



The Patriot

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Come to the June Lecture: A July 4th History of New York, James S. Kaplan Thursday, June 16th at 6:30

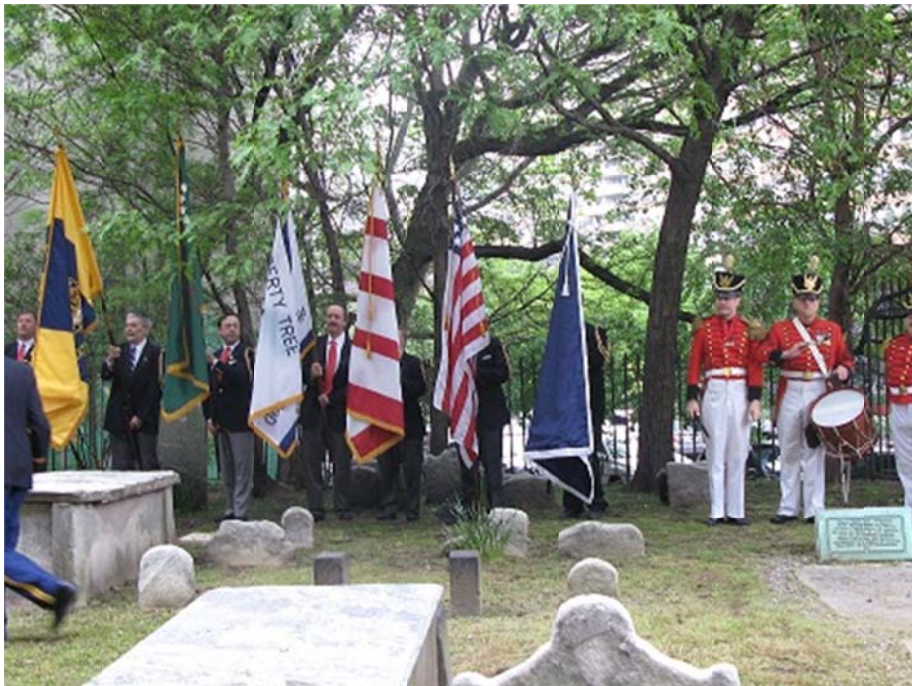
Today, the 4th of July holiday is for most New Yorkers, a day of BBQs, picnics, traffic on the LIE or NJT; however, in other times the day was a very important one to celebrate New York's central role in the rise of democratic government, both nationally and internationally. This lecture compliments Mr. Kaplan's annual midnight walking tour.

For tickets to the July 4th walking tour please visit our website:

[July 4th Walking Tour Ticket Sales](#)

All lectures take place in Fraunces Tavern Museum's Flag Gallery. \$10 admission at the door only-first come, first served. (Museum members are admitted free of charge. Please join today!). Light refreshments will be available before and after the lecture.
†Books will be available for purchase -discounts apply for Museum members.

Memorial Service



On Sunday, May 22nd the SRNY Color Guard attended the Memorial Service for Jewish Soldiers and Patriots of the American Revolution at the Spanish and Portuguese Jewish Cemetery of Congregation Shearith Israel, the only Jewish Congregation in New Amsterdam/New York from 1654-1825.

Marriage in the Flag Gallery



Above Left: Mr. & Mrs. John Mutovic May 23rd, 2011 Right: Mr. & Mrs. Grayshaw October 10th 1980

On Monday May 23rd hours before the Meeting of the Board of Managers a bride and groom met in the Flag Gallery among a close group of family and curious SRNY/FTM staff members. Fraunces Tavern® Restaurant Manager, John Mutovic and Helga Enamorado were wed in casual comfort with an intimate ceremony performed by SRNY Vice President Judge James Grayshaw. Judge Grayshaw is familiar with Flag Gallery weddings, as he and his wife, Susan, were married in a similar fashion on October 15th, 1980 by SRNY Past President, Judge Charles S. Whitman Jr.

Fraunces Tavern® Museum OPEN on Sundays for the Summer

The Museum will now open on Sundays from 12:00pm to 5:00pm for the busy summer months!

New York City is visited by millions of tourist each year and the Museum is furthering its mission by being open to visitors seven days a week. Check out our mention on the official [New York City Guide](#).

Tickets for Annual Nighttime July 4th Walking Tour on Sale and Going FAST!



For the ninth year in a row, join veteran walking tour guide James S. Kaplan to learn important details regarding prominent Revolutionary War heroes buried in Lower Manhattan. Watching the early morning sun, rise from Trinity Church you will be fascinated to discover just how pivotal New York City was throughout the war for independence. The tour starts at 2:00 am on July 4th and will end at 6:00 am.

***Tickets in advance are required & may be purchased through PayPal on our [website](#).**

Admission \$20 /\$15 for Museum members

Once your tickets have been purchased, you will be emailed a confirmation receipt and the starting location.

Nothing works up an appetite like an early morning walk!

Come enjoy a freshly prepared BREAKFAST at Fraunces Tavern® Restaurant starting at 6:00am.

MENU* items will include:

- Corned Beef Hash with Two Poached Eggs and Hollandaise Sauce
- Irish Breakfast w/ Black Pudding, Bacon, Toast & Two Eggs
- Omelet any style
- Eggs Benedict or Florentine or Salmon Benedict
- Bacon / Sausage / Toast

*Call ahead for pricing (212) 268-1776

Flag Day Commemorated with a Colorfully Grand Parade



Sons of the Revolution Color Guard, with Fraunces Tavern in the background, at last year's parade. - AW photo

On Tuesday, June 14th, the Sons of the Revolution in the State of New York will sponsor the 2011 Flag Day Parade. This year marks the 234th anniversary of the adoption of the American Flag by the Second Continental Congress in June 1777. The parade commences at 12 noon from

City Hall Park and concludes with a ceremony in front of Fraunces Tavern® Museum. Contributions to help defray the costs of the celebration are appreciated.

For further details and information, please email: 2administrator@sonsoftherevolution.org or visit our [events page](#).

**New Exhibit Opening September 1st 2011: “Youth Remembers 9/11”
Submission Deadline EXTENDED to June 17th By Tony Wellman**



High School & College Students Invited to Submit Art for Exhibit: “Youth Remembers 9/11”

To recognize the passing of a decade since September 11, 2001, a special exhibit is planned at Fraunces Tavern Museum to run from September 1-30, 2011 entitled, "Youth Remembers 9/11." High school and college students are invited to submit a remembrance in the form of art, essay or poetry depicting their memories of 9/11 for possible display at the Museum from September 1 to September 30, 2011. PLEASE NOTE: Submissions deadline has been extended to Friday, June 17th. This is not a contest. Any form of art including paintings, sculpture or quilts using any medium including oil, watercolor, ink, paper, canvas, clay or fabric will be accepted. Poem and essays are not to exceed 500 words and must be a Word file.

Further details including submission guidelines and contact information will be found in the application materials that may be downloaded at the Fraunces Tavern Museum website: [Application, "Youth Remembers 9/11"](#)

The exhibit is under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Sons of the Revolution of the State of New York.

Check out our [Facebook](#) page for the latest Sons of the Revolution in the State of New York and Fraunces Tavern® Museum news!

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