop-In)

Pop-Up Archives (October 9 & 23) Archivists and librarians pop in to show off parts of the collection not regularly on view. (Drop-In)

Music in the Galleries (Tuesdays-Saturday) Enjoy 18th-century music as you stroll the galleries. (Drop-In between 3-4)

SPECIAL EVENT

Letters from the Archives

October 9, 16, 23, & 30 at 7:00 **\$20**

To mark our Centennial, hear stories read aloud by a remarkable cast of current and former Colonial Williamsburg actors, interpreters and special guests, whose talents give breath and feeling to words on a page. See who'll host each evening below.

October 9 - **Richard Schumann**, Patrick Henry Interpreter

October 16 - **Sheila Arnold**, Storyteller and Historic Interpreter

October 23 - **Abigail Schumann**, Director and Historic Interpreter

October 30 - **Bill Barker**, Thomas Jefferson Interpreter

Arrive early for a unique opportunity to reflect on a century of preservation and discovery in the Colonial Williamsburg: The First 100 Years exhibition, open one hour before the event begins.

