

Yorktown Museum Newsletter

February, March, & April 2026

You are receiving this newsletter because you took the time to visit the Yorktown Museum and signed our guestbook. Thank you so much for your support! Come in and see what's new!

February

is Black History Month!

We celebrated with an exhibit that featured the **Pines Bridge Skirmish** and the 1st Rhode Island Regiment; America's first Black military regiment. This Revolutionary War era event happened right here in Yorktown. We showcased the monument dedicated to the soldiers lost in the fight for freedom.



May 2, 2026 there will be a whole day dedicated to The Battle of Pines Bridge. With parades and reenactors it is sure to be amazing. See the town website for event schedule.

March

is Women's History Month

We celebrated with an exhibit featuring many incredible women, including:

Alice Roker -Yorktown Town Historian

Katherine Johnson -Pioneering NASA mathematician

Malala Yousafzai -Pakistani education activist

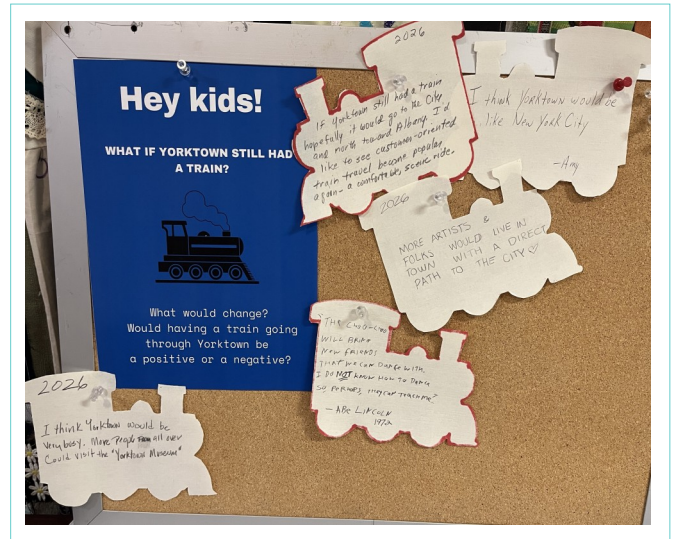
We enjoyed researching this project and feel gratitude for the women who persevered through adversity to achieve their dreams and make the world a better place.



Come Ride the Rails of The Old Put!

The museum's current exhibit tells the story of the New York Central Putnam Division Railway that ran through the middle of town and changed the course of Yorktown's history.

Do you know the story? The Old Put has many! Then slide on over to see the train in action on our HO scale working set.



We had lots of visitors during Spring Break!

Kids enjoyed making Colonial toys *and practicing beautiful cursive writing with ink and quill pen.*



Our visitors from [ARC Westchester](#) learned about wampum and made their own patterned bracelets.



As always, we appreciate our weekly help from [Ability Beyond!](#)

We asked visitors to tell us what Yorktown would be like if it still had a train. What do you think?

Follow us on [Facebook](#) to keep up with games, posts, and events.

AND

Keep an eye out for REV 250 events. The Historic Hudson Valley has amazing happenings all year long in celebration of our country's quest for FREEDOM. Learn the lessons or we will be DOOMED to repeat them!

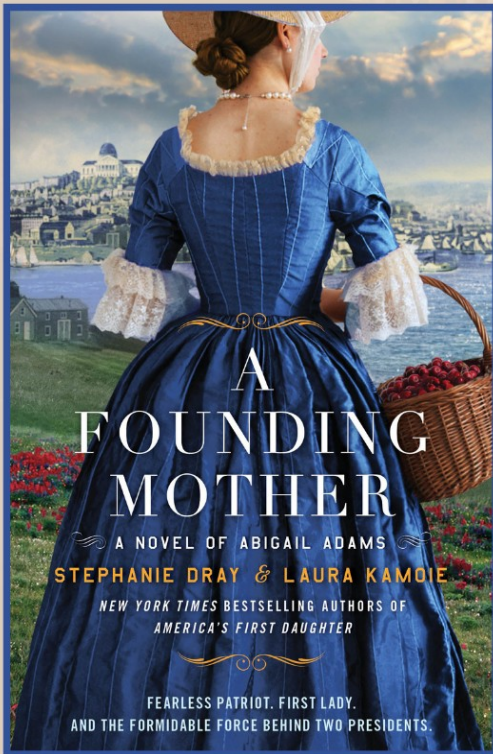
SAVE THE DATE!

Friday May 8th

Author talk at John C. Hart library

Register today!

An Evening with the Authors:
Stephanie Dray & Laura Kamoie
at John C. Hart Memorial Library



May 8th 6 PM

Join us for this special literary event, featuring *New York Times* bestselling writers, Stephanie Dray and Laura Kamoie, as they discuss their compelling new novel.

Following the discussion, guests are invited to meet the authors during a book signing. Copies of the book will be available for purchase.

Light refreshments will be served.

Registration is required.



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