

Welcome To

Liberty Weekend

July 8, 9 & 10, 2022

Here's your guide to celebrating the Crossroads of American history,
where Trenton Changed the World



Friday, July 8, 2022

Noon – Kick off the weekend with a public reading of the Declaration of Independence 246 years to the day (and time) after its first reading in Trenton – the very first time these words were heard outside of the City of Philadelphia. **FREE** – 23 South Warren Street.

1:30 p.m. N.J. State House Artwork Tour, 125 West State Street. Please make a reservation by calling (609) 847-3150, or email njstatehousetours@njleg.org **FREE**

Saturday, July 9, 2022

8:30 a.m. – Breakfast with the Trenton Council of Civic Associations; Sunrise Luncheonette, 26 South Warren Street

10 a.m. – Flag Raising Ceremony at the Trenton Battle Monument - Relive the famous battle story and discover “[Vision Trenton](#)” **FREE** – Broad & Warren Streets;

Noon – Downtown Trenton Scavenger Hunt – Start at Sunrise Luncheonette, 26 South Warren Street. **FREE**

Noon – “*Trenton Knit & Stitch*” at Classics Bookshop, 4 West Lafayette Street, **FREE**

Noon – Will Yesterday Plays the Fife – at “The Big Easy” 111 South Warren Street

1 p.m. – “*Open Art at the Library*” – Stop by the Trenton Library for a free children’s art project. 120 Academy Street. **FREE**

2 p.m. – “*The First Historian of the Battle of Trenton*” – Learn about Francois-Jean de Chastellux - the first to tell the story of the Battle of Trenton at the Trent House, colonial home of Trenton’s namesake, 15 Market Street, **FREE**

7 p.m. – Capital Philharmonic Concert in the Park – A program of favorites with the 60 musicians of the Philharmonic - **FREE** – Cadwalader Park, Parkside Ave. **FREE**



Sunday, July 10, 2022

9:30 a.m. – Sunday Service at Historic Turning Point Methodist Church – All are Welcome – Celebrating its 250th Anniversary; 15 S. Broad Street, **FREE**

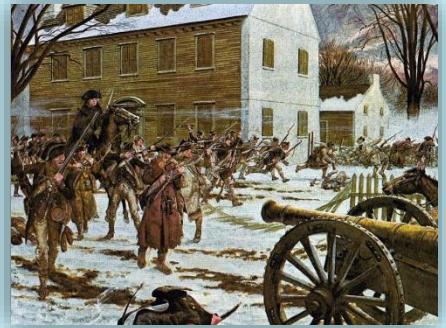
SOME EVENT SITES MAY CHANGE IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER.

PLEASE CHECK [Kiwanis Club of Trenton, NJ | Facebook](#)

All Weekend Long:

Visit and Tour key sites in American history all in Trenton

Self-Guided Tour of the Battles of Trenton – Connect with history with this complete audio tour, available at [Walking Tours - Crossroads of the American Revolution \(revolutionarynj.org\)](http://revolutionarynj.org) **FREE**



Self-Guided Tour of Revolutionary War Sites in Trenton – A full driving tour of 14 historic sites in the City, available at [Trenton New Jersey Revolutionary War Sites | Trenton Historic Sites \(revolutionarywarnewjersey.com\)](http://TrentonNewJerseyRevolutionaryWarSites.com) **FREE**

Self-Guided Tour of Trenton Pottery & Tile Site – Visit nine sites with remarkable pottery and tile attributes reminiscent of Trenton's pottery industry. [Trenton Driving Tour - Potteries of Trenton Society](#) **FREE**

Self-Guided Walking Tour of Downtown Trenton – Stroll through the City with this College of New Jersey guide - 17 sites, [WalkingTourofDowntownTrenton.pdf \(trentonlib.org\)](#)

New Jersey State Museum – See Natural history, pottery and other exhibits; Planetarium shows (\$10, \$5 children). 205 West State Street; Tues-Sun, 9 a.m. - 4:45 p.m., **FREE (for museum entrance)**, [New Jersey Department of State - NJ State Museum](#)

The Old Barracks Museum – Built 1758 and later used by British/Hessian troops during the Battle of Trenton, 101 Barrack Street, Tours daily at 10, 12 & 2, \$10, [OLD BARRACKS MUSEUM - Military Museum, Historical Lectures | Trenton, NJ](#)



William Trent House – 1719 home of City namesake, 15 Market Street, Wed-Sun, 1 - 4:30 p.m., \$5, [WilliamTrentHouse - Home](#)

Artworks Trenton – Leading the City's arts scene, 19 Everett Alley on Stockton Street, Tues.-Sat. 11 a.m. – 6 p.m. [Artworks Trenton | Connecting Community, Culture and Creativity Through The Arts](#)

Trenton Free Public Library, Trentoniana Collection – 120 Academy Street, contact the Archivist to visit the collection: (609) 329-7188 or trentoniana@trentonlib.org.

Trenton Fire Museum – Founded in 1747, antique trucks, equipment and the story of the Department, 244 Perry Street, Mon.- Fri. 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., Sat., 10 a.m. – 4 p.m., [Meredith Havens Fire Museum of Trenton, New Jersey \(NJ\) \(trentonfiremuseum.com\)](#)

Trenton City Museum at Ellarslie – Art, pottery and history in Cadwalader Park, Parkside Avenue, Sat. noon - 4, Sun. 1 - 4 p.m., [Trenton City Museum - \(ellarslie.org\)](#)



Historic Cemeteries:

Explore the final resting places of patriots both famous & anonymous who built our nation.
Riverview – 870 Centre St, [Hidden New Jersey: Visiting the Rich and Famous at Riverview Cemetery in Trenton \(hiddennj.com\)](#)

Mercer – 43 S. Clinton Avenue, [Mercer Cemetery at Trenton | Facebook](#)

Quaker Meeting House – 142 East Hanover St, [Trenton Meeting of Friends | Quaker Cloud](#)

St. Michael's Church – 140 North Warren St, [History of St Michael's – St Michael's Episcopal Church \(stmichaelstrenton.org\)](#)

First Presbyterian – 120 East State Street [Home | First Presbyterian Church of Trenton \(fptrenton.org\)](#)

Plus: Great dining throughout Trenton –

- 1911 Smokehouse Bar-B-Que** (609) 695-1911, intimate downtown bar with great BBQ
- Casadeluna Restaurant & Bar** (609) 394-1456 Trenton's only Venezuelan. Superb!
- Chenchay Chole Authentic Mexican Kitchen** (609) 394-7700 homemade Mex, excellent Mole de Pollo
- Guaterico Deli** (609) 393-8410 Superb Guatemalan takeout, THE essential dive
- La Cabaña Bakeshop & Restaurant** (609) 989-0918 Friendly Costa Rican with sublime food
- Tikal Restaurant & Lounge** (609) 218-6804 Great Latino fusion eats in gorgeous digs
- Trenton Social** (609) 989-7777 Trenton's bar. Everyone who's anyone comes here
- 128 West State Café** (609) 392-2233 Elegant little café across from the State House
- 7 Brothers Pizza** (609) 394-2500 Excellent tomato pie, within City borders
- Bamboo Grill** (609) 396-1300 Tiny 'Burg takeout joint w/best Jamaican in town
- City Deli** (609) 695-1119 Veggie friendly cafe featuring home cooking
- Frankye's Restaurante** (609) 777-5337 White Table Cloth Grill in Guatemalan Bar
- Hambone Opera** (609) 325-7357 Superb BBQ in the Trenton Market
- Jerry's Pizza & Grill** (609) 392-2944 Best tomato pie in the city. Order from Luis.
- Lady and the Shallot** (347) 343-2694 Friendly, delish, vegan, gluten-free food
- Mi Tierra Restaurant** (609) 392-5970 Friendly Guatemalan conveniently on S Clinton
- Pollo Campero** (609) 571-9263 Juicy fast-food grilled or fried chicken
- Pupuseria y Restaurante La Bendicion** (609) 777-5333 Biggest selection of authentic Salvadoran Pupusas
- Restaurante El Mariachi** (609) 393-0035 Solid Guatemalan, with a salsa verde to die for!
- Rinconcito Latino** (609) 396-9101 Friendly, family-run Guatemalan; breakfast too
- Rozmaryn Restaurant & Bistro** (609) 656-1600 Superb, home-style Polish. Arrive early
- The Big Easy** (609) 393-1845 Home made soul food downtown
- Trent City Pizzeria** (609) 571-1148 Neighborhood pizza near ballpark: Latin too
- Trentini's Restaurant** (609) 392-6006 Go to back room for good Italian at bargain prices

Visit www.tastetrenton.com for more information

