



HOPEWELL VALLEY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Historical Society was formed in 1975
by a group of citizens interested in
preserving the rich heritage of
Hopewell Valley

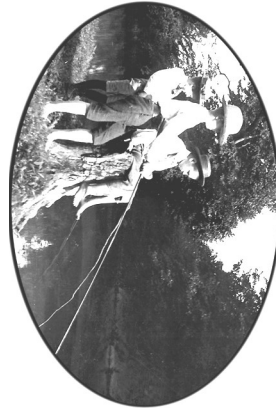


Delaware & Raritan Canal, Titusville

Their Vision is Our Ongoing Mission

We are an independent,
non-profit organization of volunteers,
funded solely by membership.

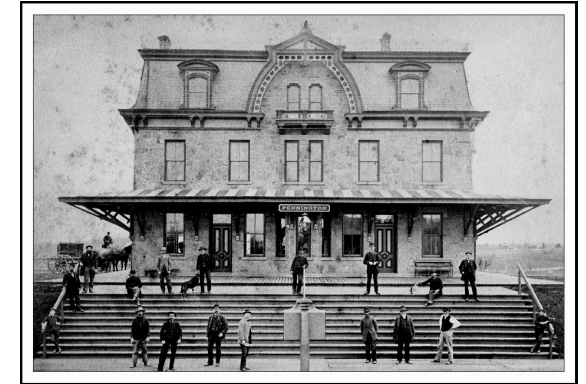
Membership in the Society
supports the ongoing work we do
to help keep local history alive.



Hopewell Valley Historical Society
Post Office Box 371
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Pennington Train Station c1890

Membership Information

**Post Office Box 371
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hopewellvalleyhistory.org

Our Mission

We collect and preserve items relating to Hopewell Valley.

We encourage the preservation of historic sites that connect our community to its past.

We publish an award-winning newsletter four times a year that includes well-researched articles about Hopewell Valley history, and news and events of the Society.



Hopewell Cornet Band c1890

We sponsor public meetings in the community several times a year on subjects relating to both Hopewell Valley and New Jersey history as well as programs on historic preservation.

These programs are free and open to the public

Membership benefits include:

Advance notice of meetings, our quarterly newsletter mailed to your home, volunteer opportunities, special members only events such as our Annual Meeting & Ice Cream Social Holiday Social



Some of our special collections include:

George Frisbie Photograph Collection

This important collection includes over six hundred glass plate negatives taken by local resident, George H. Frisbie, in and around Pennington, between 1890-1910.

Hopewell Herald Newspaper Collection

This collection, donated by the Princeton Packet, includes almost the entire run of the newspaper from 1879-1958.

Micro-film copies available at the Hopewell Branch of the Mercer County Library in Pennington.

Our collection also includes fascinating individual items acquired through donation or acquisition. Our efforts are ongoing.

Some of our special programs include:

HVHS Oral History Project

A small group of dedicated volunteers has established an ongoing project to interview long time residents to record their memories of life in Hopewell Valley.

New volunteers are always needed to help gather this precious information before it's lost forever

Glimpses of Yesteryear

The Society maintains a slide presentation of old photographs from its collections that is shown each year in the local schools. This program is also available to interested groups in the community.

Hopewell Valley Historical Society Membership Application / Renewal Form

- Senior/Student – \$25.00 Individual – \$30.00 Family – \$40.00 Contributing – \$100.00
- Supporting – \$250.00 Patron – \$500.00 Benefactor – \$1000.00

Our membership year is from October 1* to September 30th.

Name _____

Address _____

Town _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email Address (important) _____

I'd like to volunteer my help with : programs oral history membership archives events

To save printing and mailing costs, would you like to receive your newsletter via email? Yes No

May we publish your name as a member in our newsletter? Yes No

Mail this form along with a check made payable to HVHS or - pay online - www.hopewellvalleyhistory.org
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