



# Program

## Friday, May 26, 2023

3:30 PM	<b>Meet &amp; Greet with Gretchen Woelfle</b> author of children's book <i>Mumbet's Declaration of Independence</i>	Sumner Hall
5:30 PM	<b>Sneaker Creeper</b> Footrace for children ages 2-11	Roy Kirby Stadium Washington College
5:00 – 9:00 PM	<b>Kick-off Street Party</b> Free and open to the public. Live Music. Local food trucks, beer and wine available for purchase:	The foot of High Street, near the Chester River

## Saturday, May 27, 2023

6:30 AM	<b>Shuttle Service for Distance Run Begins</b> Radcliffe Creek School to Wilmer Park	See program or website for map
8:00 AM	<b>Tea Party Distance Classic/Run for Radcliffe</b> Quaker Neck Rd. vehicular traffic will be stopped at start of race.	Wilmer Park
	<b>Free Parking Shuttle Service Begins for Festival Attendees</b> – Runs continuously through 5 pm.	See program or website for map
<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>Streets Close to All Traffic</b>	
9:00 AM	<b>Heritage Village Opens</b>	Heritage Village
	<b>Re-enactors Encampment Area Opens</b>	Foot of High St./Custom House
9:30 AM	<b>Stephen Christoff and Slim Harrison</b> Strolling Musicians	High and Cross Streets
10:00 AM	<b>COLONIAL PARADE</b>	High Street/Main Stage
10:30 AM	<b>KidSPOT</b> Crafts for young children 10:30 - Noon	Courthouse Lawn Children's Corner
11:00 AM	<b>Walking Tour of Historic Chestertown</b> - \$8.00 per person; tickets and start of tours at Info Booth	Information Booth
	<b>Slim Harrison and Rock Candy Cloggers</b> Children's Jug Band & clogging workshop	Courthouse Lawn
	<b>Face painting</b> until 3pm	Courthouse Lawn Children's Corner
	<b>Prizes and Awards</b> – Colonial Parade, Edna Ross Award	Main Stage
	<b>African American History Walking Tour</b> Explore the 19th century rise of a free African American community	Custom House
	<b>Levram the Great</b> Colonial Conjuror Ready to be amazed?	Garfield Center for the Arts
11:15	<b>Dover English Country Dancers</b> 18 <sup>th</sup> Century dancing demonstration	Main Stage

## Saturday, May 27, 2023

11:30 AM	<b>Phyllis Wheatley Portrayal</b> Honoring colonial America's brilliant Black female poet	Garfield Center for the Arts
	<b>Jolly Tars</b> Sea shanties, banjo, guitar & harmonica transport audiences back to the days of wooden ships and iron men	Foot of High Street
	<b>Tucker's Tales Puppet Theatre</b> Punch & Judy show	Courthouse Lawn Children's Corner
12:00 PM	<b>Rock Candy Cloggers</b> Clogging, flatfooting, with music by Slim Harrison, Stephen Christoff	Courthouse Portico
	<b>Garnet Tiger Chorus and Bucket Band and The Rock Hall Elementary Ukelele Chorus</b>	Main Stage
	<b>Benjamin Banneker Portrayal</b> Pioneering African American astronomer, mathematician, and naturalist	Garfield Center for the Arts
	<b>Cricket Demonstration</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> Company, Brigade of Guards & Clotz' Battalion	Garden of Washington College President - Water Street
12:15 PM	<b>Chris Cerino</b> Musical portraits of Kent County & your favorites	Foot of High Street
12:30 PM	<b>Dover English Country Dancers</b> 18 <sup>th</sup> Century dancing demonstration	Courthouse Portico
	<b>Respect For Mumbet</b> Sumner Hall performance about the first enslaved African American to file and win a freedom suit in Massachusetts	Garfield Center for the Arts
12:45 PM	<b>The Country Current</b> US Navy's premier modern country & cutting edge bluegrass ensemble	Main Stage
1:00 PM	<b>Stephen Christoff</b> Virtuoso musician playing a variety of period instruments	Foot of High Street
	<b>Tucker's Tales Puppet Theatre</b> Punch & Judy show	Courthouse Lawn Children's Corner
	<b>Walking Tour of Historic Chestertown</b> \$8.00 per person; tickets and start of tours at Info Booth	Information Booth
1:15 PM	<b>Levram the Great</b> Colonial Conjuror Ready to be amazed?	Garfield Center for the Arts
1:30 PM	<b>Miss Jackie</b> stories for children	Courthouse Lawn Children's Corner
	<b>Walking Tour of Historic Chestertown</b> \$8.00 per	Information Booth
	<b>Benjamin Banneker Portrayal</b> African American astronomer, mathematician and naturalist	Courthouse Portico
	<b>Jolly Tars</b> Sea shanties, banjo, guitar & harmonica	Foot of High Street
	<b>Military</b> Preparation for the re-enactment	Foot of High St./Custom House
1:55 PM	<b>The Chestertown Resolves</b> Historical proclamation read by Brian Moore of WCTR radio	Main Stage
<b>2:00 PM</b>	<b>TEA PARTY RE-ENACTMENT</b>	<b>High Street</b>

## Saturday, May 27, 2023

3:00 PM	<b>Spiced Punch</b> More colonial music fun!	Main Stage
	<b>Walking Tour of Historic Chestertown</b> \$8.00 per person; tickets and start of tours at Info Booth	Information Booth
3:00 PM	<b>Soldiers, Weapons, &amp; Tactics of Revolutionary War</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> Co., Brigade of Guards, 1 <sup>st</sup> MD Rgmt, 1 <sup>st</sup> Batt MD Loyalists, 1 <sup>st</sup> Delaware Regiment	Foot of High Street
4:00 PM	<b>Vendors Close/Festival Ends for the Day</b>	<b>High &amp; Cross Streets</b>

## Sunday, May 28, 2023

12:00 PM	<b>Tea Party Beerfest Begins</b> Craft Beer tasting from local breweries	Tent in Wilmer Park
	<b>Vendors Open</b> Artisans, food vendors	Wilmer Park
	<b>Tuckers' Tales Puppet Theatre</b> It's The Wolf!	Near the L. Hynson Pavilion
12:30 PM	<b>Slim Harrison</b> Children's instrument making	Near the L. Hynson Pavilion
	<b>Wilson Springs Hotel</b> Toe tappin' traditional and new grass, rockabilly	Tent in Wilmer Park
1:00 PM	<b>Tuckers' Tales Puppet Theatre</b> It's The Wolf!	Near the L. Hynson Pavilion
1:30 PM	<b>Slim Harrison and Friends</b> Children's Jug Band & Hootenanny	Near the L. Hynson Pavilion
2:00 PM	<b>Raft Race Coverage Begins</b>	Wilmer Park Waterfront
2:30 PM	<b>Raft Race</b>	Wilmer Park Waterfront
4:00 PM	<b>Tea Party Festival Ends</b>	Wilmer Park

## Monday, May 29, 2023 – Memorial Day

10:00 AM	<b>Memorial Day Parade</b>	<b>High Street</b>
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