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# The Mecklenburg Historical Association Monthly Event Calendar

*Upcoming Events of Interest to the History Community*

## **Mecklenburg Historical Association**

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The MHA Monthly Calendar is a free, monthly digital publication of the Mecklenburg Historical Association. Its purpose is to inform interested audiences about special events, educational programs, lectures, and workshops held throughout the Charlotte Metrolina area solely for general reference purposes. Those responsible for publicizing history-related events for a history organization (e.g. – historic site, museum, library, other non-profit club/organizations) and needing to publish events should contact the MHA at [mha-news@meckdec.org](mailto:mha-news@meckdec.org) for further information and assistance.

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## ***MHA Announcements***

### ***History Organization Announcements***

**Culture & Heritage Museums of York County** – CHM was selected as a 2023 Award of Excellence winner by the American Association for State and Local History (AASLH) for “[Liberty and Resistance: Reconstruction and the African American Community at Brattonsville 1865-1877.](#)” Expanding Historic Brattonsville’s interpretation beyond the Revolutionary and Antebellum Eras, the exhibit details the Reconstruction Era and the fight for the newly recognized rights of African Americans. The Award of Excellence is part of the AASLH Leadership in History Awards, the nation’s most prestigious recognition for achievement in the preservation of state and local history.

**Olde Meck Genealogy Society** - Olde Meck Genealogy Society is offering over 200 used books for sale at greatly reduced prices. The topics include genealogy, history, fiction, and more, from around the country. Most are in excellent condition. View the book list and prices at [www.oldemeck.org](http://www.oldemeck.org). If you would like to purchase any items, you may either: 1) come by the Family Research Center inside the Charlotte Museum of History, or, 2) contact us by mail at PO Box 32453, Charlotte, NC, 28232-2453, or, 3) email us at [info@oldemeck.org](mailto:info@oldemeck.org), or, 4) phone us at 704-568-1774, Ext.109. Please list item numbers and titles in all requests. We can ship your order within the United States. Shipping charges will apply, but these are still wonderful deals! This is first come, first served so contact us soon to reserve your picks!

## *Calendar*

**2023**

### *Multiple Day Events - 2023*

#### *Special Events/Programs/Lectures and Exhibits*

**July 1<sup>st</sup> – August 3<sup>rd</sup>** . 10 a.m.- 7 p.m. Native American Studies Center (119 S. Main St., Lancaster, SC 29720). *“Exhibit Opening: Woven Together.”* In person. Free. Featuring regalia, hats, beaded items, and more, this exhibit highlights Indigenous textile artwork from Native American Studies Collections. Through Aug. 3, 2023. Go to <https://nativeamericanstudiescenter.godaddysites.com/> for more information.

**July 1<sup>st</sup> – September 1<sup>st</sup>** . 10 a.m.- 5 p.m. Native American Studies Center (119 S. Main St., Lancaster, SC 29720). *The Crediford Collection: Photography of South Carolina’s Native Peoples* In person. Free. For more information, go to <https://nativeamericanstudiescenter.godaddysites.com/upcoming-events> .

**July 1<sup>st</sup> 2023 – March 31<sup>st</sup> 2024**. 10 a.m.- 5 p.m. Native American Studies Center (119 S. Main St., Lancaster, SC 29720). **Exhibit Opening**. In person. Free. First day to see the exhibit, *“Sounds of Religion,”* organized by the Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Service in cooperation with the American Religious Sounds Project of The Ohio State University and Michigan State University and made possible through the generous support of The Henry Luce Foundation. Through March 31, 2024. For more information, go to <https://nativeamericanstudiescenter.godaddysites.com/upcoming-events>

**July 1<sup>st</sup> – March 2024**. Charlotte Museum of History. *“Captured in Cartoons! 200 Years of Charlotte’s History as Interpreted in Comics, Caricatures, and Animation.”* In-Person. Cost of admission for general public. Free for members.. Cost of admission. <https://charlottemuseum.org/programs-events/events/exhibit-opening-captured-in-cartoons/> . For hundreds of years, political cartoons have helped Charlotteans understand everything from World Wars to the World Cup. In "Captured in Cartoons," visitors can explore cartoons from throughout Charlotte's history, see original drawings from Pulitzer Prize-winner Kevin Siers, and experiment with making their own cartoons. This official opening event will include a conversation with Kevin Siers, light refreshments, and a brief tour of the exhibit.

**July 6<sup>th</sup> -September 8<sup>th</sup>** . Levine Museum of the New South. *“Climates of Inequality: Stories of Environmental Justice-Climate Refugees in the City of Creeks.”* Cost of admission. An exhibition of multimedia stories from across North and South America, a featured exhibition, "Climate Refugees in the

City of Creeks," explores histories of environmental change, displacement, and migration in Charlotte. The exhibit showcases the voices and artwork of students, teachers, and community members, by highlighting Charlotte's contributions to the environmental justice movement from the first Earth Day in 1970 to today.

**July 15-16<sup>th</sup>.** 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Historic Brattonsville (1444 Brattonsville Rd. McConnells, SC 29726). "*Battle of Huck's Defeat.*" In-person. \$10 general admission, free for CHM members and ages 3 and under. Go to <https://chmuseums.org/event/hucks/> for additional information. Annual two-day living history reenactment centers on this important battle (Battle of Williamson's Plantation, aka. Battle of Huck's Defeat) fought in the South Carolina Backcountry at present-day Historic Brattonsville in York County, SC (McConnells, SC) on July 14, 1780. Two days of family friendly activities featuring 18<sup>th</sup> century reenactors and camps, cooking demonstrations, musket-firing and cavalry demonstrations, site preservation and battlefield tours, and children's toys, games, and militia drill. Huck's Defeat battle reenactment on Saturday/July 15<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m. Battle of Stallings' Plantation reenactment on Sunday/July 16<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m.

**September 2-3<sup>rd</sup>.** Saturday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. Sunday 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Historic Rural Hill. "*Battle of Charlotte / Battle of the Bees Revolutionary War Reenactment*". In-person. Early Bird \$10 per day. <https://BattleOfCharlotte.eventbrite.com>. Family-friendly, educational weekend event featuring two Revolutionary War era battle reenactments - Battle of Charlotte (Saturday), Battle of the Bees (Sunday) 18<sup>th</sup>-century historical camps, cooking, living history demonstrations, talks, programs, and Revolutionary War era military black powder cannon and musket-firing demonstrations.

**October 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup>.** 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Historic Brattonsville. "*Harvest on the Homestead*". Good old-fashion fall festivities at Historic Brattonsville every Saturday in October. Living history programs at Historic Brattonsville highlight the harvest season on the plantation during the 18th and 19th centuries. Every Saturday in October will feature one of these harvest-time activities: corn shelling, wood rail and shingle-splitting (Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>), basket weaving, running the cotton gin, natural dyeing techniques for cotton, food preservation and historical cooking demonstrations with dishes celebrating corn, apples, and pumpkins. (Oct 7<sup>th</sup> – Corn; Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> – Apples; Oct. 21<sup>st</sup> – Cotton; and Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> – Pumpkins and Spice.) . Go to <http://chmuseums.org/upcoming-events-hb/> for additional details.

## ***Single Day Events - 2023*** ***Special Events/Programs/Lectures and Exhibits***

### ***July***

**July 1<sup>st</sup>.** 10 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Historic Brattonsville. "*Independence Day: Living History Saturday.*" In-person. \$8 adults, \$7 seniors, \$5 youth (4-7 years old), free for CHM members and ages 3 and under. Historic interpreters demonstrate how people celebrated Independence Day in the Carolina Piedmont during the 1850s. Featuring 19th century refreshments, toys and games, writing with quills and ink, make-and-take activity: natural dyeing. Site tour at 1 p.m.: "Brattonsville's African-American Community and The Pursuit of Liberty." Reading of the Declaration of Independence at the Oak Grove Stage at noon and 2 p.m. Go to <https://chmuseums.org/event/independence-day/> for additional details.

**July 4<sup>th</sup>.** 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Charlotte Museum of History. *Independence Day Naturalization Ceremony.* In-person. Free to Public. <https://charlottemuseum.org/programs-events/events/independence-day-at-the-museum/>. Join a group of new United States citizens as they complete the Oath and Naturalization Ceremony

at the Charlotte Museum of History. In this annual celebration, the museum will welcome new Americans with music, a keynote address, and opportunities for voter registration and education. In addition, this will be an opportunity to view the Museum's current exhibits for free, and even get a sneak peek at some newly acquired collections items!

**July 8<sup>th</sup>**. 10:00 a.m - 3:00 p.m. The Revolutionary War Visitors Center, Camden SC "*Cannons on the Battlefield During the Revolutionary War in SC*" and "*Muskets of the Revolution*". In-person. Free, but registration is encouraged. Tom Oblak, Gun Captain of the SC Battleground Preservation Trust, Artillery Demonstration Team and Kim Stacey, Colonel-in-Chief (Ret.) 84th Regiment of Foot (R.H.E.), will periodically present during the event, presentations using slides in the conference room, followed by live fire demonstrations and hands-on opportunity for spectators outside. Presentations are: For more information, visit: [Camden Rev War Visitor Center – Simply Revolutionary](#) Free Registration is at: [Firearms in July Tickets, Sat, Jul 8, 2023 at 10:00 AM | Eventbrite](#)

**July 12<sup>th</sup>**. 7:30-9:00 p.m. Mecklenburg Genealogical Society. Topic TBD. Virtual. Free. Register at <https://tinyurl.com/2p93fvv8>. Olde Meck welcomes all members and visitors to attend our monthly meetings, which offer useful information, camaraderie, connections, and the exchange of ideas. We are currently meeting via ZOOM on the second Wednesday of each month.

**July 28<sup>th</sup>**. Noon-1 p.m. Native American Studies Center (119 S. Main St., Lancaster, SC 29720). "*Lunch and Learn: Resurgence and Renaissance: Art of the Catawba Nation Since 1973, A Columbia Museum of Art Exhibit.*" In person and virtual. Free. To attend via Zoom, register at this link: [bit.ly/3MfMnLM](https://bit.ly/3MfMnLM). In summer 2023, the Columbia Museum of Art hosts the exhibit "Resurgence and Renaissance: Art of the Catawba Nation Since 1973." Building on the 1973 exhibit "Catawba Indian Trade Pottery of the Historic Period," this exhibit revisits the original show and sale and highlights Catawba artists of the past 50 years. This talk will highlight artists and artwork featured in the new exhibit, discuss the original 1973 exhibit and its impact, and explore the diversity of Catawba Nation artwork. For more information, visit our [website](#).

## August

**August 9<sup>th</sup>**. 7:30-9:00 p.m. Mecklenburg Genealogical Society. Topic Getting to know the Olde Meck website. Virtual. Free. Register at <https://tinyurl.com/2p93fvv8>. The Olde Meck website has a plethora of information and tools to help genealogists research their North Carolina ancestors. Join Lynn Bancroft and Katie Grafer to learn how to navigate the site and get the most from it, including the resources available to Olde Meck members.

**August 12<sup>th</sup>**. 3– 7 p.m. Historic Rural Hill. "*Rural Hill Day.*" In-person. \$5 for parking. <https://RuralHillDay.eventbrite.com>. Come out to the farm and enjoy historical demonstrations in the Rural Retreat Cabin, tour the Davidson Schoolhouse, visit our highland cows, enjoy food trucks, and more!

**August 20<sup>th</sup>**. 2 – 4pm. Historic Rural Hill. "*Miss May's Garden Tea.*" In-person. Starting at \$40. <https://MissMayTea23.eventbrite.com>. A tea party honoring Miss May Davidson, benefactress of the Rural Hill Cultural Center. Light hors d'oeuvres, along with teas, and lemonade will be the fare of the day. Dress in your afternoon tea finery (hats are encouraged, gloves are optional).

**August 25<sup>th</sup>**. Noon-1 p.m. Native American Studies Center (119 S. Main St., Lancaster, SC 29720). "*Lunch and Learn: "Rout and Slaughter Ensued: The Archaeology of the Battle of Camden and the Camden Burial Project."* In person and virtual. To attend via Zoom, register at this link: [bit.ly/428XYkE](https://bit.ly/428XYkE).

Free. James Legg, staff archaeologist with the SC Institute of Archaeology and Anthropology in Columbia, will discuss the archaeological study of the Battle of Camden, 1998-2013, with particular emphasis on the recent project to recover and rebury the remains of 14 men killed in the battle on August 16, 1780. For more information, visit our [website](#).

## *September*

**September 10<sup>th</sup>** . 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Historic Brattonsville. “*By the Sweat of Our Brows*”. In-person. Pre-registration is encouraged; limited walk-up tickets available. Interpretive demonstrations of the daily life and work of the enslaved persons on the Bratton Plantation. Meet their descendants and learn about the ongoing conversations between the white and African-American descendants of this 19<sup>th</sup> century era York County, South Carolina family. Other activities include traditional foodways, children’s activities, woodworking, spinning, weaving, and quilting. Go to <http://chmuseums.org/upcoming-events-hb/> for additional details.

**September 13<sup>th</sup>** . 7:30-9:00 p.m. Mecklenburg Genealogical Society. Topic TBD. Virtual. Free. Register at <https://tinyurl.com/2p93fvv8> . Olde Meck welcomes all members and visitors to attend our monthly meetings, which offer useful information, camaraderie, connections, and the exchange of ideas. We are currently meeting via ZOOM on the second Wednesday of each month.

**September 30<sup>th</sup>**. 10 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Charlotte Museum of History. “*Mad About Modern: Midcentury + Modern Home Tour*.” In-Person. Ticket reminder email sign up: <https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/su/BqpYbPG/MAM2023> . Save the date for the 2023 Mad About Modern Home Tour! Join us on Saturday, September 30 from 10 am to 4 pm to celebrate some of the best of Charlotte midcentury + modern architecture and design. Also included in your ticket purchase is a special kickoff celebration at the Museum from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm on Thursday, September 28.

**September 30<sup>th</sup>**. 5– 8pm. Historic Rural Hill. “*Sounds of the Highlands Gala*.” In-person. \$100. <https://SoundsOfTheHighlandsGala.eventbrite.com>. Join us for an enchanting evening of music and support a worthy cause at the Sounds of the Highland Gala! This gala is organized to benefit Historic Rural Hill and the talented musicians of the Cornelius Youth Orchestras. Immerse yourself in the captivating ambiance of Historic Rural Hill, located in Huntersville.

## *October*

**October 11<sup>th</sup>** . 7:30-9:00 p.m. Mecklenburg Genealogical Society. Topic TBD. Virtual. Free. Register at <https://tinyurl.com/2p93fvv8> . Olde Meck welcomes all members and visitors to attend our monthly meetings, which offer useful information, camaraderie, connections, and the exchange of ideas. We are currently meeting via ZOOM on the second Wednesday of each month.

**October 27<sup>th</sup>** . Noon-1 p.m. Native American Studies Center (119 S. Main St., Lancaster, SC 29720). “*Lunch and Learn: Halloween: It’s Nothing to Be Afraid of*.” In person and virtual. Free. From a Celtic day of the dead to contemporary America’s celebration of all things spooky, Halloween has a rich and diverse history. From a folklorist’s perspective, Dr. Criswell explores the origins and development of the holiday of Halloween as a pre-Christian festival, a Christian holy day designed to help convert early Europeans, and a

contemporary carnivalesque celebration for children and adults. To attend via Zoom, register at this link: [bit.ly/3kwSXCl](https://bit.ly/3kwSXCl). For more information, visit our [website](#).

## *November*

**November 8<sup>th</sup>** . 7:30-9:00 p.m. Mecklenburg Genealogical Society. Topic TBD. Virtual. Free. Register at <https://tinyurl.com/2p93fvv8> . Olde Meck welcomes all members and visitors to attend our monthly meetings, which offer useful information, camaraderie, connections, and the exchange of ideas. We are currently meeting via ZOOM on the second Wednesday of each month.

## *December*

### *January 2024*

**January 1<sup>st</sup>** . 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. Historic Rural Hill. “*First Footin’*.” In-person. Free. <https://FirstFootin24.eventbrite.com>. Welcome the New Year with a touch of Scottish tradition at First Footin’.

**January 27<sup>th</sup>** . 6-9 p.m. Historic Rural Hill. “*Burns’ Night Dinner*.” In-person. Starting at \$80. <https://2024BurnsDinner.eventbrite.com>. The event will feature a three-course dinner and one free pour of Scotch whisky for the toast to the immortal memory of Robert Burns. MHA members can take 20% tickets now through July 31st, 2023, with code **MHABurns** at checkout.

### *February 2024*

### *March 2024*

### *April 2024*

**April 20<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup>**. Historic Rural Hill. “*Loch Norman Highland Games and Scottish Festival*.” In-person. Earliest Birds starting at \$16. <https://2024LochNormanHighlandGames.eventbrite.com>. The festival celebrates Scottish heritage and culture through a variety of events, activities, vendors, music, and competitions throughout the weekend.

## *Historic Organization/Site Volunteer Needs*

Feel like giving back to the history community? The following historic organizations/sites have date specific and ongoing volunteer needs:

**Afro-American Historical & Genealogical Society, Inc. (AAHGS Charlotte Chapter)**

Contact: Renee Y. Jones

Phone: 980-505-7295

Email: [reneeaaahgs2020@gmail.com](mailto:reneeaaahgs2020@gmail.com)

Volunteer needs:

(Special Events):

(On-going needs): Technology assistant,

**Charlotte Museum of History**

Contact: Mea Agazio, Volunteer Coordinator/K-12 Education Specialist

Phone: 704-568-1774

Email: [marianna@charlottemuseum.org](mailto:marianna@charlottemuseum.org)

CMH Volunteer Application: <https://forms.gle/VJRWrhCHbkmZANyi7>

Volunteer needs:

(Special Events):

(On-going needs): Visitor Services, House Tour Guides – Alexander Homesite

**Charlotte Trail of History**

Contact: Kendall Kendrick

Phone:

Email: [kendall@charlottetrailofhistory.org](mailto:kendall@charlottetrailofhistory.org)

Volunteer needs: Contact Kendall Kendrick for specific needs.

**Culture & Heritage Museums (Historic Brattonsville, Museum of York County, McCelvey Center/Historical Center, Main Street Children's Museum)**

Contact: Windy Cole, Volunteer Resource Coordinator

Phone: 803-909-7218

Email: [wcole@chmuseums.org](mailto:wcole@chmuseums.org)

Volunteer needs:

(Special Events): special event help, call for special event dates and programs.

(On-going needs): Docents, costumed interpreters, trail maintenance, gardeners, archivists, natural history interpreters, research, transcribers, fiber artists, military reenactors, historic preservation, gift shop clerks, marketing, etc.

**HEARTS Park/Torance House & Store**

Contact: Abigail Jennings

Phone:

Email: [info@torancehouseandstore.org](mailto:info@torancehouseandstore.org)

Volunteer needs:

(Special Events): HEARTS Circle Membership Table, Parking Assistants, Site prep assistants, Site clean up assistants, photographer, videographer.

(On-going needs): Historians, Naturalists, Research Assistants, Store Set-up, Store Clean-up

**Historic Rosedale**

Contact: Cher Lambeth

Phone: 704-335-0325

Email: [roseedu@historicrosedale.org](mailto:roseedu@historicrosedale.org)

Volunteer needs:

(Special Events): October 15<sup>th</sup> Oyster Roast-volunteers needed to assist.

(On-going needs): Docents-Guided house tours (training provided), Welcome Center-greet visitor  
Garden volunteers- weeding, garden, ground maintenance.

### **Liberty Live**

Contact: Sheri Davis

Phone: 270-994-4400

Email: [sdavis@sc1780.org](mailto:sdavis@sc1780.org)

Volunteer needs:

(Special Events):

(On-going needs): 18<sup>th</sup> century demonstrators, Living history or first person impressions, civilian or military, interested in working with schools, museums, or events interpreting Rev. War history.

More info.: <https://southerncampaign1780.org/liberty-live-education>

### **Matthews Heritage Museum**

Contact: Camilla Bahr

Phone: 704-708-4996

Email: [info@matthewsheritagemuseum.org](mailto:info@matthewsheritagemuseum.org)

Volunteer needs:

(On-going needs):

### **Mint Hill Historical Society/Carl J. McEwen Historic Village**

Contact: Sue McDonald

Phone: 704-351-0783

Email: [historical@bellsouth.net](mailto:historical@bellsouth.net)

Volunteer needs:

(On-going needs): Docents, Landscapers, Researchers, Archivist.

### **Olde Meck (Mecklenburg Genealogical Society)**

Contact: Lynn Bancroft

Phone: 704-568-1774, Ext. 109

Email: [info@oldemeck.org](mailto:info@oldemeck.org)

Volunteer needs:

(Special Events): Marketing, event planning.

(On-going needs): Library assistants, writers, computer/website techs.

### **The President James K. Polk State Historic Site**

Contact: Kyle Booker, Assistant Site Manager

Phone: 704-889-7145

Email: [kyle.booker@ncdcr.gov](mailto:kyle.booker@ncdcr.gov)

Volunteer needs:

(Special Events):

(On-going needs): Visitor Services (Tues-Sat.), Social Media Support (any time, can work remotely).



**Robinson-Spangler Carolina Room – Charlotte Mecklenburg Library**

Contact: Sheila Bumgarner

Phone: 704-416-0137

Email: [sbumgarner@cmlibrary.org](mailto:sbumgarner@cmlibrary.org)

(Special Events):

(On-going needs): Document Digitization (knowledge of scanning and Photoshop required),  
Transcriptionist (written documents), Processing Archivist (will train under the tutelage of the archivists).

**SC Battleground Preservation Trust, Artillery Demonstration Team, Revolutionary War**

Contact: Tom Oblak

Phone: 952-454-4130

Email: [cannons@scbattlegroundtrust.org](mailto:cannons@scbattlegroundtrust.org)

Volunteer needs:

(Special Events):

(On-going needs): Revolutionary War-era demonstrators and programs designed to promote learning about the American Revolution.

**Voices From the Past.**

Contact: Lynn Mintzer

Phone: 980-439-1927 Settlers Cemetery, Historic Elmwood/Pinewood Cemetery. We are Email:

[lynnMHAD@gmail.com](mailto:lynnMHAD@gmail.com)

(Special Events): 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> century historic portrayals needed for biographical interpretations.

Volunteers needed with event logistics.

**DIRECTORY OF CHARLOTTE METROPOLITAN (METROLINA) AREA  
HISTORICAL ORGANIZATIONS  
(Current as of March 29, 2023)**

**African American Museum of History & Culture**

300 South Firestone Street Suite P

Gastonia, NC 28052.

980-888-4005.

<https://www.africanamericanmuseumgastonia.com>

<https://www.facebook.com/aamuseumgastonia>

[africanamericangaston@gmail.com](mailto:africanamericangaston@gmail.com)

[aamuseum.loraymill@gmail.com](mailto:aamuseum.loraymill@gmail.com)

**Afro-American Historical and Genealogical Society (AAHGS)**

P.O. Box 621032

Charlotte, NC 28262.

980-505-7292.

[www.aahgscharlotte.org](http://www.aahgscharlotte.org)

<https://www.facebook.com/AAHGSCHARLOTTE/>

[aahgscharlotte@gmail.com](mailto:aahgscharlotte@gmail.com)

[info@aaahgscharlotte.org](mailto:info@aaahgscharlotte.org)

**Andrew Jackson State Park**

196 Andrew Jackson Park Road

Lancaster, SC 29720.

803-285-3344.

<https://southcarolinaparks.com/andrew-jackson>

<https://www.facebook.com/Friends-of-Andrew-Jackson-State-Park-291912437542208> [andrewjackson@scprt.com](mailto:andrewjackson@scprt.com)

### **Archaeological Institute of America**

Chapter 333: Central Carolinas (Charlotte, NC)

<https://www.archaeological.org/society/central-carolinas-charlotte/>

<https://www.facebook.com/Archaeological.Institute>

[info@archaeological.org](mailto:info@archaeological.org)

### **Billy Graham Library**

4330 Westmont Dr.

Charlotte, NC 28217.

704-401-3200.

<https://billygrahamlibrary.org/>

<https://www.facebook.com/BillyGrahamLibrary>

[librarytours@bgea.org](mailto:librarytours@bgea.org)

### **Carl J. McEwen Historic Village**

7601 Matthews-Mint Hill Road

Mint Hill, NC 28227.

704-573-0726.

<https://www.minthillhistory.com>

### **Charlotte Museum of History**

3500 Shamrock Drive

Charlotte, NC 28215.

704-568-1774.

[charlottemuseum.org](http://charlottemuseum.org)

<https://www.facebook.com/charlottemuseumofhistory/>

[info@charlottemuseum.org](mailto:info@charlottemuseum.org)

### **Cherryville Historical Museum**

109 E. Main St.

Cherryville, NC 28021.

704-435-8011.

<https://www.facebook.com/CherryvilleHistoricalMuseum>

[cvhistorical@att.net](mailto:cvhistorical@att.net)

### **Davidson College Archives & Special Collections**

Davidson College

Archives and Special Collections

Davidson, NC 28035.

704-894-2158.

<https://davidsonarchivesandspecialcollections.org/archives/>

<https://twitter.com/DavidsonArchive>

[archives@davidson.edu](mailto:archives@davidson.edu)

### **Fort Dobbs State Historic Site**

438 Fort Dobbs Road

Statesville, NC 28625.

704-873-5882.

<https://historicsites.nc.gov/all-sites/fort-dobbs>

<http://www.fortdobbs.org>  
<https://www.facebook.com/FortDobbs>  
[info@fortdobbs.org](mailto:info@fortdobbs.org)

**Fort Mill History Museum**

107 Clebourne St.  
Fort Mill, SC 29715.  
803-802-3646.

<http://www.fmhm.org>  
<https://www.facebook.com/fortmillhistory>  
[info@fmhm.org](mailto:info@fmhm.org)

**Gaston County Museum**

131 West Main Street  
Dallas, NC 28034.  
704-922-7681.

[gastoncountymuseum.org](http://gastoncountymuseum.org)  
<https://www.facebook.com/GastonCountyMuseum>  
[Gaston.Museum@gastongov.com](mailto:Gaston.Museum@gastongov.com)

**Hart Square Village**

5055 Hope Rd.  
Vale, NC 28168.  
828-528-5029.

<https://www.hartsquare.com/>  
<https://www.facebook.com/HartSquareNC>  
<https://www.hartsquare.com/contact>

**Heritage Room of Union County**

300 N. Main St.  
Monroe, NC 28112.  
704-289-6737.

<https://www.carolinagensociety.org/index.php>  
<https://www.facebook.com/CarolinasGenSociety>  
[carolinagensociety@gmail.com](mailto:carolinagensociety@gmail.com)

**Historic Brattonsville**

1444 Brattonsville Road  
McConnells, SC 29726.  
803-684-2327.

[chmuseums.org/brattonsville](http://chmuseums.org/brattonsville)  
<https://www.facebook.com/HistoricBrattonsville>  
[scheduler@chmuseums.org](mailto:scheduler@chmuseums.org)

**Historical Center of York County**

210 E Jefferson St.  
York, SC 29745.  
803-684-3948.

<https://www.chmuseums.org/programs-hc/>  
[historicalcenter@chmuseums.org](mailto:historicalcenter@chmuseums.org)  
<https://www.facebook.com/CHMuseums/>  
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**Iredell Museums**

134 Court Street  
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704-873-7347.

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**Kings Mountain Historical Museum**

100 East Mountain Street  
Kings Mountain, NC 28086.  
704-739-1019.

[kingsmountainmuseum.org](http://kingsmountainmuseum.org)

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**Kings Mountain National Military Park**

2625 Park Rd.  
Blacksburg, SC 29702.  
864-936-7921.

[nps.gov/kimo/index.htm](http://nps.gov/kimo/index.htm)

<https://www.facebook.com/kingsmountainNPS>  
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**Kings Mountain State Park**

1277 Park Rd.  
Blacksburg, SC 29702.  
803-222-3209.

[southcarolinaparks.com/kings-mountain](http://southcarolinaparks.com/kings-mountain)  
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**Lancaster Historic Courthouse Museum**

104 Main Street  
Lancaster, SC 29720  
803-285-1565

[https://cms9files.revize.com/lancastercountysc/Document\\_Center/Boards%20and%20Commissions/Historical%20Commission/LCHCSpringNewsletter2022.pdf](https://cms9files.revize.com/lancastercountysc/Document_Center/Boards%20and%20Commissions/Historical%20Commission/LCHCSpringNewsletter2022.pdf)

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**Levine Museum of the New South**

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Charlotte, NC 28202.  
704-333-1887.

[museumofthenewsouth.org](http://museumofthenewsouth.org)

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**Liberty Mountain-The Revolutionary Drama**

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Kings Mountain, NC 28086  
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**Lincoln County Museum of History & Cultural Center**

403 East Main Street  
Lincolnton, NC 28092.  
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**Main Street Children's Museum**

133 E. Main St  
Rock Hill, SC 29730.  
803-327-6400.

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**Matthews Heritage Museum**

232 N. Trade Street  
Matthews, NC 28105  
704-708-4996.

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Charlotte, NC 28230.

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**McCelvey Center/Lowry Family Theater**

212 E. Jefferson St. #A

York, SC 29745.

803-684-3948.

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**Mecklenburg Historical Association**

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**Mount Holly Historical Society**

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Mount Holly, NC 28120.

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**Mundy House & History Center of Eastern Lincoln County**

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Denver, NC 28037.

704-748-9090.

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**Museum of the Waxhaws**

8215 Waxhaw Hwy.

Waxhaw, NC 28173.

704-843-1832.

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<https://www.facebook.com/museumofthewaxhaws>  
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**Museum of York County**

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Rock Hill, SC 29732.

803-329-2121.

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**Native American Studies Center**

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803-313-7172.

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<https://www.facebook.com/nativeamericanstudies/>  
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**President James K. Polk Historical Site**

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Pineville, NC 28134  
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Midland, NC 2107.  
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[reed@ncdcr.org](mailto:reed@ncdcr.org)

**Reid House**

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**Robinson-Spangler Room (Charlotte Mecklenburg Library)**

310 North Tryon Street  
Charlotte, NC 28202.  
704-416-0150.

<https://www.cmlibrary.org/services/genealogy-history-services>  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1037640759956826>  
<https://www.cmlibrary.org/contact-robinson-spangler-carolina-room>

**Rowan Museum**

202 North Main Street  
Salisbury, NC 28144.

704-633-5946.

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### **Schiele Museum**

1500 East Garrison Blvd.

Gastonia, NC 28054.

704-866-6900.

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### **Stanly County Museum**

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Albemarle, NC 28001.

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### **Union County Library**

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### **UNC Charlotte Special Collections, Atkins Library**

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J. Murrey Atkins Library Special Collections & University Archives

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Charlotte, NC 28223.

704-687-1170.

[spec-coll@uncc.edu](mailto:spec-coll@uncc.edu)

<https://library.charlotte.edu/archives-rare-books/about-special-collections>

### **York County Library / Genealogy Group**

138 E. Black St.

Rock Hill, SC 29732.

<https://www.yclibrary.org/genealogy-local-history>

<https://www.facebook.com/yorkcountylibrary>

<https://www.yclibrary.org/ask-a-librarian>