

City of Hopewell
Local Sesquicentennial of the Civil War
Calendar of Events (March 19-28, 2015)

ALL EVENTS ARE FREE

REVISED: 2-19-2015

THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 2015

Event: FREE -*Soldier, Come Home* Play by Frank W. Wicks
(Invitational Dress Rehearsal)

Where: Beacon Theatre (**Historical Exhibits on display in Lobby and Library*)

Performance Time: 7:30 PM

FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 2015

Event: FREE- *Soldier, Come Home* Play by Frank W. Wicks

Where: Beacon Theatre

First Performance Time: 9:45 A.M. (High School Audience - Matinee)

Second Performance Time: 12:00 Noon (High School Audience - Matinee)

Third Performance Time: 7:30 P.M. (General Public - Evening)

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SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2015

Welcome: Mayor Brenda S. Pelham, City of Hopewell

Event: FREE Hopewell High School Band

Where: Beacon Theatre

Performance Time: 1:30 P.M. -2:15 P.M.

Event: Soldier Come Home Play by Frank W. Wicks

First Performance Time: 2:30 PM (General Public - Matinee)

Reception Time: 3:45 P.M. – 4:15 P.M.

Second Performance Time: 6:30 PM. (General Public - Evening)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 2015

Event: FREE concert by The 392ND Army Band, Fort Lee, VA

Where: Beacon Theatre

Time: 7:00 PM-8:30 PM (General Public Performance - Evening)

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THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 2015

Event: FREE A Civil War Artifacts Road Show

(Set up time: 12:00 Noon – 4:00 P.M.)

Where: Beacon Theatre

Time: 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM. (General Public Event - Evening)

Event: FREE Concert by Hopewell High School Choir

Where: Beacon Theatre

Time: 7:00 PM -7:30 PM (General Public Performance - Evening)

Event: Exhibit by Jeannie Langford, Appomattox Regional Library

Time: 5:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.

Event: FREE- Civil War History / Archaeology at City Point Panel Session

(Slide Presentations by *Dr. Steven E. Anders*, Retired Military Historian; *Dr. Lauranette Lee*, VHS Curator of African American History; and *Mr. Joe Jones*, Director, William and Mary Center for Archaeological Research)

Where: Beacon Theatre

Time: 7:30 PM - 8:45 PM (General Public Performance - Evening)

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FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 2015

Event: FREE- Making of the Lincoln Movie – Local Participation

Slide Presentation / Panel Discussion led by *Ms. Kay Ingram*,
Executive Director, Central Virginia Film Institute

Where: Beacon Theatre

Time: 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM (General Public Performance - Evening)

Event: FREE - Concert by Federal City Brass Band

(Renowned Civil War era musicians from Baltimore, MD)

Where: Beacon Theatre

Time: 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM (General Public Performance - Evening)

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Saturday, March 28, 2015

Event: FREE- The River Queen Conference: A Meeting to End the War

(Reenactment of the meeting between President Lincoln, Gen Grant, Gen Sherman, and Admiral Porter *on this day* in 1865)

The noted Civil War historian Noah Trudeau will speak at this event.

Where: Beacon Theatre

Time: 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (General Public Performance - Matinee)