



OUTREACH PROGRAMS

Let us come to you!

Students participate in engaging, experiential learning in the school setting.

Cost: \$10.00 per student

25 students per session

FOUR ADULTS PER CLASS ARE REQUIRED TO PARTICIPATE IN HANDS-ON ACTIVITIES.

Morning and/or afternoon sessions available, and multiple classes can be accommodated with a series of sessions.

To schedule an Outreach or School Visit email or call:
education@smithtownhistorical.org
(631) 265-6768

Additional fee for travel outside of the Smithtown area may apply.



PLANNING YOUR VISIT

School visits are scheduled weekdays, 10am-12:30pm

Lunch area available, please plan to depart at 1pm if staying for lunch.

- Students- \$10 each
- Chaperones/Teachers- FREE
- 5 adults per 25 students required

Our programs are approved by
Eastern and Western Suffolk BOCES
Nassau BOCES

\$50 deposit for each class is requested.

Deposits will be refunded if reservation is cancelled 30 days prior to the date of your visit.

Please make checks payable to the Smithtown Historical Society



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2016-2017 EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS



*Hands on, Minds On,
Fun and History*



SMITHTOWN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Our Mission is to ensure that the history of our Long Island heritage and Smithtown Township is restored, preserved, and interpreted for the education and enjoyment of current and future generations. We seek to strengthen the ties to our rich local heritage and community.



PRE~SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Our on-site pre-school programs and monthly public programs make learning and story time fun! Children explore seasonal themes and learn about exciting topics through stories, crafts, and engaging hands-on activities. Programs with an * are open to the public during scheduled times.

- Tales for Tots: The 2nd Friday at 11am, Roseneath Cottage* (story time only) FREE
- Mommie & Me on the Farm, Arthur Barn & Grounds, check website for schedule*
- The following are designed for pre-school and day care visits: The Chicken or the Egg?, Baa Baa Black Sheep, Churnin' Butter, Pickin' Pumpkins, The First Thanksgiving, What is a Farm?, Colonial Stories & Games . Call for pricing.

HOME SCHOOL DAYS

Thursday, October 6, 2016, 9:30am-3:00pm

Thursday, May 4, 2017, 9:30am-3:00pm

Join us for a sampling of our educational programs during our Homeschool Days in October and May. Enjoy highlights from our four programs (listed to the right) along with hands-on activities. Enjoy our grounds, bring a picnic lunch and visit to our Gift Shop! Children must be accompanied by an adult. *\$10 per student/\$20 max per family. Call to register.*



CIVIL WAR ENCAMPMENT

Friday, May 19, 2017, 9am-2pm

Spend the day on our historical grounds, visiting Confederate and Union reenactment soldiers, civilians, and battlefield doctor. Cavalry and infantry battle reenactments and demonstrations are presented throughout the day. Enjoy a picnic lunch and visit our

Gift Shop! Appropriate for grades 4-8. *\$10 per student. Call to register.*

SCHOOL VISIT PROGRAMS

NEW! LI KIDS: THEN & NOW

Travel through time and explore how children lived, learned, played, and even worked on Long Island through out the years during the 20th and 21st centuries. Experience similarities and differences of the past with the present, engage in educational and play activities of the past, and predict how the past and present future may have an impact of how children learn and play in future generations.

FARM LIFE IN EARLY AMERICA

Learn about Long Island farm life in the 18th and 19th centuries with a visit to our Franklin Arthur Farm. Hands-on activities include: wool carding, spinning and weaving; flax preparation including a flax-brake, scutching boards and hetchels.

18TH CENTURY INNKEEPER'S DAY



Next stop on the stagecoach is the Epenetus Smith Tavern! Visit a place in Smithtown of significant activity during the Revolutionary War. Students learn about life in the 18th century through hands-on activities: stenciling a tavern sign, letter writing with a quill pen, learning the art of silhouettes, dipping colonial candles and playing colonial games.



19TH CENTURY LONG ISLAND

Experience the Victorian Era in America, at the Judge J. Lawrence Smith Homestead. Learn about inventions, customs, amusements of the period, and how children entertained themselves. Students will bind and print a journal, use the camera obscura, be a brick maker and build a wooden toy.

