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HISTORIC PHILADELPHIA GAZETTE

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Franklin Square Holiday Festival Highlights the Season

Electrical Spectacle lights up the night starting November 13

Franklin Square celebrates the magic of the holiday season from November 13 through December 31 with the return of ***Electrical Spectacle: A Holiday Light Show***. Marvel at more than 50,000 lights as they shimmer, dance, and illuminate the Square to a soundtrack of holiday classics. Two shows alternate every 30 minutes, 4:30-8 p.m.

New this year, warm up with festive food and drink at **Ben's Bites & Brews**, which features comfort foods and warm beverages daily starting November 13 and local beers Thursdays through Sundays. From 4-8 p.m. daily November 28 through December 23, shop the **Franklin Square Holiday Market produced in collaboration with PHAIR**, where you'll find an array of handmade, artisanal gifts crafted by local artists.

Visit all season long for holiday fun including rides on the **Lightning Bolt Holiday Express** on

weekends starting November 15 and visits with **Santa** beginning November 28 and continuing on Saturdays through December 20. You'll also enjoy weekday craft activities for kids, **Food Truck Fridays, Sounds on Sundays**, featuring area musicians performing seasonal favorites, performances by local choirs and more.

Plan to spend **New Year's Eve** in Historic Philadelphia. Celebrate **Betsy Ross' 263rd birthday** at the Betsy Ross House from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., with entertainment, crafts and, of course, cake! Then, head over to **Franklin Square** to celebrate the arrival of 2015. Join the **countdown to 6 p.m.**, complete with **"Square Drop."** Stick around for a great view of the **SugarHouse New Year's Eve Fireworks on the Waterfront** and a dance party in The Pavilion.

For more information, visit historicphiladelphia.org or call (215) 629-4026.

Ride the PHLASH

The Philly PHLASH is a quick, easy, and inexpensive connection to all of Philadelphia's world-class attractions. For just \$2 a ride or \$5 all-day Friday-Sunday, visitors can hop on and off at 20 locations all over the city every 15 minutes, including a stop at the Independence Visitor Center to pick up free timed-tickets to tour Independence Hall.



SERVED BY PHLASH

Starting November 28, PHLASH runs daily 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Additionally, visitors can hop on the Holiday Evening Loop, serviced by PHLASH, to go to the Franklin Square Holiday Festival and other Philadelphia holiday attractions. Buses run every 15 minutes from 6-10 p.m.
www.phillyPHLASH.com

HISTORIC DISTRICT HAPPENINGS

NOVEMBER

Portrait Gallery in the Second Bank of the U.S., 3-3:30 p.m. Sat. & Sun. in November (no program 11/8 & 11/9): The First Americans – Meet a Park Ranger for this program commemorating Native American History Month.

Free. (800) 537-7676, nps.gov/inde

NOVEMBER 6

Betsy Ross House, 5:30-8 p.m.: Tippler's Tour: Ghosts & Toasts – Enjoy seasonal brews and spooky tales on this Colonial pub crawl that will give you goose bumps! A mix of Colonial and modern day stops will offer snacks and drinks along the way.

Tickets are \$40; \$35 seniors/students military.

Must be 21 with valid ID.

(215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

NOVEMBER 8 & 9

The Portrait Gallery in the Second Bank of the U.S., 3-3:30 p.m.: Small but Feisty: The Birth of the United States Marine Corps – Meet a Park Ranger for a program about the founding of the United States Marine Corps here in Philadelphia.

Free. (800) 537-7676, nps.gov/inde

NOVEMBER 13

Historic Philadelphia Center, 5:30-8 p.m.:

Tippler's Tour: Yuletide Cheers & Beers – This popular tour of Colonial & modern day watering holes takes on a holiday flair with a look at Colonial yuletide celebrations. Tickets are \$40; \$35 seniors/students/military. Must be 21 with valid ID.

(215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

Franklin Square, 4:30-8 p.m.: Electrical Spectacle Opening Night – Start the holiday season in grand style as 50,000 lights illuminate the Square.

First show of the season starts at 5 p.m.

Free. (215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

NOVEMBER 20

Historic Philadelphia Center, 5:30-8 p.m.:

Tippler's Tour: Yuletide Cheers & Beers – This popular tour of Colonial & modern day watering holes takes on a holiday flair with a look at Colonial yuletide celebrations. Tickets are \$40; \$35 seniors/students/military. Must be 21 with valid ID.

(215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

NOVEMBER 28

Franklin Square, 4:30-7:30 p.m.: Santa Arrives in the Square – Welcome Santa back to the Square for the holiday season. Pose for a photo and give him your holiday wish list.

Free. (215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

NOVEMBER 29

Historic Philadelphia Center, 11 a.m.-3 p.m.:

Winter Time Storytelling – Join the Once Upon A Nation Storytellers for winter-themed tales from history, plus hot chocolate and cookies! Free.

(215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

Franklin Square, 4-5 p.m.: Milk & Cookies with Santa – Enjoy cookies and milk with Santa as he tells some of his favorite stories in the indoor, heated Pavilion. \$10; tickets available at

historicphiladelphia.org or by calling (215) 629-4026.

Franklin Square, 5:30-7:30 p.m.: Jingle & Mingle with Santa – Santa returns to Franklin Square to pose for photos and collect wish lists!

Free. (215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

DECEMBER

Historic Philadelphia Center, 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Saturdays thru 12/27: Winter Time Storytelling

Join the Once Upon A Nation Storytellers for winter-themed tales from history, plus hot chocolate and cookies!

Free. (215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

Portrait Gallery in the Second Bank of the U.S., 3-3:30 p.m. Sat. & Sun. in December: Washington Crossing the Delaware – Revisit the events surrounding the famous Christmas Eve journey as Washington and his troops crossed the icy river into New Jersey to confront the British forces.

Free. (800) 537-7676, nps.gov/inde

Franklin Square, 4-5 p.m., Saturdays thru 12/20:

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(215) 629-4026

Franklin Square, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Saturdays thru

12/2: Jingle & Mingle with Santa – Santa returns to Franklin Square to pose for photos and collect wish lists! Free. (215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

DECEMBER 4

Historic Philadelphia Center, 5:30-8 p.m.:

Tippler's Tour: Yuletide Cheers & Beers – This popular tour of Colonial & modern day watering holes takes on a holiday flair with a look at Colonial yuletide celebrations. Tickets are \$40; \$35 seniors/students/military. Must be 21 with valid ID.

(215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

DECEMBER 6

Elfreth's Alley, 3-7 p.m.: Deck the Alley – A unique chance to see inside these beautiful private homes 'decked out' for the holidays. Open house includes costumed interpreters, storytellers, carolers and delicious treats.

Tickets are \$25. A family ticket is offered for \$70.

(215) 574-0560, elfrethsalley.org

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NATIONAL CONSTITUTION CENTER

THE MUSEUM OF *We the People*

FEATURE EXHIBITION

Slavery at Jefferson's Monticello
Through January 4

FEATURE PROGRAMMING

Reopening of Signers' Hall - Now Open
Experience the new "Sign the Constitution" interactive and revamped exhibition space! *Free with admission.*

Veterans Day - November 11
FREE admission for veterans & active military and \$5 for general public, courtesy of Macy's, Inc.

Thanksgiving Weekend
November 28-30 - See the interactive "History of Thanksgiving" show and get festive with fall arts and crafts!

Bill of Rights Day - December 15
A live reading of the Bill of Rights, special tours, trivia games, an interactive Kids Town Hall, craft activities, and more!

Holiday Week - December 26-31
Meet characters from the past, create arts and crafts, tour the museum, and try on period clothing!

525 Arch Street (One block past the Independence Visitor Center and one block before Franklin Square)
See p. 3 for hours of operation

@ConstitutionCtr    
For more information about the National Constitution Center or any of its programs, call (215) 409-6700 or visit constitutioncenter.org.

Show a copy of the Historic Gazette at the National Constitution Center Box Office and receive \$2.00 off admission!

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DECEMBER 18

Historic Philadelphia Center, 5:30-8 p.m.:

Tippler's Tour: Yuletide Cheers & Beers
This popular tour of Colonial & modern day watering holes takes on a holiday flair with a look at Colonial yuletide celebrations. Tickets are \$40; \$35 seniors/students/military. Must be 21 with valid ID. (215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

DECEMBER 25

National Museum of American Jewish History, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.: **Being _____ at Christmas** - Snowy. Jewish. Happy. Buddhist. Family. Generous. Caring. Fill in your own blank and join this annual day of fun. *Free with admission.* (215) 923-3811, nmajh.org

DECEMBER 31

Betsy Ross House, 11 a.m.-3 p.m.: **Betsy's Birthday Bash** - Celebrate the 263rd birthday of America's most famous flagmaker with daylong family fun and, of course, cake at 1 p.m.! *Free.* (215) 686-1252, historicphiladelphia.org

Franklin Square, 3-8 p.m.: **Kids' New Year's Countdown & Square Drop** - Kids of all ages are invited to count down to 2015. Enjoy craft activities from 3-6 p.m., the famous countdown and "Square Drop" at 6 p.m., followed by a Kids' Dance Party in The Pavilion until 8 p.m. *Free.* (215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

ONGOING

Betsy Ross House, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.:

Meet Betsy - Meet America's most famous flagmaker as she plies her trade in the country's only working 18th-century upholstery shop. *Free with admission.* (215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

Betsy Ross House, regular site hours:

Navigating Night: Life After Dark in Colonial Philadelphia - Unique exhibit examines nighttime rituals in the 18th century. Find out how the colonists prepared for bed, slept and other interesting facts about life after dark. (215) 629-4026, historicphiladelphia.org

Christ Church, regular site hours: The Patriot Church - Visit the church attended by many of the Founding Fathers including George Washington, Benjamin Franklin, and Absalom Jones. The 20-minute guided tour features the religious, architectural, and political significance of one of the enduring institutions of Philadelphia. Suggested donation: \$3 adults; \$2 children. (215) 922-1695, christchurchphila.org

Christ Church Burial Ground, 12-3:30 p.m.; see p. 3 for days of operation: **Revolutionary Americans** - The burial ground is the final resting place of many founding fathers including Benjamin Franklin. This 15-minute guided tour features the history of the burial ground and the revolutionary people with connections to Christ Church. \$5 adults; \$2 students; includes admission. (215) 922-1695, christchurchphila.org

City Tavern, 11:30 a.m.-9 p.m. daily: **The Ales of the Revolution** - Sample ale recipes by George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Benjamin Franklin and Alexander Hamilton. Colonial shrub is available for the children. (215) 413-1443, citytavern.com

Independence National Historical Park



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INDEPENDENCE VISITOR CENTER



NATIONAL CONSTITUTION CENTER

THE MUSEUM OF *We the People*CITY TAVERN
RESTAURANT

Savor specialties including pepperpot soup, Martha Washington's chocolate mousse cake, General Washington & Thomas Jefferson's recipes for ale. Open seven days a week. Serving lunch & dinner daily from 11:30 a.m. Dinner from 4 p.m. (Sundays from 3 p.m.). Located at the corner of 2nd & Walnut Streets, (215) 413-1443.

IT TAKES TWO

Two entrées for the price of one!*

Valid Sunday through Friday for lunch & dinner!
Only valid with the use of a major credit card, not valid for special menus or restaurant holiday, beverage tax & gratuity are not included.

Discount will be determined as the least expensive entree, children's meals are considered entrées. Valid Sun. through Fri. only, not valid November 27-29, December 24-25, 2014. Expires December 30, 2014.

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If you have questions, comments or need more information about National Park Service sites or other historical sites in Philadelphia and its countryside, call (800) 537-7676 or visit nps.gov/inde.

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HOLIDAY HOURS

Veteran's Day, November 11, 2014:
Special hours at New Hall Military Museum
9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Thanksgiving Day November 27, 2014
Liberty Bell Center 11 a.m.-4 p.m.
Independence Hall 11 a.m.-4 p.m.
Historic Philadelphia sites, Independence Visitor
Center, National Constitution Center Closed

Christmas Eve December 24, 2014
National Park Service, Historic Philadelphia
sites, and Nat. Museum of American Jewish History
close at 3 p.m.

Christmas Day, December 25, 2014
National Park Service and Historic Philadelphia sites,
Independence Visitor Center and National
Constitution Center Closed
Nat. Museum of American Jewish History 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

New Year's Day, January 1, 2015
Betsy Ross House 11 a.m.-5 p.m.
Historic Philadelphia Center 11 a.m.-6 p.m.
Independence Hall & Liberty Bell Center 11 a.m.-4 p.m.
Independence Visitor Center 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
National Constitution Center Closed



HISTORIC SITES

ARCH STREET FRIENDS MEETING HOUSE E3
320 Arch Street - (215) 627-2667
Tue.-Sat. 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; Sugg. Don. \$2 &

THE ATHENAEUM OF PHILADELPHIA C7
219 South 6th Street - (215) 925-2688
Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. FREE

BETSY ROSS HOUSE F3
239 Arch Street - (215) 686-1252
Daily 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Closed Mondays in Decem-
ber; Open 12/24 and 12/29 10 a.m.-3 p.m.;
Ad. \$5; Ch./Sr./Stud./Mil.\$4; Audio Guide (in-
cludes admission): Ad. \$7; Ch./Sr/Stud./Mil. \$6

CARPENTERS' HALL E5
320 Chestnut Street - (215) 925-0167
Tue.-Sun. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. FREE

CHRIST CHURCH PHILADELPHIA F4
2nd Street above Market Street
(215) 922-1695
Mon.-Sat. 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sun. 1-5 p.m.
Info available in 20 languages.
Sugg. Don.: Ad. \$3; Stud. \$2 &

CHRIST CHURCH BURIAL GROUND D3
5th & Arch Streets - (215) 922-1695
Mon.-Sat. 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; Sun. 12-4 p.m.;
weather permitting; Fri.-Sat. and 12-28/10
12-4 p.m. weather permitting in December
Ad. \$2; Ch. \$1; Group up to 25 people \$15;
Guided Tour, additional fee of: Ad. \$3, Chi. \$1,
group up to 25 people \$10

CITY TAVERN F6
138 South 2nd Street - (215) 413-1443
Daily from 11:30 a.m. ☒

CONGREGATION MIKVEH ISRAEL D4
44 North 4th Street - (215) 922-5446
FREE. mikvehisrael.org for worship schedule &

CONGRESS HALL C5
6th & Chestnut Streets - (800) 537-7676
Daily 9 a.m.-5 p.m. FREE &

EDGAR ALLAN POE NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE C4
532 North 7th Street - (215) 597-8780
Fri.-Sun. 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

ELFRETH'S ALLEY F2
124-126 Elfreth's Alley - (215) 574-0560 -
Fri.-Sun. 12-4 p.m.

FRANKLIN COURT E4
314-322 Market Street - (800) 537-7676
FREE &

Printing Office: Daily 10 a.m.-5 p.m.
U.S. Post Office: Mon.-Sat. 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Benjamin Franklin Museum:
(fee) Daily 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Last entrance 4:45 p.m.

FRANKLIN SQUARE C1
6th & Race Streets
10 a.m.-5 p.m. daily thru 11/12;
10 a.m.-8 p.m. daily from 11/13

FREE QUAKER MEETING HOUSE C3
5th & Arch Streets - (215) 629-4026
11am to 4pm Sat. & Sun. in November;
Closed December

GLORIA DEI "OLD SWEDES" CHURCH
916 South Swanson Street - (215) 389-1513
Tues.-Sun. 9 a.m.-4 p.m.; FREE &

GREAT ESSENTIALS EXHIBIT C5
West Wing of Independence Hall
(800) 537-7676
Daily 9 a.m.-5 p.m. FREE &

INDEPENDENCE HALL C5
Chestnut Street between 5th & 6th Streets
(800) 537-7676
Daily 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Tours offered every 15
minutes, tickets are required 9 a.m.-5 p.m.;
pick up free tickets at the Independence Visitor
Center. Please note: security screening closes 15
minutes before the building closes for the
evening. FREE &

MIKVEH ISRAEL CEMETERY A7
823 Spruce Street - (215) 922-5446
By appt. only

MOTHER BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH C9
419 South 6th Street - (215) 925-0616
Tues.-Sat. 10 a.m.-3 p.m.; Sun. open for services.
Donation suggested. Tours by appt.

OLD CITY HALL D5
5th & Chestnut Streets - (800) 537-7676
Daily 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

OLD FIRST REFORMED CHURCH E1
4th & Race Streets - (215) 922-4566
Tours by appt. FREE &

OLD PINE STREET CHURCH & HISTORIC GRAVEYARD D8
412 Pine Street - (215) 925-8051
Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-3 p.m.; Sun. open for Services;
Closed daily 12:30-1:30 p.m. Tours by
reservation; Open to walk through FREE &

OLD ST. AUGUSTINE CHURCH D1
4th Street at the Ben Franklin Bridge
(215) 627-1838
Tours by appt. FREE &

OLD ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH & NATIONAL SHRINE E6
321 Willings Alley - (215) 923-1733
Call for hours & tours. FREE

OLD ST. MARY'S CHURCH D7
252 South 4th Street - (215) 923-7930
Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Open for Services or by
appt. FREE

PHYSICK HOUSE E8
321 South 4th Street - (215) 925-7866
Thurs.-Sat. 12-5 p.m.; Sun. 1-5 p.m.
Last tour at 4 p.m. Gen. \$5; Stud./Sr. \$4
Groups over 10 \$3 each; Under 6 FREE

PORTRAIT GALLERY AT THE SECOND BANK D5
420 Chestnut Street - (800) 537-7676
Sat. & Sun. 11 a.m.-5 p.m.; **Bank Orient. Tour:**
Sat. & Sun. 11 a.m., 1, 2 & 4 p.m. (15 min.)
Stories of Struggle Sat. & Sun. 12 p.m.(30 min.)

POWELL HOUSE E7
244 South 3rd Street - (215) 627-0364
Thurs.-Sat. 12-5 p.m.; Sun. 1-5 p.m.
Last tour at 4 p.m. Gen. \$5; Stud./Sr. \$4;
Fam. \$12; Under 6 FREE &

ST. GEORGE'S UNITED METHODIST CHURCH E1
235 North 4th Street - (215) 925-7788
Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-3 p.m.;
Groups by appt. only FREE

ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH E8
3rd & Pine Streets - (215) 925-5968
Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.; Sat. 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m.;
Sun. open until 3 p.m. after services FREE &

THE PRESIDENT'S HOUSE SITE E8
555 Market Street
Daily 8 a.m.-9 p.m. FREE

MUSEUMS

AMERICAN PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY (APS) MUSEUM D6
104 South 5th Street - (215)-440-3442
Thurs.-Sun. 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

AFRICAN AMERICAN MUSEUM IN PHILADELPHIA B3
7th & Arch Streets - (215) 574-0380
Thurs.-Sat. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sun. 12-5 p.m.;
Ad. \$10; Ch. 4-12 \$8; Stud. (w/I.D.) \$8; Sr. \$8;
Free to Members &

CHEMICAL HERITAGE FOUND. E5
315 Chestnut Street - (215) 925-2222
Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; 10 a.m.-8 p.m. first
Fridays FREE

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF PHILADELPHIA C2
6th & Arch Streets - (866) 574-3727
Mon.-Fri. 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. FREE &

FIREMAN'S HALL MUSEUM F2
147 North 2nd Street - (215) 923-1438
Tues.-Sat. 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m. FREE &

INDEPENDENCE SEAPORT MUSEUM H6
211 Columbus Blvd. - (215) 413-8655
Daily 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Ad. \$13.50; Sr./Stud. \$10;
Ch. \$10; Under 2 FREE; \$5 admission after 5
p.m. &

LIBERTY BELL CENTER C4
526 Market Street - (800) 537-7676
Daily 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Security screening closes 5
minutes before the building closes for the evening.
FREE &

NATIONAL CONSTITUTION CENTER D3
525 Arch Street - (215) 409-6700
Mon.-Fri. 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sat. 9:30 a.m.-6 p.m.;
Sun. 12-5 p.m.; Free admission 9/17; Closed
10/21; Ad. \$14.50; Sr. (65+) Stud. w/ID &
13-18 \$13; Ch. 4-12 \$8; Active Mil. & Ch.
under 3 FREE; & ☒

NATIONAL LIBERTY MUSEUM E5
321 Chestnut Street - (215) 925-2800
10 a.m.-5 p.m. Mon.-Sat.; 12-6 p.m. Sun. Ad.
\$7; Sr. \$6; Stud. \$5; Ch. FREE &

NATIONAL MUSEUM OF AMERICAN JEWISH HISTORY D4
101 South Independence Mall East
(215) 923-3811
10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tues.-Fri.; 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
Sat. & Sun.; Wed. 10 a.m.-8 p.m.
Ad. \$12; Sr./Stud. \$11; Active Mil. with ID/Ch.
under 12 FREE; Pay-what-you-wish 5-8 p.m.

PHILADELPHIA HISTORY MUSEUM B5
15 S. 7th Street - (215) 685-4830
Tues.-Sat. 10:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; Ad. \$10;
Sr. \$8; Stud. & 13-18 \$6; Ch. 12 & under &
active military free; Family Pack \$20

POLISH AMERICAN CULTURAL CENTER MUSEUM E6
308 Walnut Street - (215) 922-1700
Mon.-Sat. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. FREE

OTHER SITES

HISTORIC PHILADELPHIA CENTER C5
6th & Chestnut Streets - (215) 629-4026
Mon.-Sat. 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Sun. 11 a.m.-5 p.m. &

INDEPENDENCE VISITOR CENTER C4
Corner of 6th and Market Streets across
from the Liberty Bell - (800) 537-7676
Daily 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m.; 8:30 a.m.-7 p.m. from
11/28 FREE & ☒

Junior Ranger Induction Ceremony:
Daily 4 p.m. (10 min.)

LIBERTY 360 SHOW IN THE PECO THEATER D5
6th & Chestnut Streets - (215) 629-4026
Mon.-Sat. 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Sun. 11 a.m.-5 p.m.
Ad. \$6; Ch./Sr/Stud./Mil. \$5;
Family Four Pack \$20 &

SQUAREBURGER C1
6th & Race Streets
Closed

U.S. MINT D2
151 N. Independence Mall East
(215) 408-0114,
9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Mon.-Sat.;



SERVICES

Language Services Park maps are available in Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Hebrew, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Polish, Russian and Spanish. The Visitor Center concierge staff is fluent in nine languages including Spanish, French, German and Italian. Information about the Liberty Bell and other park sites is available in multiple languages. See a NPS Ranger or the Visitor Center staff if you have a specific request.

Accessibility For the hearing impaired, a portable loop system is available inside the Visitor Center, compatible with all telecoil equipped hearing aids, cochlear implants, and induction loop receivers. A receiver with headphones is also available if a hearing aid is not compatible. Curb cuts are at corners on perimeter sidewalks. All major sites have ramps. Photo albums with pictures of 2nd floor exhibits are available. Audio description of exhibits & AV are at Poe and Kosciuszko Houses, NPS Rangers describe exhibits elsewhere. All films are open captioned, with audio description and assisted listening. To arrange for American Sign Language services, please contact us at least two weeks in advance. Use the relay service (800-654-5984-TTY) to call (215-597-7130).

