

SUMMER HERITAGE EVENTS

Montour County Historical Society Speaker Series

May 8 & 22, June 5 & 22, July 3 & 17, August 7 & 21, September 8
7pm - 9pm; \$5 Admission

Presenters speak on the history of Montour County and events in our past that relate to Montour County History.

Venue: Boyd House Museum
19 Bloom Street, Danville, PA 17821
570-271-0830 • montourcountyhistoricalsociety.org

History Comes Alive at the Bloomsburg Fairgrounds

May 10 - 11; 9am - 4pm, FREE Admission

Experience Civil War history through a series of war reenactors and civilian demonstrators. Learn about Civil War era medicine, wood working, blacksmithing, telegraph operators, weaving, quilting, spies and more. Featuring living historians, reenactors, and crafters. Both the Barton House and School will be open.

Venue: Bloomsburg Fairgrounds
620 W. Third Street, Bloomsburg, PA, 17815
570-784-4949

Sara E. Bull Memorial Mother's Day Victorian Tea

May 11; 1pm - 3pm, \$25 for Non-Members, \$12.50 for Society Members

Tour the palatial House Museum at your leisure, followed by a selection of delicacies and desserts on the lawn. Listen to live music from the Touch of Brass band and Nightingales (harp group). Tickets may be purchased online or at the Jackson Mansion Carriage House Gift Shoppe.

Venue: Jackson Mansion
344 N. Market Street, Berwick, PA 18603
570-759-8020 • berwickhistoricalsociety.org

Celebrate Historic Berwick

June 1; 11am - 6pm, FREE Admission

Live music, craft beers, kid friendly activities and fantastic foods! Join us as we "Celebrate Berwick" with a twist on Market Street in front of the Jackson Mansion.

Venue: Downtown Berwick & Jackson Mansion
N. Market Street, Berwick, PA 18603
570-759-8203 • facebook.com/events/350370915576216/

Bill's 80th Birthday Bash

June 7 - 9; \$15 Admission

Enjoy motorcycle stunt riding and self-guided tours of Bill's museum, filled with vintage motorcycles and Americana collectibles. Rhett Rotten "braves the boards" on his 1927 Indian Scout on the vintage "vertical racetrack", built circa 1938.

Venue: Bill's Old Bike Barn
7145 Columbia Blvd, Bloomsburg, PA, 17815
570-759-7030 • billsbikebarn.com

39th Annual Strawberry Festival

June 9; 11am - 4pm, FREE Admission

Featuring homemade food and ice cream, including strawberry desserts made from local berries, hamburgers, hot dogs, and our legendary ham barbecue. Enjoy a Hymn Sing accompanied by a pump organ featuring John Ravert and students, an exhibit of antique cars, and tours of the historic church and cemetery.

Venue: Historic Warrior Run Church
41 Warrior Lane, Watontown, PA, 17777
freelandfarm.org

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Danville Heritage Festival

July 19 - 21; FREE Admission

A unique three-day celebration of the region's heritage, featuring living history demonstrations, crafts, historical speakers, live music, sports tournaments, a 5K race, a mine hike, food vendors, and fireworks over the Susquehanna on July 20th.

Venue: Hess Fields and Surrounding Danville Area
danvilleheritage.com

World War II Weekend

July 20 & 21; FREE Admission

WWII military encampments, home front displays, weaponry demonstrations, battle scenarios and maneuvers, convoys, community groups, veteran tributes, food, Saturday evening swing dance, & more!

Venue: Berwick Test Track Park
South Eaton Street, Berwick, PA, 18603
bringstuiehome.org

Pioneer Day 2019

August 17; 10am - 5pm; FREE Admission

Celebrate the Pioneer Tunnel's 57th anniversary with coal mine tours, steam train rides, and live entertainment. Food, crafts, and games vendors will be onsite.

Venue: Pioneer Tunnel Coal Mine
19th & Oak Streets, Ashland, PA, 17921
570-875-3850 • pioneertunnel.com

Warrior Run - Fort Freeland Heritage Days

October 5 & 6; \$6 for Adults, \$2 for Students, FREE for Children Under 5

Enjoy two full days of colonial foods, demonstrations, period costumed crafters, tradesmen, and lectures that help visitors of all ages better understand the lives of the early settlers in the Warrior Run area.

Venue: Historic Warrior Run Church
41 Warrior Lane, Watontown, PA, 17777
freelandfarm.org

How to Turn in Your Passport

Complete at least 5 of the 14 stops, and you'll receive a commemorative embroidered patch, mailed to your address. Complete at least 10 stops, and you'll also be entered to win one of the five grand prize baskets! Mail or drop off your completed passport to:

Columbia-Montour Visitors Bureau
121 Papermill Road, Bloomsburg, PA 17815

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Passports must be postmarked by October 16th to be considered. Winners will be selected and notified by November 4th.

Check out more Regional Heritage Sites!

Please Note - these sites do not fulfill a stop on the passport trail.

Bloomsburg Post Office*

230 Market Street,
Bloomsburg, PA 17815
570-784-1077

Carriage House Library and Museum

344 Market Street, Berwick, PA 18603
570-759-8020
berwickhistoricalsociety.org

Covered Bridges of Columbia & Montour County

Columbia and Montour Counties
800-847-4810
itourcolumbiamountour.com

Danville Post Office*

200 Mill Street, Danville, PA 17821
570-275-2661

Jankola Library & Slovak Museum

580 Railroad Street, Danville, PA 17821
570-275-5606
jankolalibrary.sscm.org/slovakmuseum

McClure House

McClure Boulevard,
Bloomsburg, PA 17815
www.ftmccluredar.org

Montour County Historical Society

11 Bloom Street, PO Box 8,
Danville, PA 17821
570-271-0830
montourcountyhistoricalsociety.org

Museum of Anthracite Mining

401 South 18th Street,
Ashland, PA 17921
570-875-2911
www.anthracitemuseum.org

The Children's Museum, Inc.

2 West Seventh Street,
Bloomsburg, PA 17815
570-389-9206
the-childrens-museum.org

The Jackson Mansion

344 Market Street, Berwick, PA 18603
570-759-8020
berwickhistoricalsociety.org

Thomas Beaver Free Library

317 Ferry Street, Danville, PA 17821
570-275-4180
tbflibrary.org

Walk Berwick

Historic District of Berwick
800-847-4810
itourcolumbiamountour.com

Walk Bloomsburg

Historic District of Bloomsburg
800-847-4810
itourcolumbiamountour.com

Walk Danville

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121 Papermill Road
Bloomsburg, PA 17815
800-847-4810

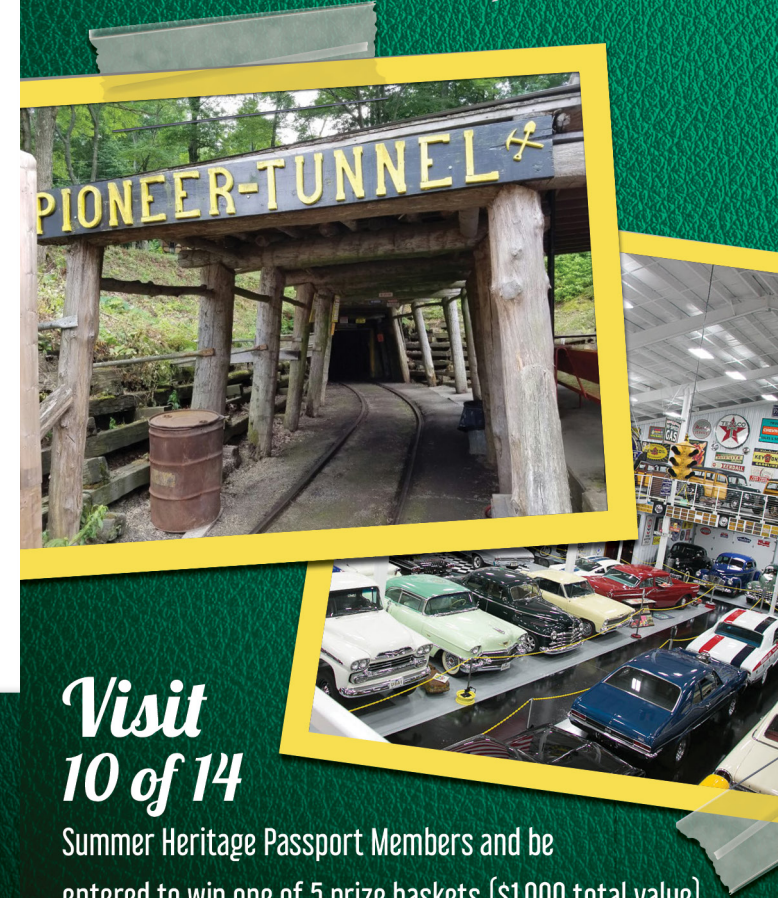
iTourColumbiaMontour.com
Weekdays: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Saturdays: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
(Memorial Day - Labor Day)



May 10th - October 12th **2019**

SUMMER HERITAGE Passport



Visit 10 of 14

Summer Heritage Passport Members and be entered to win one of 5 prize baskets (\$1,000 total value).

iTourColumbiaMontour.com

SUMMER HERITAGE PASSPORT

1. Barton Historical Association c/o Bloomsburg Fair

620 West 3rd Street, Bloomsburg, PA 17815
bloomsburgfair.com • 570-784-4949

The Barton House historic area represents the original acreage of the Bloomsburg Fair in 1855 and preserves an important element of the Fair and its history.

Hours: Historic Area/Barton House/School House open Friday, May 10 & Saturday, May 11 for "History Comes Alive" event; 9am-4pm both days. Also open Friday, June 28 for Red Power Round Up event; 9am-4pm. Open daily from 10am-6pm during Bloomsburg Fair week.

Admission: May and June events are FREE. Fair Admission in September is \$8.00. No additional charge to tour historic buildings.

2. Bill's Old Bike Barn

7145 Route 11, Bloomsburg, PA 17815
billsbikebarn.com • 570-759-7030

Antique toys and pedal cars, motorcycles, advertising signage, gas pumps, fishing gear, and so much more! Whatever your interests are, you are bound to find nostalgia to warm your heart and cheer your soul. One visit is never enough.

Hours: Open year-round; Thursdays & Fridays 10am-6pm, Saturdays 9:30am-3pm, Sundays 1pm-5pm

Admission: \$5.00

3. The Boyd House

19 Bloom Street, PO Box 8, Danville PA 17821
montourcountyhistoricalsociety.org • 570-271-0831

The Boyd House features a large Military Room with artifacts from every American conflict and War as well as a beautiful Victorian Parlor. Mining, Manufacturing & Industry Room opens in June.

Hours: Open April -October; Sundays 2pm-4pm

Admission: \$5.00, includes admission to Montgomery House; MCHS Members & Children under 18 - FREE

4. Catawissa Quaker Meeting House

South Street, Catawissa, PA 17820
catawissa.us • 570-356-2561

The Catawissa Quaker Meeting House was the location for Quakers in and around Columbia County to meet. The meeting house was the second building to be erected in Catawissa and was built between 1787 and 1789 and is now more than 200 years old. The building is Catawissa's oldest standing building and possibly the oldest building in Columbia County.

Hours: Open 3rd Sunday of the month from May-October; 1pm-3pm. Other times by appointment if staff is available - call to schedule.

Admission: FREE

5. Columbia County Historical & Genealogical Society

225 Market Street, Bloomsburg, PA 17815
columbiacountyhistory.org • 570-784-1600

Formed in 1914 to preserve items and materials about Columbia County, the Columbia County Historical & Genealogical Society features rotating museum displays, over 14,000 photographs, scrapbooks, county histories, genealogy files, and more. Staff are volunteers who love to help others find their "roots".

Hours: Open year-round; Tuesdays & Fridays 9am-3pm, Thursdays 1pm-7:30pm, Saturdays 9am-11:30am

Admission: FREE for museum, \$2.00 per hour research fee if using library materials

6. Eagles Mere Air Museum

14013 Pennsylvania SR-42, Laporte, PA 17731
eaglesmereairmuseum.org • 570-220-2429

The Air Museum is a "live museum" of vintage planes that fly weather permitting. The museum contains a history of early flight pilots and a variety of memorabilia.

Hours: Open May 18 thru October 13; Saturdays & Sundays 11am-4pm

Admission: \$8.00 - Adult Admission to both Air & Auto museums; \$18.00 - Family Admission (includes 2 adults and children under 12)

7. Eagles Mere Auto Museum

14013 Pennsylvania SR-42, Laporte, PA 17731
eaglesmereautomuseum.com • 570-220-2429

The Eagles Mere Auto Museum contains between 72-75 classic cars plus vintage signs, pumps and transportation memorabilia.

Hours: Open May 18 thru October 13; Saturdays & Sundays 11am-4pm

Admission: \$8.00 - Adult Admission to both Air & Auto museums; \$18.00 - Family Admission (includes 2 adults and children under 12)

8. Eagles Mere Museum

228 Eagles Mere Avenue, Eagles Mere, PA
eaglesmeremuseum.com • 570-525-3155

"The Lake and its Legacy" - begin a journey through time from its formation, the glassworks, hotels and narrow gauge railroad.

Hours: From the 2nd weekend in June thru Labor Day, open 7 days a week from 10am-5pm. From Labor Day until the 2nd weekend in June, open 10am-4pm on weekends only.

Admission: FREE Admission

9. International Harvester Collectors Museum

47 South Chestnut Street, Millville, PA 17846
ihcc17.com • 570-971-3232

Step back in time when the International Harvester Company was the worldwide king of the farm equipment business.

Hours: Open May 11 - October 12; Saturdays from 10am-3pm

Admission: FREE Admission

10. The Jane E. DeLong Memorial Hall

1129 Third Street, Washingtonville, PA 17884
570-437-3767

Attractions at the memorial hall include exhibits of Frank DeLong's inventions (bobby pin, paper clip, diaper pin, folding cardboard box, stenograph machine, hook and eye), a helmet worn by Charles Lindburgh during his Spirit of St. Louis flight, exotic art pieces, an early 20th century library, and various local history memorabilia.

Hours: May 11 - October 12; 2nd Saturday and 4th Sunday of each month from 10am - 2pm.

Admission: FREE Admission; donations appreciated.

11. Knoebels Amusement Resort - Carousel Museum

391 Knoebels Boulevard, Elysburg, PA 17824
knoebels.com • 800-487-4386

The Knoebels Carousel Museum features over 50 carousel figures, scenery panels, chariot sides, and other carousel memorabilia dating back to 1870.

Hours: Hours vary by day. Visit knoebels.com/TodayAtK or call 800-487-4386 to confirm hours of operation.

Admission: FREE Admission

12. Montgomery House

11 Bloom Street, PO Box 8, Danville PA 17821
montourcountyhistoricalsociety.org • 570-271-0830

The Montour County Historical Society preserves our past for the future. The Montgomery House shows how our ancestors lived, worked and played.

Hours: April - October; Sundays 2pm-4pm

Admission: \$5.00, includes admission to the Boyd House; MCHS Members & Children under 18 - FREE

13. Mooresburg School

685 Liberty Valley Road, Danville, PA 17821
montourcountyhistoricalsociety.org • 570-271-0831

One of the few one-room schoolhouses still set up to be "ready for students". Sit at student desks, look through schoolbooks, and view local photos. It also houses a Beaver Stove furnace.

Hours: Open House on October 6 from 1pm-4pm, or by appointment any time during the summer.

Admission: \$2.00; MCHS Members & Children under 18 - FREE

14. Pioneer Tunnel

19th and Oak Street, Ashland, PA 17921
pioneertunnel.com • 570-875-3850

At the Pioneer Tunnel, take a tour inside a real underground anthracite coal mine & enjoy a train ride on an old-fashioned narrow gauge steam engine. Tours are great for all ages!

Hours: April & May: Weekday Mine Tours at 11am, 12:30pm, and 2pm; Weekends in May: Train & Mine Tours run continuously from 10am-4:30pm

Memorial Day-Labor Day: Open 7 day a week

Mine Tours at 10:30am, 12pm, 1:30pm, 3pm, and 4:30pm

Train Rides at 11:15am, 12:45pm, 2:15pm, 3:45pm

September & October: Open 7 days a week

Weekday Mine Tours 11am, 12:30pm & 2pm

Weekend Tour Schedule:

Mine Tours at 10:30am, 12pm, 1:30pm, 3pm, and 4:30pm

Train Rides at 11:15am, 12:45pm, 2:15pm, 3:45pm

Admission: Coal Mine Tour & Steam Train Ride Combination Ticket - \$18 (Adults), \$13.50 (Children). Pricing for individual tours can be found on website.