



VALLEY FORGE

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Inspiring appreciation for and citizen stewardship of Valley Forge Park since 1976.

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Celebrate the 4th of July at Valley Forge



Thursday, July 4, 2024

10 AM to 2 PM

Muhlenberg's Brigade and
the Visitor Center at Valley Forge

Get in the revolutionary spirit this Fourth of July! Join us up at Muhlenberg's Brigade to hear a reading of the Declaration of Independence or watch artillery firing demonstrations (weather-dependent), or come over to the Visitor Center to sign the Declaration of Independence, make an 18th century hat, and learn how to be a revolutionary spy.

[See the Full Schedule](#)

Remembering All Who Served at Valley Forge

What would you do for life, liberty, and the pursuit of



happiness? The men, women, and children of the Valley Forge Encampment gave up everything to fight for these. On Independence Day, the Valley Forge Muster Roll remembers and honors all those who were at the Encampment and who persevered through the harsh winter of 1777-1778 so that we may be free and independent. Was your ancestor at Valley Forge? Visit www.valleyformemusterroll.org to see.

Help us maintain the Muster Roll as a free service so that everyone can discover or add to the legacy of the brave individuals who encamped at Valley Forge. When you **make a tax-deductible contribution** of \$20 or more, we will add your name to the Honorary Muster Roll. Thanks for your support!

250 is Coming to Chester County!



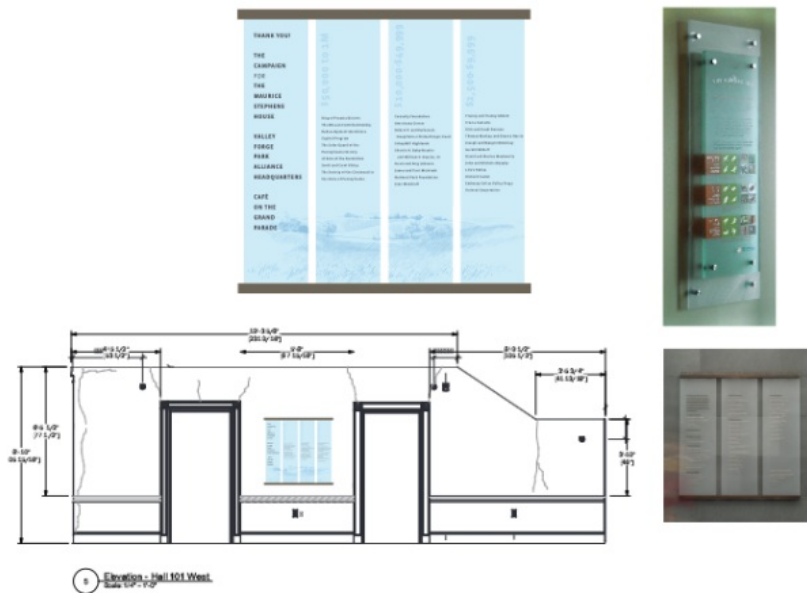
On July 4, 2026, communities across the nation will celebrate the 250th anniversary of our great nation. Planning for celebrations and commemorations is underway NOW, at the federal, statewide, and local levels.

Chester County 250 has been planning ways to inspire and engage all our communities in commemoration of America's founding, connecting Chester County's stories to the nation's past, present, and future.

Visit <https://america250chesco.org> to get involved and learn more!

Check Out the Maurice Stephens House

Donor Wall



As our grand opening of the Maurice Stephens House gets closer (keep your eyes peeled for more information later this summer) we're pleased to share the mockup of our donor wall, which will be displayed along the wall outside the cafe.

It's **not too late** to give and see your name on the donor wall with a gift of \$2,500 or more!

Image Credit: Gecko Group

Welcome Home, Descendants of Washington's Army at Valley Forge



The Valley Forge Park Alliance hosted the Society of Descendants of Washington's Army at Valley Forge for their 2024 Encampment and would like to thank them for their generous annual gift, as well as an additional gift toward the Maurice Stephens House. Individuals generously gave over \$10,000 for the historic reuse project! Many thanks to these citizen stewards whose ancestors we owe deep gratitude.

Photo Credit: Tim Massey

A Big THANK YOU to The Circuit



Attendees of our speaker series events no doubt noticed our new location this year: **The Circuit** in Chesterbrook! We cannot thank them enough for so generously hosting our events in their beautiful space.

Are you looking for office space near Valley Forge? With fourteen buildings available, including The Circuit, the Chesterbrook Campus has everything you could possibly need!

[Learn More](#)

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