



JUNETEENTH: A Celebration of Freedom

An African American holiday
marking the end of slavery
in the United States

at Durand-Hedden House & Garden,
523 Ridgewood Rd, Maplewood

Sunday June 18, 2023

1:00 – 5:00 p.m.

SCHEDULE of Events:

Musical Performances

- 1:00pm Jackie Slappy, vocalist
- 4:00pm Jackie Slappy, vocalist
- 4:30pm Kamate Traders, African Drummers

Historical Reenactors

- 1:30pm "I can read!" - Historical Interpreter Daniel Carlton
- 2:30pm Harriet Tubman - Historical Interpreter Daisy Century
- 3:30pm "I can read!" - Historical Interpreter Daniel Carlton

Family Activities

- 2:15pm Poetry readings - Patricia Ballew and Sandra Bartlett
- 3:15 - 3:30pm Master Storyteller Hollis Donaldson
- 3:45 - 4:00pm Master Storyteller Hollis Donaldson
- 1:00 - 5:00pm Face Painting
- 1:00 - 5:00pm Make a paper quilt
- 1:00 - 5:00pm Play historical children's games

Exhibits and Information - All Afternoon

- 1:00 - 5:00pm Exhibition: History of Slavery in New Jersey *In house*
- 1:00 - 5:00pm Art exhibit *In house*
- 1:00 - 5:00pm League of Women Voters
- 1:00 - 5:00pm South Orange-Maplewood Community Coalition on Race -- information

Food - All Afternoon

- 1:00 - 5:00pm Your Ultimate Patty Place (for purchase)
- 1:00 - 5:00pm Mini-pies for dessert (for purchase)
- 1:00 - 5:00pm Water (free)

Visit the Durand-Hedden Country Store

- 1:00 - 5:00pm

This event is co-sponsored by:

the Durand-Hedden House and Garden,
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 and
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FOR FURTHER READING:

Picture Books

Juneteenth for Mazie by Floyd Cooper

Freedom's Gifts: A Juneteenth Story by Valerie Wilson Wesley

All Different Now: Juneteenth, the First Day of Freedom by Angela Johnson

Juneteenth Jamboree by Carole Boston Weatherford

Ben and the Emancipation Proclamation by Pat Sherman, illustrated by Floyd Cooper

Juneteenth by R.J. Bailey (in Spanish, en español)

Middle Reader & Young Adult

Slavery in New Jersey: A Troubled History by Gail R. Safian
(Durand-Hedden House publication)

The Story of Juneteenth: An Interactive History Adventure by Steven Offinoski

Juneteenth by Vaunda and Drew Nelson

Juneteenth: The Story of Our Holidays by Joanna Ponto

Free at Last! Stories and Songs of Emancipation by Doreen Rapaport,
illustrated by Shane W. Evans

Days of Jubilee: The End of Slavery in the United States by Patricia C. McKissack
& Frederick L. McKissack

Adults

Slavery in New Jersey: A Troubled History by Gail R. Safian
(Durand-Hedden House publication)

The Ragged Road to Abolition: Slavery and Freedom in New Jersey, 1775-1865,
by James J. Gigantino II, 2015

Black New Jersey – 1664 to the Present Day by Graham Russell Gao Hodges, 2019

Freedom Not Far Distant by Clement Alexander Price, 1980

Root & Branch: African Americans in New York and East Jersey, 1613-1863.
Graham Russell Hodges, 1999

The African Americans, Many Rivers to Cross (book and DVD) by Henry Louis Gates

Reconstruction: America After the Civil War (2-disc DVD) by Henry Louis Gates

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