



LUNCHTIME LESSONS



We invite you to take part in our in-person program series: Lunchtime Lessons! These free, 1-hour programs cover a variety of subjects ranging from local to global in scale.

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CAMERON ART EXHIBIT: THE WORK OF THEIR HANDS: SEPTEMBER 18, 2024 FROM 1 - 2 P.M.

The Work of Their Hands explores the continuing legacy of quilt-making and the evolution of textile art, starting with traditional quilts made for bedcoverings to contemporary fabric artworks. Participants will meet at the Cameron Art Museum located at 3201 S 17th St.



TEMPLE OF ISRAEL TOUR: SEPTEMBER 27, 2024 FROM 1 - 2 P.M.

Shalom! Join Wilmington's Parks and Recreation Department in visiting this historic landmark and learn about the Temple's history, view historical artifacts, and explore elements of Jewish culture, faith, and foods. Pre-registration is required. Participants will meet at the Temple of Israel located at 1 S. 4th St.



BURGWIN-WRIGHT HOUSE TOUR: OCTOBER 16, 2024 FROM 1 - 2 P.M.

Join us for a unique tour of the Burgwin-Wright House, the only structure in Wilmington from the colonial era open to the public! Participants will meet at the Burgwin-Wright House located at 224 Market St.



DAVID WALKER'S APPEAL: THE PAMPHLET THAT SHOOK THE WORLD: NOVEMBER 15, 2024 FROM 1 - 2 P.M.

Join us to learn about one of Wilmington's hometown heroes, David Walker. His abolitionist writings, and Jacob Cowan's attempt to disseminate those words, resulted in the passing of two laws on November 15, 1830. Participants will meet at the Davis Center at Maides Park located at 1101 Manly Ave.





CULTURAL FOOTPRINTS



REGISTER HERE!

There is a bounty of hidden gems to discover in Wilmington's urban environment. Topics may include history, architecture, ecology, or culture, just to name a few. Join us for some fresh air and broaden your understanding of Wilmington with programs led by various local experts. Programs are free and are typically 1-2 miles long.

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THE ORIGINS OF URBAN LANDSCAPING: SEPTEMBER 14, 2024 FROM 10 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.

Explore Downtown Wilmington through a fresh lens. We'll talk about how cities come to be while answering questions like, "Why and how do American cities differ from European cities? Why does it seem like downtown trees are all the same species?" And even, "Why is there so much pollen in Wilmington?" Participants will meet at Veterans Park near the Riverwalk in Downtown Wilmington.



HISTORY OF BASEBALL IN WILMINGTON'S SOUTHSIDE: OCTOBER 12, 2024 FROM 10 A.M. - 12 P.M.

Join us for a walk through the South Side and discover Wilmington's forgotten baseball fields. Learn about the Wilmington Clippers, the Castle Street Bears, and other Negro League Semi Pro teams that called the South Side home. Participants will meet at Robert Strange Park (adjacent to MLK Center) at 401 S. 8th St.



STARTING FROM THE BOTTOM, NOW WE'RE HERE: NOVEMBER 16, 2024 FROM 10 A.M. - 12 P.M.

Join us for an Urban Hike that will start at Williston Middle School, part of a Wilmington area called the Bottom, and end at St. Luke's AME. Along the way we will look at where we are now and examine crucial, and often violent, events that shaped this neighborhood and the world beyond. How is the past still talking to us, and what lessons should we learn? Participants will meet at Williston Middle School (401 S. 10th)