

## Hands-on Traveling Trunk

Delivered to your school filled with everyday artifacts of yesteryear to be touched and handled. The trunk can be used as a "Show & Tell" self-contained unit or as a jumping-off point for more extensive study.

## Distance Learning

New for 2006!! CCHS is now offering Distance Learning programs that will enable students to learn about colonial living without leaving their classroom. Through live interaction with our Education Coordinator, students and teachers will experience some of the same exhibits available during an on-site field trip. Programs available via distance learning are Colonial Life, Spinning, Open Hearth Cooking, Underground Railroad and Urban Growth.

## Suitcase Program Fees

1 ½ presentation - \$75.00/class  
2 hour presentation - \$100.00/class

## Traveling Trunk Fees

\$50.00 per week  
\$25.00 per week if used in conjunction with one of our Suitcase Programs

## Distance Learning Fees

\$75.00 per program

## Reservations

Group tours are offered throughout the school year beginning in September and ending in June. Tours and demonstrations are available on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday beginning at 9:30am and ending at approximately 12:00 noon. The Society will do our utmost to accommodate all requests and is flexible with tour days and times.

Programs are available for school groups beginning with the second grade. Programs are also available for special education students as well as those involved in home schooling.

All of the Society's programs and presentations can be tailored to fit the specific classes and groups, including children and adults who are learning disabled.

## Contact and Information

For further information and to schedule a tour or program please contact:

**Camden County Historical  
Society**

**Education Coordinator or  
Administrative Assistant**

**(856)964-3333**

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# Camden County Historical Society

**EDUCATIONAL  
PROGRAMS  
2006 - 2007**



The Camden County Historical Society's education programs have been specifically created to assist schools in meeting or exceeding the New Jersey State Core Curriculum Content Standards for Social Studies.

The Camden County Historical Society is located at 1900 Park Boulevard, Camden, NJ, just off Haddon Avenue behind Our Lady of Lourdes Medical Center.

## *Visit the Camden County Historical Society and experience the county's past.*

Tour Pomona Hall, the 18<sup>th</sup>-century home of the Cooper Family. Explore our two-story museum and find exhibits such as:

- period hand crafts
- fire-fighting equipment
- living and working in the 18<sup>th</sup>-century
- Revolutionary and Civil War collections
- RCA exhibits with working victrola's
- New York Shipbuilding
- and much, much more

### Group Tour Information

The recommended number of students for a group tour is a maximum of 40, but the Society will work with larger groups with advance planning.

A maximum of one adult chaperone (teachers included) per 10 students is included in the student fee. To ensure the tour is as beneficial as possible for the students, please do not bring more chaperone's than are necessary.

### Programs at the Society

*Pomona Hall* tour includes a complete tour of the 18<sup>th</sup>-century Cooper residence and our two-story museum.

*Open Hearth Cooking* is demonstrated in the kitchen of Pomona Hall. Visitors see a colonial meal prepared and are invited to sample each item of food. This 2 ½ hour program includes a tour of Pomona Hall and the museum.

*Spinning* is demonstrated by a costumed interpreter who will show the process of wool and flax preparation. This can be added to the open hearth cooking program and/or the tour.

### Program Fees

#### *Pomona Hall/Museum Tour*

\$3.00 per student; one chaperone per 10 students included, additional chaperones are \$8.00.

#### *Open Hearth Cooking/Tour*

2 ½ hour demonstration, food sampling and tour of Pomona Hall and museum is \$5.00 per student and \$8.00 for additional chaperones.

#### *Spinning*

Additional \$25.00 /group.

### Programs at Your Site

#### Suitcase Programs

##### *Colonial Life in Camden County*

This 1 ½ hour presentation brings period costumes, artifacts, a video and hands-on activities into your classroom.

##### *Colonial Life and Spinning*

This 2 hour presentation includes the above activities plus a spinning demonstration by a costumed interpreter who explains the process of wool and flax preparation.

##### *The Underground Railroad in Camden County*

This 1 ½ hour presentation highlights the County's role in helping slaves escape to freedom. Students will trace the route taken by slaves into our area and learn about the conductors who helped them.

##### *Urban Growth, Decline &*

##### *Revitalization - A Study of the City of Camden*

- a 1 ½ hour presentation of how Camden developed and grew through the Industrial Revolution and declined with suburban growth.