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"ELECTING THE PRESIDENT – 2016"

Poughkeepsie Grand Hotel - Poughkeepsie &
The Henry A. Wallace Visitor and Education Center at
Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Library, Hyde Park

May 6-7, 2016



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, May 6, 2016

4:30 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. **Registration - Hotel Lobby**
5:30 p.m. **Dinner - The Brassiere**
 292 Main Street

Join us for an opportunity to network at dinner served by the premier chef in the Hudson Valley.
(Transportation on your own. Directions will be provided at registration.)

8:00 p.m. **Warrior Productions Presents the Second Annual Short Play Festival** – The Center for Performing Arts, Rhinebeck
(For those who previously purchased tickets when registering.)
(Transportation on your own. Directions will be provided at registration.)

Saturday, May 7, 2016

8:30 a.m. **Registration – The Henry A. Wallace Visitor and Education Center**
 at the Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Library (Room “C”)
 Henry A. Wallace Visitor Center
 4079 Albany Post Road, Hyde Park
(Transportation on your own. Directions will be provided at registration.)

8:30 a.m. **Continental Breakfast**

9:00 a.m. - 9:15 a.m. **NYSBA Welcome**
 Claire P. Gutekunst
 President-Elect, NYSBA

9:15 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. **“Roosevelt and the Supreme Court”**
This talk will outline the historic underpinnings that led to Roosevelt’s ill-fated proposal for the reorganization of the Judicial Branch (sometimes referred to as ‘court packing’) and the “switch in time that saved nine.”

SPEAKER: **Jeffrey S. Urbin**
 Education Specialist
 Director of the Pare Lorentz Film Center
 Roosevelt Presidential Library and Museum
 Hyde Park

9:45 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. **“Electing the President - 2016”**

10:45 p.m. **Tour and Luncheon**
Spouses and guests are invited to join with the attorneys for a tour of the Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Library followed by lunch.

THINGS TO DO

DISCOVER

The Hudson River Valley has something for everyone. A national Heritage Area, the region is rich in history, the arts and is known around the world for its scenic beauty. Take a cruise along the Hudson River and explore its historic mansions. Dine at the Culinary Institute of America and explore the Catskill Mountains by biking, hiking or climbing.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Library and Museum: A New Deal for a New Generation!

See new, exciting permanent museum exhibits telling the story of the Roosevelt presidency, from the Great Depression through the New Deal years and World War II, emphasizing Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt's relationship with the American people. Special interactives, immersive audio-visual theaters, and rarely seen artifacts bring a New Deal to a New Generation.

New state-of-the-art exhibits tell of FDR's heroic struggle to regain his strength and political career after polio. Tactile exhibits enhance the experience for visitors with impaired vision. A new bilingual audio tour brings the Roosevelts' story to more guests. www.FDRLibrary.marist.edu. The Museum, with its newly renovated building and new exhibits, is part of the National Archives and Records Administration.

VANDERBILT MANSION

The Vanderbilt Mansion National Historic Site was established as a monument to an era rather than a tribute to any one person or family. The estate illustrates a way of life modeled on the English country house and is only unusual today because so few examples survive in the 21st century. More than a place to discuss the lifestyles of the rich and famous, the park offers a window into the philosophy of the American country house, the lives of its domestic staff, and its relationship to the surrounding community. In addition to a tour of the house, you should stroll on the 211 acres of park land that boast centuries old tree plantings, stunning Hudson River and Catskill Mountain views and Italian Gardens maintained by the volunteers of the Frederick William Vanderbilt Garden Association. This is a two hour experience.

HOPEWELL DEPOT RESTORATION

A restored 1873 railroad station offering tours and a visitors center with tourism brochures of the area. Hopewell Depot is dedicated to preserving the history of the railroad in Southern Dutchess County. Located at Hopewell Junction end of Dutchess County Rail Trail. <http://hopewelldepot.org/>

HYDE PARK RAILROAD STATION MUSEUM

Built in 1914 and based on a design shown at the Pan American World Exposition of 1898. The station was restored to its original condition by the Hudson Valley Railroad Society, Inc. and is on the National Register of Historic Places, and is open as a museum. <http://www.hydeparkstation.com>

ART ALONG THE HUDSON

Art Along the Hudson: Your Guide to Art Venues & Open Studio tours in the Hudson Valley - including Beacon, Hyde Park, Poughkeepsie, Red Hook, Rhinebeck, Tivoli, and eight other Hudson River communities monthly. Art galleries and cultural venues welcome visitors and arts advocates to gallery openings, artist's receptions, music, theatrical events and more. <http://www.artalongthehudson.com>

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