

ONGOING EVENTS

4 Landscapes

Self-guided walk around Stuyvesant's Bouwerie. Edmund Mooney's soundscapes: MEADOW / ORCHARD SHORE-LINE / SKATING POND accompany you. Download the map (www.free103point9.org/psg.php), grab your iPod and imagine life in 1654.

PETER STUYVESANT'S GHOST
Tel: 718.710.9607
www.free103point9.org/psg.php

Reopening of the Jan Martense Schenck House at the Brooklyn Museum

See the refurbished Jan Martense Schenck House at the Brooklyn Museum, the second-oldest example of Dutch-American architecture remaining in Brooklyn.

BROOKLYN MUSEUM
200 Eastern Parkway
Brooklyn, NY 11238
Tel: 718.638.5000
www.brooklynmuseum.org
Wednesday-Friday 10am-5pm
Saturday & Sunday 11am-6pm
Suggested Contribution: \$8; Students with Valid ID: \$4;
Adults 62 and over: \$4; Members: free; Children under 12:
free

September 18, 2007 – January 6, 2008

The Age of Rembrandt: Dutch Paintings in The Metropolitan Museum of Art

See brilliant works by Rembrandt, Vermeer, Hals and other celebrated masters among the Met's 228 Dutch paintings – including genre scenes, biblical paintings, landscapes, still lifes, seascapes, and portraits – shown together for the first time.

METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART
Fifth Avenue at 82nd Street
New York, NY 10028
Tel: 212.535.7710
www.metmuseum.org
Friday & Saturday, 9:30am-9pm
Sunday, Tuesday-Thursday, 9:30am-5:30pm
Recommended admission: \$20 for adults; \$15 for senior citizens (65 and older); \$10 for students. Free to members and children under 12 with an adult.

September 28, 2007 – January 6, 2008

Vincent van Gogh's letters to Émile Bernard

This exhibition includes twenty never before exhibited letters from van Gogh to Bernard, as well as paintings, drawings, and watercolors, offering a rare look at the life and creative process of the legendary master of Modern art.

THE MORGAN LIBRARY AND MUSEUM
225 Madison Avenue
New York, NY 10016
Tel: 212.685.0008
www.themorgan.org
10:30am-5pm, closed Mondays
Admission: \$12 adults, \$8 seniors and students with current ID, free to children under 12 accompanied by an adult.

October 20 – November 24, 2007

Folkert de Jong: Les Saltimbanques

James Cohan Gallery presents an exhibition by contemporary Dutch artist Folkert de Jong who uses industrial materials to reinvent figurative sculpture.

JAMES COHAN GALLERY
533 West 26th Street
New York, NY 10001
Tel: 212.714.9500
www.jamescohan.com
Tuesday-Saturday, 10am-6pm
Free admission

November 8, 2007 – March 9, 2008

Pricked: Extreme Embroidery

Five Dutch artists will be among 40 renowned international artists featured in this provocative exhibition, which explores centuries-old handcraft traditions that are reinvented in the mainstream of contemporary art, craft and design.

MUSEUM OF ARTS AND DESIGN
40 West 53rd Street (btwn 5th and 6th Ave.)
New York, NY 10019
10am-6pm Daily; 10am-8pm Thursday
Tel: 212.956.3535
www.madmuseum.org
Admission: \$9 adults; \$7 students and seniors; free to members and children under 12; Pay what you wish, Thursday 6-8pm

November 14 – November 17, 2pm

Dutch Influenced Architecture on Staten Island

Dutch culture and its lingering influence in the New York area are highlighted. A tour of four vernacular dwellings at Historic Richmond Town spans 1690s – 1820s. Furnished interiors; 2 additional building exteriors.

STATEN ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY
441 Clarke Avenue
Staten Island, NY 10306
Tel: 718.351.1611
www.historicrichmondtown.org
Admission: \$5 for adults; \$4 for seniors; \$3.50 for students and children under 12; free for members of the Staten Island Historical Society and children under age 5.

November 14 – December 30, 2007

What is Dutch?

An installation explores the question "What is Dutch?" Historic Dutch-American sites across the country were asked to respond by looking at the historic and Contemporary connections of their site to Dutch culture.

DYCKMAN FARMHOUSE MUSEUM
4881 Broadway (at 204th Street)
New York, NY 10034
Tel: 212.304.9422
www.dyckmanfarmhouse.org
Wednesday-Saturday 11am-4pm
Sunday 12pm-4pm
Admission: \$1, free for children under 10

5 DUTCH DAYS 5 BOROUGHS - 2007

DUTCH ART + CULTURE PAST + PRESENT

November 15 – November 17, 8:30pm Bepie Blankert Danceconcerts' Oak Sacre

Pioneers of the Dutch modern dance movement, Bepie Blankert and Bianca van Dillen collaborate on *Oak Sacre*, a dance concert inspired by Stravinsky and Bach. Internationally acclaimed piano duo Gerard Bouwhuis and Cees van Zeeland perform live.

DANSPLACE PROJECT
St. Mark's Church
131 East 10th Street
New York, NY 10003
Tel: 212.674.8112
www.danspaceproject.org
Admission: \$15
Reservations: 212.674.8194 or www.danspaceproject.org

November 17 – November 18, 12pm to 5pm Dutch Tours of the Alice Austen House Museum

The Alice Austen House Museum dates back to a 1690's Dutch Farmhouse. Join us for specially designed tours of the House that focus on and feature what still remains of the old Dutch Farmhouse.

ALICE AUSTEN HOUSE MUSEUM
2 Hylan Boulevard
Staten Island, NY 10305
Tel: 718.816.4506 x 10
www.aliceausten.org
Suggested admission: \$3

WEDNESDAY NOV 14

11am Kick-Off Event

Follow the scent of the oliebollen to Peter Stuyvesant's tomb and join us in kicking off five days of exciting city-wide programming with special appearances by characters from the *New Amsterdames* production of the Flying Fig Theater and by members of the Bepie Blankert Danceconcerts company performing *Oak Sacre*, presented by Danspace Project.

The kick-off event is co-sponsored by The St. Nicholas Society of the City of New York.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH IN-THE-BOWERY
131 East 10th Street
New York, NY 10003
Tel: 212.228.2781
www.5dutchdaysnyc.org

12pm to 1pm Walking Tour of New Amsterdam

Dutch buildings, street patterns, zoning and tax laws of New Amsterdam will be discussed during a walking tour by Rick Landman, AICP, showing their impact on our current environment. Tour starts at Bowling Green.

NY METRO CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN PLANNING ASSOCIATION
11 Park Place, Suite 701

New York, NY 10007
Tel: 646.278.5693
www.nyplanning.org
Free admission
Reservations required (office@nyplanning.org)

5:30pm to 7:30pm Mapping Early Dutch Migration to the New World: Library Resources to help you find your family

Slide lecture. Learn for yourself how to find NYPL's rare maps onsite and online! Receive a handout of online resources for NYPL's digitized collection. Welcome to our reception preceding the lecture.

SOCIETY OF DAUGHTERS OF HOLLAND DAMES
MERCATOR SOCIETY OF NEW YORK PUBLIC
LIBRARY

The New York Public Library, Room 117
Fifth Avenue and 42nd Street
New York, NY 10018
Tel: 212.930.0589
www.hollanddames.org
www.nypl.org
Free admission
Reservations required (212.930.0589)

6pm
"How the Dutch Invented the World:
Exoticism, Imperialism, and Globalism in
the Early Modern World", Professor
Benjamin Schmidt, University of Washington.
Schmidt's *Innocence Abroad: The Dutch Imagination
and the New World, 1570-1670* received The Holland
Society's Hendricks Prize. This event is supported by the
Nederlandse Taalunie in connection with the Queen
Wilhelmina Professorship.

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY
Morris Room, Faculty House
Columbia University
New York, NY 10027
Tel: 212.854.4646
www.columbia.edu/cu/history/
Free admission

6:30pm Steal a pencil for me

The wonderful documentary about a love story of two Dutch people, *Steal a pencil for me* is a true story of members of the Netherland Club of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Ina and Jaap Polak, now 94 and 84.

THE NETHERLAND CLUB OF NEW YORK
3 West 51st Street
New York, NY 10019
Tel: 212.265.6160
www.netherlandclub.com
Admission: \$5 ; Wine (cash)
bar available @ 6-6:30PM;
RSVP in advance: nethclub@aol.com

THURSDAY NOV 15

6pm followed by reception

The Flushing Remonstrance 1657: Struggle for Religious Tolerance in Colonial Flushing

Professor Evan Haefeli, Columbia University, reveals the importance of the Flushing Remonstrance, setting it within the context for and against religious toleration in Europe and America.

THE BOWNE HOUSE HISTORICAL SOCIETY
Event at New York Society for Ethical Culture
2 West 64th Street (at Central Park West)
New York, NY 10023

Tel: 718.359.0528

www.bownehouse.org

Admission: \$10, \$5 for students and seniors.

Reservations suggested with size of group
(dcartelli@bownehouse.org)

6pm

Quarantine

In *Quarantine*, the first in a series of short narrative films made in and around sites in the Netherlands Antilles, dancer and choreographer Gabri Christa explores the former Curaçao quarantine building for enslaved Africans en route to the Americas.

NEWHOUSE CENTER FOR CONTEMPORARY ART

Snug Harbor Cultural Center

1000 Richmond Terrace

Staten Island, NY 10301

Tel: 718.448.2500

www.snug-harbor.org

Free admission

8:30pm

Beppie Blankert Danceconcerts'

Oak Sacre

Pioneers of the Dutch modern dance movement, Beppie Blankert and Bianca van Dillen collaborate on *Oak Sacre*, a dance concert inspired by Stravinsky and Bach. Internationally acclaimed piano duo Gerard Bouwhuis and Cees van Zeeland perform live.

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131 East 10th Street

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Tel: 212.674.8112

www.danspaceproject.org

Admission: \$15

Reservations: 212.674.8194 or www.danspaceproject.org

After performance

Rap-Up with Beppie Blankert and Guests

After enjoying Beppie Blankert's Thursday performance of *Oak Sacre*, please join us for a Rap-Up, a casual discussion between the artists and audience.

DANSPACE PROJECT

ST. MARK'S HISTORIC LANDMARK FUND

Reservations call (212.674.8194 or

www.danspaceproject.org)

FRIDAY NOV 16

10am to 4pm

Open House at the Holland Society

The Holland Society headquarters and library are open to everyone. Come visit our new location, enjoy books and Dutch cookies, and learn about the Holland Society, its mission and activities.

THE HOLLAND SOCIETY OF NEW YORK

20 West 44th Street, 5th Floor

New York, NY 10036

Tel: 212.758.1675

www.hollandsociety.org

Free admission

2pm

Dutch Days Tour

A special guided tour with the Museum's curator, Deborah Dependahl Waters, Decorative Arts and Manuscripts, of the New York Interiors and Trade Maritime galleries highlighting the Dutch influence in New York City.

MUSEUM OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

1220 Fifth Avenue

New York, NY 10029

Tel: 212.534.1672 ext. 3395

www.mcny.org

Free with museum admission

4:30pm

Color and Pathos: Gerard David's Deposition in The Frick Collection

A gallery talk by Louisa Wood Ruby on Gerard David's *Deposition* in The Frick Collection. Other fine examples of Dutch and Flemish painting in the museum include works by Vermeer, Rembrandt, Hals, van Eyck, and Ruisdael.

THE FRICK COLLECTION

1 East 70th Street

New York, NY 10021

Tel: 212.288.0700

www.frick.org

Free with museum admission

7pm

The 26th Peter Stuyvesant Ball

Grand Hyatt New York

7pm Reception

8pm Dinner & Dancing

11:30pm Folly Nightclub

THE NETHERLAND-AMERICA FOUNDATION

82 Wall Street, Suite 1101

New York, NY 10005-3600

Tel: 212.825.1221

www.thenaf.org

Admission: individual tickets \$600

Reservations required (age.diedrick@rcn.com)

SATURDAY NOV 17

11am, 1pm, and 3pm

Cellar-to-Attic House Tour

The oldest house in New York typifies a middle-class farmstead of its day. A "See It All" behind-the-scenes tour examines 300 years of agrarian life in Brooklyn and the evolution of the Dutch-American timber-frame farmhouse.

WYCKOFF FARMHOUSE MUSEUM

5816 Clarendon Road
(btwn East 59th St. & Ralph Ave.)

Brooklyn, NY 11203

Tel: 718.629.5400

www.wyckoffassociation.org

Admission: \$2 for adults; \$1 for children and seniors

Reservations required, call 718.629.5400 for details

1pm

The Dutch Bronx

Dr. Peter Derrick, Bronx County Archivist, will present a special illustrated discussion on the history of the Dutch in The Bronx.

BRONX COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY
MUSEUM OF BRONX HISTORY

3266 Bainbridge Avenue

Bronx, NY 10467

Tel: 718.881.8900

www.bronxhistoricalsociety.org

Admission: free, donations are appreciated. Reservations required, contact: Anthony Greene, Education Director

2pm

Bringing 17th Century New Amsterdam to Life

Joel Grossman, Courtney Haff, George Janes and Warren Shaw will discuss how new lines of evidence and technologies are beginning to help reconstruct 1650 Dutch Manhattan's buried landscape as accessible 3D realities.

NEW AMSTERDAM HISTORY CENTER

Event at Marble Church office

3 West 29th Street

New York, NY 10001

Tel: 212.799.4203

www.westendchurch.org

Free admission

Reservations required (212.799.4203 or

kchase@westendchurch.org)

4pm to 8pm

Eat, Drink and Be Merry: Dutch Tavern Life in the 17th Century

For one special evening, NYC's oldest Dutch stone farmhouse becomes the candlelit Onderdonk Tavern, featuring art historian Stan Parchin's presentation, Musical ensemble Courante led by recorder soloist Arthur Kirmss, refreshments, games, costumed revelers, more.

GREATER RIDGEWOOD HISTORICAL SOCIETY /
THE VANDER ENDE-ONDERDONK HOUSE

1820 Flushing Avenue

Ridgewood, New York, NY 11385

Tel: 718.456.1776

www.onderdonkhouse.org

Admission: \$25 (refreshments included); \$20 if you

come in costume; reservations required. RSVP to

theonderdonkhouse@earthlink.net or call 718.456.1776

SUNDAY NOV 18

11am

Dutch Colonial Worship Service

Dutch Reformed Worship as done in our congregation 300 years ago, using the Netherlands Liturgy of 1619, as well as Psalm-singing, but all in English translation.

OLD FIRST REFORMED CHURCH

729 Carroll Street (at 7th Ave.)

Park Slope, Brooklyn, NY 11215

Tel: 718.638.8300

www.oldfirstbrooklyn.org

Free admission

12pm to 4pm

At Play in Nieuw Amsterdam

In a special event for families and children, join time traveler Harold Kovarik to learn and experience what life was like for young people in the early years of New York; a children's craft and light refreshments are included.

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THE VANDER ENDE-ONDERDONK HOUSE

1820 Flushing Avenue

Ridgewood, New York, NY 11385

Tel: 718.456.1776

www.onderdonkhouse.org

Admission: \$3; Children free

1:30pm to 2:15pm

St. Mark's Church in-the-Bowery Walking Tour

Explore St. Mark's Church in-the-Bowery built in 1799 on the former site of Peter Stuyvesant's bouwerie, or farm. In addition to its role as a religious institution, St. Mark's is home to several innovative arts groups.

ST. MARK'S HISTORIC LANDMARK FUND

232 East 11th Street

New York, NY 10003

Tel: 212.228.2781

www.smhlf.org

Admission: free, donations are appreciated. Reservations required. RSVP: info@smhlf.org or 212.228.2781

2pm

Excerpts from Ellen K. Anderson's New Amsterdames

New Amsterdames, a historical comedy by Ellen K. Anderson, imagines historical women, including olykoeke queen Anna Joralemon and shipping magnate Margriet Hardenbroeck, in a race against an army of beavers to find the lost deed to Manhattan

MUSEUM OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

FLYING FIG THEATER

1220 Fifth Avenue

New York, NY 10029

Tel: 212.534.1672 ext. 3395

www.mcny.org

Free with museum admission

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DUTCH ART + CULTURE PAST + PRESENT

2pm

Disappearing Dutch Brooklyn – Where Have All the Houses Gone?

By 1946 there were over seventy Dutch- American farmhouses in Brooklyn. Today there are only thirteen. Using the methods of historical archaeology, researchers are now beginning to piece together what life was like for these Dutch-Americans.

LEFFERTS HISTORIC HOUSE

Located in Prospect Park, Brooklyn (inside the Park's Willink entrance, at the intersection of Flatbush and Ocean Ave. and Empire Blvd.)

Tel: 718.789.2822 ext. 11

www.prospectpark.org

Admission: free. Reservations not needed but accepted by e-mail (isakmendes@prospectpark.org) or phone.

2pm

The Sweet and the Savory

Tour the interior of 4 Dutch influenced vernacular buildings, sample Dutch recipes cooked in the jambless fireplace of a 1720s farmhouse. Bring home recipes to try in your kitchen.

STATEN ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY

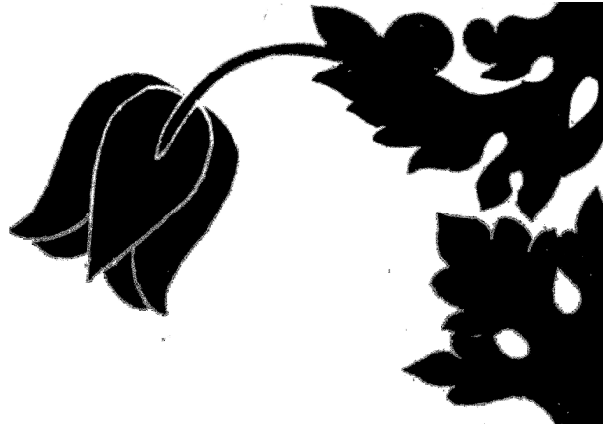
441 Clarke Avenue

Staten Island, NY 10306

Tel: 718.351.1611

www.historicrichmondtown.org

Admission: \$5 for adults; \$4 for seniors; \$3.50 for students and children under 12; free for members of the Staten Island Historical Society and children under age 5.



5 Dutch Days 5 Five Boroughs:

Dutch Arts and Culture Past and Present is a city-wide collaboration marking Dutch-American Heritage Day and the continuous influence of Dutch arts and culture in New York City.

www.5dutchdaysnyc.org
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