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Beacon's Private Access Preview Museum of the American Revolution

Don't miss Beacon's 15th Anniversary Celebration on November 2. Members and guests will be able to enjoy an exclusive tour the Museum of the American Revolution. Private access to the museum begins at 5PM, prior to the start of Anniversary celebration.

[Click here to Register](#) . Don't delay! Guests are encouraged.

Museum Overview

The Museum of the American Revolution brings to life the events, people, and ideals of the founding of the United States and inspire a deep appreciation of the importance of the struggle that established a nation. With original artifacts, immersive galleries, dynamic theaters, and recreated historical environments, the experience takes visitors on a chronological journey from the roots of conflict in the 1760s through the creation of the American republic. Along the way, you'll learn about the rise of the armed resistance to British taxation, the creation of the Declaration of Independence, the long years of warfare

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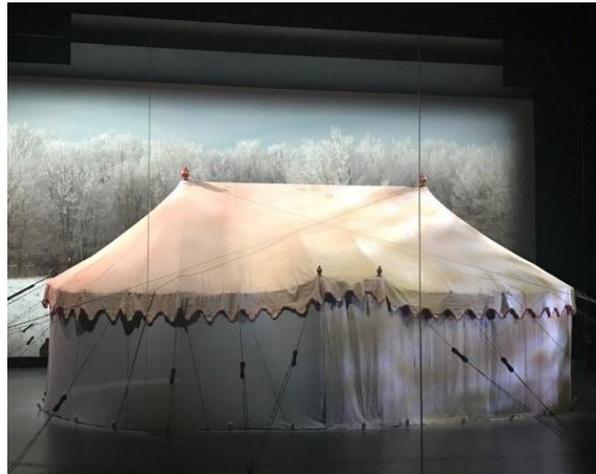
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that achieved victory, and the Revolution's continuing relevance.

Eight *Must-See* Museum Exhibits
Washington's War Tent

You won't want to miss this moving immersive film that follows General George Washington's remarkable journey from commander in chief to first president and sit in the presence of his original Revolutionary War headquarters tent.



Oneida Indian Nation Atrium

The Oneida Indian Nation Atrium on the second floor of the Museum features three impressive paintings depicting major events of the

Becoming Revolutionaries (1760-1775)

The rumblings of the American Revolution began more than a decade before the "shot heard 'round the world" ignited America's War for Independence. You'll discover how the American Colonists-most of them content and even proud British subjects-became Revolutionaries as the roots of rebellion took hold.

Revolutionary War.



The Darkest Hour (1776-1778)

As the fragmented colonies entered an uncertain war, wrestle alongside the colonists with the ideals of liberty and independence versus the realities of fighting a war against the most powerful and professional military in Europe. Experience America during the darkest hours of the Revolutionary War.



A Revolutionary War (1778-1783)

Explore the final years of the War for Independence from the multiplicity of perspectives of the people who lived through it. Could enslaved people find liberty, either in the American or British Armies? Could Native Americans be part of the new American republic? Did Loyalists have any rights in the Revolutionary states? Explore how Revolutionary Americans struggled with these- and other-weighty questions, even as their prospects of victory brightened.



A New Nation (1783 - present)

With the hard-fought establishment of the United States of America, the Revolutionaries succeeded in gaining independence. But then came the immense task of creating a nation founded on the principles of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. Watch as the new nation-born of the War for Independence-begins its own.

Revolutionary-era Cannon

This dramatic display of five cannon from the Revolutionary era are on loan from the Girard Estate in Philadelphia.

Declaration of Independence

Don't miss the powerful words from the Declaration of Independence emblazoned in limestone on one of the plaza's flanking walls.



All Beacon members are encouraged to support Beacon's 15th Anniversary celebration event.

Here's how you can participate:
[Register](#) to attend and encourage your friends/colleagues/former members to attend as well.

Join the [Founder's Circle](#), to register to attend and to be a promoter of the event.

Become a [sponsor of the event](#) at levels ranging from our Washington Level at \$500 to the Franklin level at \$3,500. For sponsors, the earlier a sponsor signs up, the more benefits they receive.

Share a message with our attendees by posting an ad/message in our program book.

We look forward to seeing you there! Here's a [link to a video](#) from Beacon Chair Maria Baseggio that you can send to guests and business acquaintances talking about our great 15th Anniversary Celebration.

Causeway? What's Causeway?

Many of you are using Causeway, but don't even realize it. Causeway is our mechanism for communicating via the listservs as well as for collaboration among the volunteer leaders.

We have taken steps to more fully integrate Causeway into our website and hope that you will enjoy a better member experience when using this tool.

Member News

Have you or your company just been quoted in the news? Send over the link and we will publish in our next edition.



Beacon is a membership organization of 1,000 business executives dedicated to building professional relationships for mutual support and success. Members are selected for Beacon based on demonstrated senior level business accomplishments. Founded in 2002, our commitment to Networking for Life, has fostered sharing trusted advice and expertise with our fellow members. Beacon members represent a broad range of industries and share a culture of generously giving time and building sustained, trusted relationships to help solve diverse business challenges. For more information please refer to our website www.beacon4life.org.

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