



CITY OF SALEM
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Salem Heritage Days

AUGUST 1 – AUGUST 13, 2018

For updates, new event listings, and more information, including cancellations, please visit the Events Calendar or City News on www.salem.com or call 978-619-5676

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ATTENTION SALEM RESIDENTS

The **Peabody Essex Museum** is always free to Salem residents.

Shelter to Showpiece House Tour – 11 AM – August 1-12 -Come tour the historic houses at the Peabody Essex Museum and experience three centuries of Salem. (Tour free with museum admission to out-of-town patrons and free to Salem Residents - Space is limited – First come first serve). All patrons must check in at admission desk prior to tour. For more information contact the PEM at 978-745-9500. (Museum closed on Monday, August 6)

Free Self-Guided Tours at the Ropes Mansion at 318 Essex Street every Saturday and Sunday through fall from 12pm - 4pm. This Georgian Colonial was built around 1727 and was home to four generations of the Ropes family. It is recognized as one of New England's most significant and thoroughly documented historic houses and is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Filled with original furnishings, the Ropes Mansion contains superb examples of 18th- and 19th-century furniture, ceramics and glass, silver, kitchenwares, textiles and personal objects.

The **Salem Witch Museum** is always free to Salem residents.

The **Salem Museum** at Old Town Hall is always free to Salem residents.

The **Salem Wax Museum** celebrates its 25th Anniversary with 25 cent admission for Salem residents during Heritage Days (**August 3-12**)

The **House of the Seven Gables** is always free to Salem residents.

From August 3-12, the Family Navigation Game is offered daily from 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. and The Living History Labs hands-on history experience is offered daily from 10:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 – 4:30 p.m.

Cry Innocent/History Afoot Walking Tour/ The Spirit of Salem film — Free to Salem residents with proof of address during the summer and through the month of September. Packages available at the box office cart at the Old Town Hall. www.historyalivesalem.com

The **Salem Trolley*** is free to Salem residents through September 30, 2018.

***Salem Trolley** - free rides on the Salem Trolley for Salem residents starting June 1st and lasting until September 30th. Residents can receive a Resident Ticket for the day of by providing proof of residency at the Salem Trolley Office (8 Central Street). Residents' Tickets are only available at the Salem Trolley Office. (residents' tickets are on a space available basis) The trolley runs daily 10AM-5PM

The **Salem Ferry** always offers discounted rates for Salem residents on their ferry ticket (some restrictions do apply).

For more info go to <http://www.bostonharborcruises.com/salem-ferry/>

The **Witch House** will be free to Salem residents during Heritage Days.

Pioneer Village will be free to Salem residents on Saturday **August 4th**.

SALEM SATURDAYS AT BAKERS LIGHT! On Saturday **August 11**, Salem residents receive 20% off when purchasing tickets to tour Bakers Island Light Station IN PERSON at the Salem Visitors Center (2 New Liberty Street, Salem). Visit www.essexheritage.org/boat for more information. Proof of residence required. Not valid with any other discount(s).

(All of the above require proof of residency)

Wednesday, August 1

Salem Senior Event: Salem Senior Health & Wellness Fair- 9:30AM-11:30AM – Salem Willows - The Salem Council on Aging will host its 2nd Annual Health and Wellness Fair at Salem Willows. The goal is to provide a forum where local agencies can introduce their services to community members. The public will have the opportunity to receive educational materials, samples and information on services that may assist them in their daily lives. This event is FREE and open to Salem Seniors age 60 and older. Advanced registration required. *To register for the event please call Rosanna Donahue at 978-744-0924 x43006. Please call Fred Norton at 978-744-0924 x43008 one day in advance to schedule a ride via COA van.*

Thursday, August 2

Farmers' Market – 3PM-7PM - Derby Square

Come visit us at Historic Derby Square on Front Street in downtown Salem. The market is held every Thursday evening through October 11.

The Bard Brigade Interactive Poetry Workshop – 3PM – Artist Row

Come take part in this interactive family workshop where you can write your own lines for the actors to perform for the audience

Friday, August 3

Salem Senior Event: BBQ AT WINTER ISLAND – 10:30AM – WINTER ISLAND

Grab your friends and join us for our annual BBQ at Winter Island for an afternoon of fun! This event is being sponsored by the Friends of the Salem Council on Aging. Entertainment provided by Tony Malionek. This event is free and open to Salem Seniors age 60 and older. Advanced registration required. *To register for the event please call Rosanna Donahue at 978-744-0924 x43006. Please call Fred Norton at 978-744-0924 x43008 one day in advance to schedule a ride via COA van.*

The Bard Brigade, MacBeth – 7PM - Derby Square

Experience *Macbeth* as never before! Follow this roving performance through Derby Square and be a part of the action. Free event. Handicap accessible.

Wizard of Oz Event – 8:00PM – Salem Witch Museum

Grab your ruby (or silver) slippers and join us at the Salem Witch Museum for a short lecture on all things Oz, followed by a screening of the film. Tickets will be sold at the door at \$5 per person. Doors open at 7:45pm and the lecture will begin at 8:00pm, followed by an immediate screening of the film at 8:30pm. All ages are welcome, and for this special event we will be offering free admission to anyone dressed in a Wizard of Oz costume!

Saturday, August 4

30th Annual Salem Maritime Festival – 10AM-8:45PM – Salem Maritime National Historic Site on Derby Wharf – 160 Derby St.

The two-day festival features maritime exhibitors and demonstrators, a small boat show, harbor cruises, a magic show, traditional crafts, re-enactors, live animals, the crew of the USS Constitution, kayaking and paddle boarding, kite-flying, and remote-controlled boats. Ten different music, dance, and entertainment acts are also scheduled to perform. Admission is free. For a complete schedule of events, visit www.nps.gov/sama/playourvisit/maritimefestival.htm

Clown Day – 11AM-3:30PM – Salem Willows - Stop by the Salem Willows and have clowns make balloon figures for your children, get their face painted and let them be entertained. Parade and special clown performance from 2:30pm-3:30pm.

Firemen's Muster – 12:30PM - Salem Willows (Dead Horse Beach area) - Which crew can throw the longest stream of water with an antique hand pumped fire engine? Come and see a 19th century sport that is being kept alive in the 21st century by a bunch of historic preservationists who like to get wet!

Gables Fest – 4PM-10PM – House of the 7 Gables – 115 Derby Street
You are invited to join in our community celebration of 350 years of stories at The Gables. Over the course of the evening, you will be taken on a journey through 350 years of eclectic music and dance spanning not only the centuries but also the globe, paying homage to our settlement programming and the mission of Caroline Emmerton. In addition to the programming, there will also be food, drink, and surprises by-the-sea throughout the course of the celebration. There is a discount for Salem residents and kids under 10 are \$5. All proceeds benefit The Gables' unique dual mission of preservation and education. For more information go to: <https://7gables.org/gables-fest-2018>

The Bard Brigade, MacBeth – 7PM - Derby Square
(see August 3 for more info)

Sunday, August 5

The 6th Annual Bridge & Back 10K Road Race – 8AM – Tavern in the Square (corner of Washington & New Derby Sts.) -
The races starts at 8:00am and crosses over the Salem/Beverly bridge and back! The first 300 runners to register will receive a short sleeve t-shirt. Entry Fee: \$26. For further information email: dougbollen12@yahoo.com. All proceeds go to the Boys & Girls Club of Greater Salem. For more info visit www.salemroadraces.com

Tour-A-Truck – 10AM-Noon – Salem Willows
Youngsters get a chance to climb and explore the insides of all kinds of big trucks and emergency vehicles. There will be give-a-ways and activities on site for little tikes.

30th Annual Salem Maritime Festival – 11AM-4PM – Salem Maritime National Historic Site on Derby Wharf – 160 Derby St.
(see Aug. 4 for full description)

Salsa Sundays – 6PM-8:30PM – Mary Jane Lee Park – Corner of Palmer St. & Prince St.
Come and bring your friends and families, learn to dance Salsa, Bachata, Merengue, Kizomba and other styles of dancing. This event is free and open to the public so come and have some fun!

The Bard Brigade, MacBeth – 7PM - Derby Square
(see August 3 for more info)

Monday, August 6

Salem Senior Event: Ice Cream Social – 11:30AM – 5 Broad St.
Guests will be served ice cream and an assortment of toppings. This event is sponsored by Representative Paul Tucker and is FREE and open to Salem Seniors 60 and older. Advanced registration required. Advanced registration required. *To register for the event please call Rosanna Donahue at 978-744-0924 x43006. Please call Fred Norton at 978-744-0924 x43008 one day in advance to schedule a ride via COA van.*

Monday, August 6 (cont.)

Salem's Pizza Tasting – 5PM-7PM – Salem Common
Come taste pizza from many of Salem's popular pizza shops. \$7 Adults / \$5 Kids. *For more information contact the Salem YMCA at 978-744-0351. (No rain date if cancelled because of weather.)*

The 8th Annual Bridge St. Neck Celebration & Beautification Awards Presentation – 6PM – 7:30PM - Bit Bar – 50 St. Peter Street
Celebrating the Bridge St. Neck 8th Annual Neighborhood Pride Landscaping Contest sponsored by the Salem Chamber of Commerce Bridge St. Neck Merchant Task Force. Enjoy free appetizers provided by Bridge St. Neck Restaurants & Bakeries. Cash Bar.

Draken Arrival Ceremony – 6:30PM – Derby Wharf
Come and greet the Draken ship as it sails into port with a display of Viking valor and excitement. Captain Björn Ahlander and his crew will step ashore to welcome the crowd and introduce the Draken. The Draken Village pops up in Salem, MA August 6-8, 2018! Discover the world's largest operating Viking ship during its stopover at Derby Wharf. Climb aboard the Draken Harald Hårfagre and discover your #VikingSpirit with inspiring ship tours, engaging crew demonstrations, and insta-worthy moments. [Tickets available online](https://www.drakenhh.com/salem) or in person at the ship. For more information go to: <https://www.drakenhh.com/salem>

Salem Community Concert Band & Community Jazz Band - 7PM-8:30PM – Salem Willows Shell – Come celebrate our 10th year and listen to some great music by two bands made up of Salem residents and others from Grade 7 through adult. Under the direction of Cynthina Napierkowski, director of the Salem High School Band. **Rain location: Salem High School Auditorium**

The Paul Madore Chorale Summersing – 8PM – Old Town Hall – Derby Square - During the summer the Chorale provides an unique opportunity to listen to, to sing along, or to play with our volunteer orchestra. This Monday features *Messiah* (Handel): conducted by Lianne Goodwin, Director of the Music & Arts Department at Salem High School. For more info call 978-744-4898. Admission: Adults- \$10.00. Seniors and Students- \$8.00.

Tuesday, August 7

Draken Village & Deck Tours - 10AM – 8PM – Derby Wharf
The Draken will be open for timed and ticketed deck tours. Tour tickets, which run \$6 for kids (ages 5 to 15, free admission for ages 4 and under); \$12 for adults (ages 16 and over); and \$30 for a family pack (includes two adults, and up to three children) can be purchased online at drakenhh.com, or on-site at the Draken Village. During each 30-minute tour, you will be guided through the ship and offered a look at a day-in-the-life of the crew and the historic craftsmanship used to build the ship with oak, tar, hemp, iron, and silk. Additional ticketed Draken events include a lecture with Captain Björn Ahlander outlining the adventurous expeditions of the Draken (Tuesday, August 7, 7:00 PM, \$20) at the Salem Regional Visitors Center, 2 New Liberty Street, Salem, MA 01970.

Salem Senior Event: The AARP SMART DRIVER PROGRAM – 11AM – 4PM – 5 Broad St. - AARP has offered safety refresher courses since 1979 to more than 11 million graduates. The aim is for older drivers to better understand the updated technologies in new vehicles, provide a refresher on the rules of the road, and learn strategies to compensate for age-related changes in vision, hearing, and response time. There is NO TEST to take and NO ACTUAL DRIVING and a certificate of completion will be awarded to each participant. COST: \$15 for AARP members; \$20 for non-AARP members. Lunch will be served. This class is sponsored by the Salem Senior Center. All participants must pre-register by calling Rosanna Donahue at (978) 744-0924 x 43006. Checks should be made out to AARP.

Story Time at the Witch House – 5PM-5:30PM 310 ½ Essex St. - Curious tales for the young read aloud in the Witch House's 17th century kitchen. Free. For more information contact 978-744-8815 or email info@witchhouse.info

National Night Out – 5PM-8PM – Salem Common – Join the Salem Police Department and local organizations and businesses celebrate community. The night will be filled with free activities crafts, games, food, K-9 Demonstrations, and lots of public safety vehicles to explore.

North Shore Concert Band – 7PM-9PM -Salem Willows Shell
Come listen to Band Favorites as they close out the summer concert series. (rain date: Thurs. August 9th)

Wednesday, August 8

Draken Village & Deck Tours - 10AM – 8PM – Derby Wharf
(see August 7 description for more info.)

Salem Senior Event: Afternoon Tea – 1PM - Winter Island
Come and join your friends by the water while enjoying good company, and light refreshments sponsored by Marquis Health Services. This event is FREE and open to Salem Seniors 60 and older. Advanced registration required. *To register for the event please call Rosanna Donahue at 978-744-0924 x43006. Please call Fred Norton at 978-744-0924 x43008 one day in advance to schedule a ride via COA van.*

Ice Scream Bowl – 6PM-7:30PM – Salem Common
We all scream for ICE-CREAM! Indulge your sweet tooth! Sample flavors from many of the North Shore's finest creameries, ice cream shops and restaurants. Bring the whole family. \$6 Adults/\$4 Kids. Proceeds to benefit Salem Main Streets. For more information visit www.salemmainstreets.org

Music, Wine & Pastels – Ropes Mansion Garden – 318 Essex St. - 6PM-8PM Drop by for live music and the chance to sketch the environment with pastels. David William Ross is trained in both classical and jazz guitar and shares classical works as well as material from the Great American Songbook with us this evening. Artist Jim Chisholm is on hand to offer drawing tips. Wine and nibbles available for purchase. Offered in conjunction with Salem Heritage Days. Rain date is Thursday, August 9. *This program is free and made possible by the Ropes Mansion Botanical Garden Lecture Fund. For more information go to www.pem.org*

Movie on the Common – 8:00PM – Salem Common - Bring a blanket or a chair and enjoy a family-friendly movie (*A Wrinkle in Time*). The Salem Common Neighborhood Association will have refreshments available for purchase.

Thursday, August 9

Farmers' Market – 3PM-7PM - Derby Square
Come celebrate our 10th anniversary at Historic Derby Square on Front Street in downtown Salem the market is held every Thursday through October 11.

Dances Made to Order – 3PM – Derby Square
Join Betsy Miller & Matthew Cumbie perform one minute dance improvisations based on audience input.

Salem Senior Event: "Old Hollywood Glamour" Party – 4PM – 7PM – SALEM MOOSE LODGE Salem's Seniors are invited to an evening of dinner, dancing and live music by Pete Saran and Richard Girard sponsored by the Friends of the Council on Aging. This event is \$5 per person and open to Salem Seniors age 60 and older. Advanced registration required. *To register for the event please call Rosanna Donahue at 978-744-0924 x43006. Please call Fred Norton at 978-744-0924 x43008 one day in advance to schedule a ride via COA van.*

Window Box & Traffic Island Awards Ceremony – 5:30PM – Greenlawn Cemetery – 57 Orne St.
Please join the Salem Garden Club and the Salem Beautification Committee at the Greenlawn Cemetery Chapel as they award the winners of the City's window box competition and traffic island sponsorship program. Light refreshments will be served immediately following the ceremony. This event is free and open to the public.

Friday, August 10

Kids Night – 5PM-7:30PM – Salem Common
NEW THIS YEAR The Salem YMCA is joining forces with the Salem Education Foundation and will transform the Salem Common into a paradise for children with moon bounces, rides, games and arts & crafts. Some new additions are learning how to write your name in a different language, learning how to drum, bi-lingual storytelling, and special performances throughout the evening. \$5 per child will pay for unlimited rides. For more info contact Salem YMCA at 978-744-0351. *(No rain date if cancelled because of weather.)*

Friday, August 10 (cont.)

Betsy Miller & Matthew Cumbie. The (still perfectly fine) Adventures of Unicorn Hair + Dragon Heartstring – 6:30PM – Derby Square
This dynamic duo combines the whimsy of fairytales, whacky games and stories, and contemporary dance in their improvisational performances. Experience a wildly playful theatrical experience like you've never imagined! Free event.

Saturday, August 11

Essex Street Fair – 10AM-6PM – Essex St. Pedestrian Mall
Fun for all ages this street festival has something for everyone. Crafts, jewelry, paintings, stained glass, and other unique items will be featured along the Essex Street Pedestrian Mall.

Turtle's Wetland Quest – 1PM-2:30PM – National Park Service – 160 Derby St. - Join us on the second floor of St. Joseph Hall for a lively puppet show celebrating the joys of nature! "Turtle's Wetland Quest" is a story about Blanding the turtle and her need to find a safe wetland home for herself and her babies. National-award-winning puppeteer Deborah Costine has researched, written, designed, and built this puppet show. Location: St. Joseph Hall, 2nd floor, 160 Derby Street, Salem, MA. Ages: Appropriate for ages 5 and up (through grade 4). This event is free.

Salem Jazz & Soul Festival, Berklee Summer Series Concert - 5PM-7PM - Derby Square
Come listen to the sounds of Jas and Chums. Their sounds are described as Afro-beat inspired grooves blended with jazz influenced harmony and contagious horn lines backing the refreshing take on African vocal harmonies forms the sound of this Boston-based band. Its an international collective of musicians from around the globe such as, Belgium, Israel, US and the UK. This concert is free and open to the public.

Musical Movie Night - 8PM – Salem Willows Shell
Bring a blanket and your chairs and watch this old time musical classic movie (*My Fair Lady*).

Sunday, August 12

Essex Street Fair –10AM-6PM – Essex St. Pedestrian Mall
(see Aug. 11 for full description)

Phillips House 17th Annual Antique Car Meet – NOON-3PM – 34 Chestnut Street - Join Historic New England and the North Shore Old Car Club for their Annual Car Meet, where vintage and antique vehicles are displayed on historic Chestnut Street, including the Phillips family's collection of carriages, two Pierce-Arrows, and a Model A Ford. Free admission. For more information, call 978-744-0440 or visit www.historicnewengland.org

S.C.E.N.E.'s 9th Annual Sunset Hang– 1PM-9PM – Salem Willows Shell
An event combining the skills of local vj's, dj's & live electronic musicians. The extravaganza's purpose is to showcase talent right here in Salem, the North Shore & Boston. To give a stage for new music that might otherwise be overlooked by the mainstream. For more information log onto: <https://www.facebook.com/events/240268710104855/permalink/240410363424023/>

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Monday, August 13

The Paul Madore Chorale Summersing – 8PM – Old Town Hall – Derby Square - Don't miss the last Summersing of the season, featuring *Elijah* (Mendelssohn) with guest conductor Danica Buckley, of the Cape Cod Chorale. For more info call 978-744-4898. Admission: Adults- \$10.00. Seniors and Students- \$8.00.

Wednesday, August 15

Dance Enthusiasm – 7PM – Salem Willows Shell

The national award winning D.E. Dance Company will be performing their 2018 routines, for the last time of the season! Admission is free. Bring a chair, grab a snack, and enjoy the show!



Museum of Science.

Salem Residents

Don't Miss September Salem Days

Visit the Museum of Science for FREE

Throughout September, Salem residents and their families are invited to visit the Museum of Science in Boston to experience free science adventure.

For your free admission passes to the Exhibit Halls, Mugar Omni Theater, and the Planetarium check your mailbox in late August or visit Salem City Hall, the Salem Public Library, or the Salem Park & Recreation Department.

Watch for more details about free MBTA train rides on Saturday, September 8 and Saturday, September 22.

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