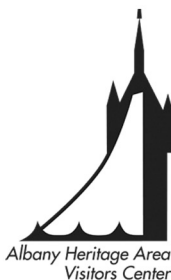


*Explore Albany's Stories & Traditions
at the
Tenth Annual*

ALBANY HISTORY FAIR

*400 Years of History
in 4 Days*

*May 1 - 4
2009*



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In recognition of the Quadricentennial of Henry Hudson's historic voyage, the History Fair has been expanded to 4 days of exhibits, tours, presentations and fun for all ages!

Friday, May 1: 5:00-9:00 pm

- 1st Friday: Albany Images in Oils & Acrylics by George Dowse
- Tulip Display presented by Albany Seedy Gardeners
- Scale model display of The Half Moon by Harvey Gurien
- Exhibit of photos & archival material by the Dudley Observatory
- Presentation of the 7th Annual Sense of Place Awards
- Music by Ray Alexander

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Saturday, May 2: 12:00-4:00 pm

- NYS Assembly Member & noted Historian John J. McEneny will speak on Albany's unique characteristics to kick off the Fair's Quad theme
- Light on the Past: The Great Hudson-Fulton Celebration of 1909 and its Legacy, a lecture presentation by Stuart Lehman
- Walking Tour reflecting on downtown Albany's architectural preservation efforts, guided by City Historian, Tony Opalka
- Archeology Learning Table and Henry & His Friends puppets
- May 2nd is National Astronomy Day: Telescopes & other equipment for viewing the sun and moon presented by the Dudley Observatory
- Duck Tours: visit www.aquaducks.com for schedule
- Music by Tamarack
- Tulip Display presented by Albany Seedy Gardeners
- Albany Images in Oils and Acrylics by local painter, George Dowse
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Exhibitors:

- Albany Aqua Ducks • Albany County Historical Association
- Albany Medical Center School of Nursing Alumni Association
- American Italian Heritage Museum and Cultural Center
- Dudley Observatory • The Dutch Settlers Society of Albany
- First Church in Albany • Mohawk Hudson Land Conservancy
- New York State Capitol Tour Program • Old Songs, Inc.
- Schuyler Mansion State Historic Site • SUNY Press



Sunday, May 3

- Historic Cherry Hill Tour of Planned Restorations, 1-4 pm, \$3. Reservations: 434-4791
- Ten Broeck Mansion Open House, 1-4 pm

Monday, May 4

Tulip Tour in Washington Park: Guided walking tour through Washington Park. Learn about the planting of more than 200,000 tulips in preparation for Albany's Tulip Festival. Tour departs from Moses Statue, Washington Park. Reservations required, call 434-0405 11am \$5



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