



Boonton Historical Society & Museum

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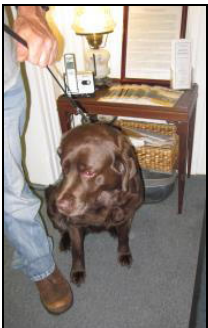
The Dog Daze Of Summer In Boonton

On June's first Friday Boonton opened its second Dog Daze of Summer event. Featuring designs by local artists, the art will be on display through the end of August. All of the dog art will be auctioned in October with a portion of the proceeds benefiting the Mount Pleasant Animal Shelter in East Hanover. Our trustee, Daniel Clark, designed and painted "Boone Towne 1867" now on display outside our museum.



Boone Towne 1867

On First Friday we welcomed our canine visitors to sit and stay and rewarded them with water and gourmet biscuits (our human guests were offered wine and crackers).



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Boomer

July Walking Tour –Save The Date Sunday, July 17th, 1:30 PM Historic Main Street



Starts at 1:30PM at the junction of Main Street and West Main Street (overlooking Grace Lord Park). This two-hour tour discusses the commerce and business of Boonton, as well as the history and architecture of the buildings. The tour will be led by **Lloyd Charlton** whose family ran a grocery store on Main

Street. There is a \$5 suggested donation for non-members.

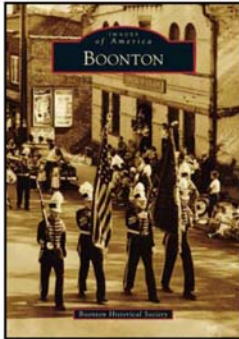
Save The Date For Our Christmas In July Sale At The Museum July 15th, 16th, and 17th



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Drakeville Historic District Buildings Open Sunday, July 10th 1:00PM – 4:00PM

- The Colonial Saltbox House
- King Canal Store
- King Homestead

209-213 Main Street, Ledgewood, N. J.

The Matawan Historical Society Saturday, July 9th - Sunday July, 17th

A week of events, recalling the 1916 Shark Attack. Visit www.matawanhistoricalsociety.org for all of the details.

The MATAWAN SHARK ATTACKS of 1916

**CENTENNIAL COMMEMORATION
JULY 9th - JULY 17th**

On July 12, 1916, a shark caused terror in Matawan Creek. A week-long, town-wide EVENT will mark this day of heroics and history!

EVENTS INCLUDE:

- Trolley Tours of 21 key sites: July 9, 10, 16
- Free Music in the Park: July 9, 10, 16
- 1916 Ice Cream Social: July 9
- Free Shark Films in the Park: July 9, 10
- Shark Scavenger Hunt: July 9-16
- Educational Shark Presentations: July 11, 12, 16
- Presentation by Town Historian - in depth study of July 12, 1916: July 16
- Book Signing of the new Matawan shark book: July 9, 10, 16
- Antique Car Show and Music: July 14

For specifics visit:
www.MatawanHistoricalSociety.org

Sponsored by the Matawan Historical Society, The Woman's Club of Matawan, The Matawan-Aberdeen Chamber of Commerce and the Matawan Aberdeen Public Library

The Hoboken Historical Museum Sunday, July 3rd - November

at the Fire Department Museum,
213 Bloomfield St.
Hoboken, N.J.



The Hoboken Historical Museum is pleased to announce an expansion of its popular story-time program to include a monthly "Fire Department Museum Story-time," on the first Sunday of each month through November.

The Fire Department Museum Story-time presents stories and sing-alongs for children ages 2 - 5 years old. Children must be accompanied by an adult. A link to the registration form is posted on the Museum's website, www.hobokenmuseum.org