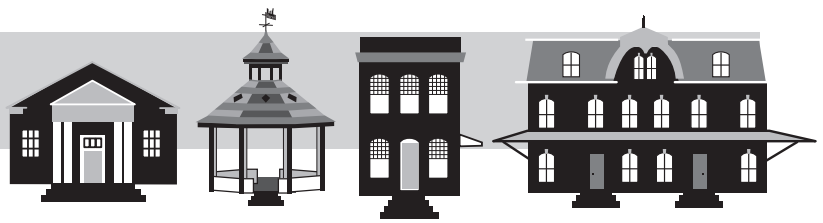


2023 Hopewell Borough Recreation & Other Events



Rain dates in italics

APRIL

Sun Apr 2 Easter Egg Hunt
Fri Apr 28 Cruise Night

MAY

Sat May 6 Annual Borough Park Clean-up
Sun May 7 Pancake Breakfast
Sun May 7 Handmade Hopewell Makers Fair
Th-Sat May 11-13 Ladies Auxiliary Plant Sale
Sun May 21 Opening Ceremony for "The Awakening"
Sun May 21 Moving Music
Sun May 28 Memorial Day Parade & Bike Brigade

JUNE

Weds Jun Quits & Horseshoes
Sat Jun 10 Town Wide Yard Sale
Sun & Jun 11 Town Wide Yard Sale
Sat Jun 10 Hopewell Boro Block Party
Fri Jun 16 Food Truck Friday
Sat Jun 19 Summer Reading Program
Sat Jun 24 Concert in the Park
Mon Jun 26 Blawenburg Band Concert

JULY

Weds Jul Quits & Horseshoes
Mon Jul 10 Blawenburg Band Concert
Sat Jul 15 Concert in the Park (TBD)
Mon Jul 24 Blawenburg Band Concert

AUGUST

Weds Aug Quits & Horseshoes
Mon Aug 7 *Rain Date for Blawenburg Band Concert (if needed)*
Sat Aug 19 Concert in the Park (8/20)

SEPTEMBER / OCTOBER

Sat Sep 23 Hopewell Harvest Fair (9/24)
Sat Sept 30 Tour des Arts
& Sun Oct 1 Tour des Arts
Sat Oct 7 Pumpkin Palooza
Sun Oct 29 Halloween Parade
Sun Oct 29 Little Red Library Extravaganza

NOVEMBER / DECEMBER

Sun Nov 5 Sunday of Service
Sun Nov 5 Chubby's Hunger Walk
Thurs Nov 23 Thanksgiving Dinner
Sat Dec 2 Hopewell Borough Tree Lighting
Sun Dec 3 Library Open House
Museum Holiday Tea
Dec 3-12 Operation Santa
Tues Dec 5 Womenspace Luminaries
Sat Dec 16 Holiday Light Competition Judging
Weds Dec 20 Live Nativity

Easter Egg Hunt | Sun | 4/2 | Time: TBD | Borough Park | Columbia Ave
Sponsored by the Council of Churches • www.calvarybaptisthopewell.com

Cruise Night | Fri | 4/28 (5/19) | 5-8pm
Classic cars, live music, and street food along town central • Sponsored by the EDC

Annual Borough Park Clean-up | Sat | 5/6 | 8am-12pm | on S. Greenwood
Spend a day with your neighbors! Bring rakes, shovels, and gloves

Pancake Breakfast | Sun | 5/7 | 8am-Noon
Hopewell Fire Station • Sponsored by the Hopewell Fire Company

Handmade Hopewell Makers Fair | Sun | 5/7 | 10am-4pm | Seminary Ave
Sponsored by Seminary Ave artisans and merchants • www.handmadehopewell.com

Ladies Auxiliary Mother's Day Plant Sale | Thur-Sat | 5/11-13 | 8am-7pm
At the Hopewell Fire Station 52

Opening Ceremony for "The Awakening" | Sun | 5/21 | 11:00am | St Michaels Farm Preserve • Sponsored by D&R Greenway and Hopewell Valley Arts Council

Moving Music | Sun | 5/21 | 2pm, 3pm, & 4pm
Hopewell Elementary 2pm / Train station 3pm / Taylor Terrace 4pm

Memorial Day Parade | Sun | 5/28 | 1pm
Line up at 12:30 at Taylor Terrace • Marching east on Broad Street
Closing Ceremony at Hopewell Elementary School
Sponsored by the Hopewell Volunteer Fire Dept • Contact hopewellparade@gmail.com

Memorial Day Parade Bike Brigade | Sun | 5/28 | 1pm
All grade-school children are encouraged to decorate their bikes and ride along in the oldest running parade in New Jersey. No sign-up needed.
See Parade post above.

Quits and Horseshoes | Wed | June-Aug | 7pm
Train Station

Town-Wide Yard Sale | Sat & Sun | 6/10 & 11 | No permit required

Hopewell Boro Block Party | Sat | 6/10 | 7-10pm | social affair permit #103896
at the Train Station • Sponsored by Hopewell Boro Block Party 501(c)3

Food Truck Friday | 6/16 | 5-10pm | the Train Station | Rain or Shine

Hopewell Public Library Summer Reading Program | 6/19

Blawenburg Band Concerts | Mon | 7-8pm
June 26, July 10, & July 24 (rain date: 8/7) at the Train Station • www.blawenburgband.org

Concerts in the Park | Sat | 7-9:30pm | Rain date Sunday
At the Volunteer Bandstand Borough Park; the Fire Dept will be selling burgers, hot dogs, beverages and snacks

June 24 Castle Lane (6/25) Hopewell local 7 piece band playing 6 decades of classic rock, funk, and soul.

July 15 Christine Havrilla (TBD) One woman extravaganza performing "Neofunkadelicfolkpoptwangrock"!

Aug 19 James Popik & Super Nova (8/20) Jazz, world funk, fusion.

34th Annual Hopewell Harvest Fair | Sat | 9/23 (9/24) | 10am-4pm
On the grounds of Hopewell Elementary School • www.hopewellharvestfair.org

Tour des Arts | Sat & Sun | 9/30, 10am-5pm & 10/1, 11am-4pm
13th Annual self-guided Artists' Open Studio Tour • www.hopewellarts.com

Pumpkin Palooza | Sat | 10/7 | 10am-4pm
It's all about the pumpkin • Sponsored by and at the Hopewell Presbyterian Church

Halloween Parade | Sun | 10/29 | 1pm
Line up at Train Station 12:30pm • Sponsored by the Hopewell Volunteer Fire Dept

Little Red Library Extravaganza | Sun | 10/29 | After parade

Sunday Day of Service | Sun | 11/5 | 9am – 3pm | Sponsored by Council of Churches

Chubby's Hunger Walk | Sun | 11/5 | 9am – 3pm
St. Michael's Preserve, Princeton Ave • Sponsored by The Chubby's Project 501(c)3

Thanksgiving Dinner | Thurs | 11/23 | 2pm-4pm | Presbyterian Church

Hopewell Borough Tree Lighting | Sat | 12/2 | 6pm | Hopewell Fire House

Operation Santa | 12/3-12

Library Open House | Sun | 12/3 | 1-4pm
Holiday treats and beverages

Hopewell Museum Holiday Tea | Sun | 12/3 | 1-4pm
Cookies and tea

Womenspace Luminaries | Tues | 12/5 | Overnight

Holiday Light Competition | hopewellevent@gmail.com
Register Dec 11; Decorate by Dec 1; Winners announced Dec 24

Live Nativity | Wed | 12/20 | 4pm | at First Calvary Baptist Church

Ongoing Events

Artists at the Train Station | Every Tuesday | 10a – 1p
Unstructured time to practice your art in a spirit of mutual support and fellowship. No fee.
Bring your art supplies, drop cloth and a project in mind. ArtistsAtTheStation@gmail.com

Quoits & Horseshoes | Weds between Memorial Day and Labor Day | Train Station park, 7pm

Returning in 2023

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at the Train Station • Sponsored by Hopewell Boro Block Party 501(c)3

We need volunteers! Contact: recreation@hopewellboro-nj.us

For more information about Hopewell Borough visit: www.hopewellboro-nj.us

Event Rental Space Available

For information regarding Train Station and/or Freight Shed rentals, please visit **hopewellboro-nj.us** under “forms/applications” menu

For booking:
M-F; 9am – 3pm
(609) 466-2636

Borough of Hopewell

88 East Broad Street
Hopewell, NJ 08525

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The **Borough of Hopewell Recreation Committee** consists of volunteers with a passion for community events. This flyer is created each year to promote **free** Recreation Committee events including: Quoits & Horseshoes at the Train Station, Concerts in the Park, Food Truck Friday, Blawenburg Band concerts, and the Holiday Light Competition.

Interested in volunteering and/or help to create new events? Local businesses interested in sponsoring an event?
CONTACT: recreation@hopewellboro-nj.us

Signup for email news alerts from Hopewell Borough:
www.hopewellboro-nj.us

This flyer also includes events hosted by various community groups; all volunteer based. Most events are free.

Thank you to all our dedicated volunteers and donors who make these events possible!

