

Interactive History Adult Programs 2017



A Tale of Two Stores

Revisit the glory days of Richmond's downtown as a shopping and social destination through two of Richmond's former department stores.

Cabinets of Curiosity

Discover what Richmond collects and why while learning about the culture of private collecting and the development of private museums.

Congregating Faith

Communities emerged throughout Richmond driven by shared faith and places of worship. Learn about the history of religious diversity within the city.

Form and Function: RVA Architecture

From classic to contemporary, Richmond showcases some of the nation's earliest architectural styles and the designs of internationally prominent architects. Learn about the gems and oddities of the city's architecture.

Please Enjoy the Show

From playhouses to movie palaces, be entertained by Richmond's historic theaters.



REVISED Getting There from Here

As transportation in Richmond has evolved, so has the landscape of our city and its limits. See how the progression from buggy to bus is reflected in Richmond's development.

Hold On to Your Hat

Take a nostalgic look at hat styles from the 1800s to the present and from the utilitarian to the fashionable.

Hollywood Cemetery: A Park and Garden

Stroll through Hollywood Cemetery and enjoy the history, architecture and landscape that comprise this public space.

I Know Richmond: Faces and Places

Discover the iconic people and places that shaped Richmond history and its landmarks.

I Know Richmond: River City

Explore the effects that the James River had on the development of Richmond including transportation, industry and recreation.



Powhatan Indians

Explore the lives of the area's earliest inhabitants, the Eastern Woodland Indians, and their reliance on natural resources.

Richmond in Focus

Using images from the Valentine's collection, learn about Richmond through the eye of the lens from 1850 to the present.

Soul of a Community

From early settlement and the slave trade to the establishment of businesses and communities, explore how African Americans in Richmond have defined the city and influenced the nation.

NEW Talking about My Generation

Spanning the Greatest Generation to Millennials, reflect on the historical events in Richmond that have proved formative in how we define ourselves.

Rosie the Riveter

Examine the WWII home front including women in the workforce, rationing, the role of children and propaganda.

Program length: 1 Hour

Available at your site or at the Valentine

Cost: \$80 per program

For reservations and information

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Using the Valentine's collection of photographs and primary sources, along with historic audio and video, explore Richmond's history through our Interactive History Adult Programs.

Whether viewing vintage movies of Richmond's street cars, handling artifacts from Virginia's Indians, seeing images from downtown theaters or hearing Fred Astaire sing "Top Hat," our adult programs allow participants to take a trip down memory lane.

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