

# 2026 NORTHERN NECK HISTORY FAIR



## RULES



- ❑ Open to 4<sup>th</sup>-grade students from Lancaster Middle and Northumberland Elementary School and 3<sup>rd</sup>-grade students from Chesapeake Academy.
- ❑ Project must deal with something related to **Virginia history in the period 1775-1783** (years of the American Revolution in Virginia).
- ❑ **How to Enter:** Create an original exhibit, display or design that tells the story of an event, person or cultural development **in Virginia during the years 1775-1783**. Visit [ChristChurch1735.org](http://ChristChurch1735.org) (School Programs) to see examples from previous years.
- ❑ You may work on the exhibit by yourself or with a friend from your class/grade, but no more than **two** people may work together on an exhibit. You may only submit one entry, whether you work by yourself or with a friend.
- ❑ Exhibits should be about the width of a classroom desk or smaller and should be able to be carried and moved easily by one person.
- ❑ Exhibits may include models, dioramas, displays, etc. **Be creative!** And try to use combinations of **images, objects, and text** to tell your story.
- ❑ Projects must be turned in to your class by **Monday, May 4, 2026**.
- ❑ Staff from Historic Christ Church & Museum will pick up the projects.
- ❑ **Prizes:** Awarded for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and honorable mentions.
- ❑ **All participants** will be entered in a random drawing to win two tickets to **Busch Gardens and Water Country USA in Williamsburg, VA**.
- ❑ An awards ceremony for participants, family members, & teachers will be held **later in May at a time to be announced**.

### **FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT**

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