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UPCOMING EVENTS

LOCATION

East Petersburg
Community Building
6051 North Pine Street
East Petersburg, PA



01 MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2024

EAST PETERSBURG BULLDOGS YOUTH FOOTBALL

7:00 p.m.

Presented by John Mattern and Garry Fuhrman.

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The East Petersburg Historical Society (EPHS) was established in 1976 with the purpose to preserve East Petersburg memorabilia and to make those artifacts available for the education of community residents.

The Daniel Wolf House, located at State & Lemon Streets in East Petersburg, PA, is open for visitors, tours & business during the first Saturday of each month (throughout the year) 9:00 a.m. to noon.

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LOCATION

East Petersburg Historical Society
Daniel Wolf House
State & Lemon Streets
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01 SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2024

DANIEL WOLF HOUSE OPEN

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

02 SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19

EAST PETERSBURG HISTORICAL SOCIETY APPLE FESTIVAL

11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

FAMILY FUN

MAKE-N-TAKE CRAFTS

COLORING PAGES HANDOUT

APPLE BOBBING

CIDER MAKING (SMALL NON-PASTEURIZED)

BEAN BAG TOSS

HOT DOGS, APPLE DESSERTS, CIDER AND WATER FOR SALE

FREE APPLE & GINGER SNAPS COOKIES

EAST PETERSBURG SPONSORS

- Dinse Dental Care – 1890 State Street
- Gargano's Pizzeria & Deli – 5997 Main Street
- Teaman-Martin Associates – 6023 Main Street

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2024

DANIEL WOLF HOUSE OPEN

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2024

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.



EAST PETERSBURG PAST

1834

The enactment of the Public School Law was passed by East Petersburg, replacing the popular local German language with the more popular English language in the school system.

1847

The Lutherans and the German Reformed members built a large brick meetinghouse in the northwestern part of town as a cooperative venture. They shared the meetinghouse by worshippers on alternate Sabbaths.

1857

Tobias Miller opened a clothing & tailoring establishment in town.

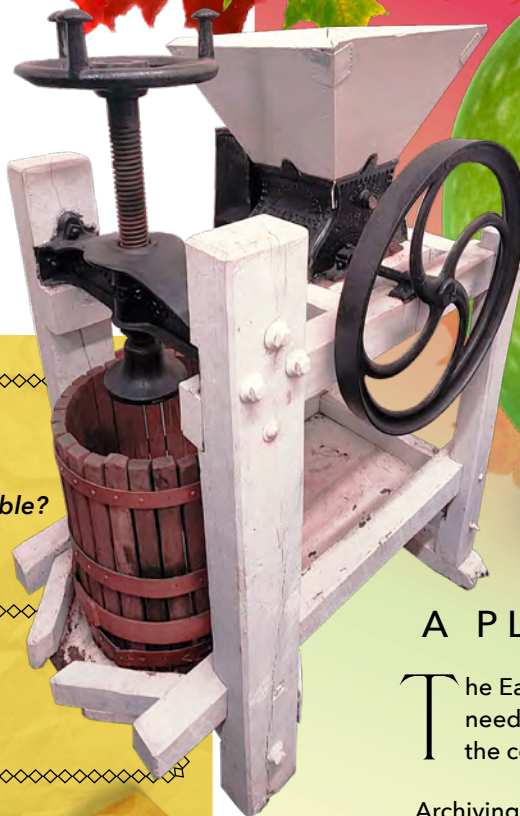
EAST PETERSBURG MAPS



FEATURED ARTIFACT

ANTIQUUE CIDER PRESS

We could "explain how it was used, **BUT, better yet, come on out to our October 19, 2024 EPHS Apple Festival** to see this piece & smaller apple presses in action.



HISTORY HUMOR

Who made King Arthur's Round Table?

Sir Cumference!

A degree in history is useless...

Because there's no future in it!

A PLEA FOR HISTORY

The East Petersburg Historical Society (EPHS) needs your help. As history unfolds, so do the costs for protecting our heritage.

Archiving, storing and displaying these precious items is necessary work – a privileged task that our dedicated volunteers are happy to perform.

As a non-profit organization, however, we have financial limitations. Our landmark EPHS museum – The Daniel Wolf House of East Petersburg, PA – needs repairs and upgrades in order to safeguard our history for generations to come.

A heating, ventilating and air conditioning system (HVAC) is required for storing and displaying donated artifacts in a proper, safe environment.

Temperature fluctuations and excessive humidity are deteriorating the 1905 State Street building, the artifacts and documents. Without a stable, climate-controlled building, we are in danger of losing our cherished history.

With your donation, you will help us to protect the future by preserving our past.



COOKING UP THE PAST

PUMPKIN PECAN (PEEKIN') PIE

From the colonial kitchen of Mount Vernon

Ingredients:

4	eggs, slightly beaten	1	teaspoon vanilla
2	cups canned or mashed cooked pumpkin	1/2	teaspoon cinnamon
1	cup sugar	1/4	teaspoon salt
1/2	cup dark corn syrup	1	unbaked 9-inch pie shell
		1	cup chopped pecans

1. Combine all ingredients (**except pecans**).
2. Pour into a pie shell.
3. Top pie with pecans.
4. Bake at 350°F for 40 minutes or until set.



To donate by mail:
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