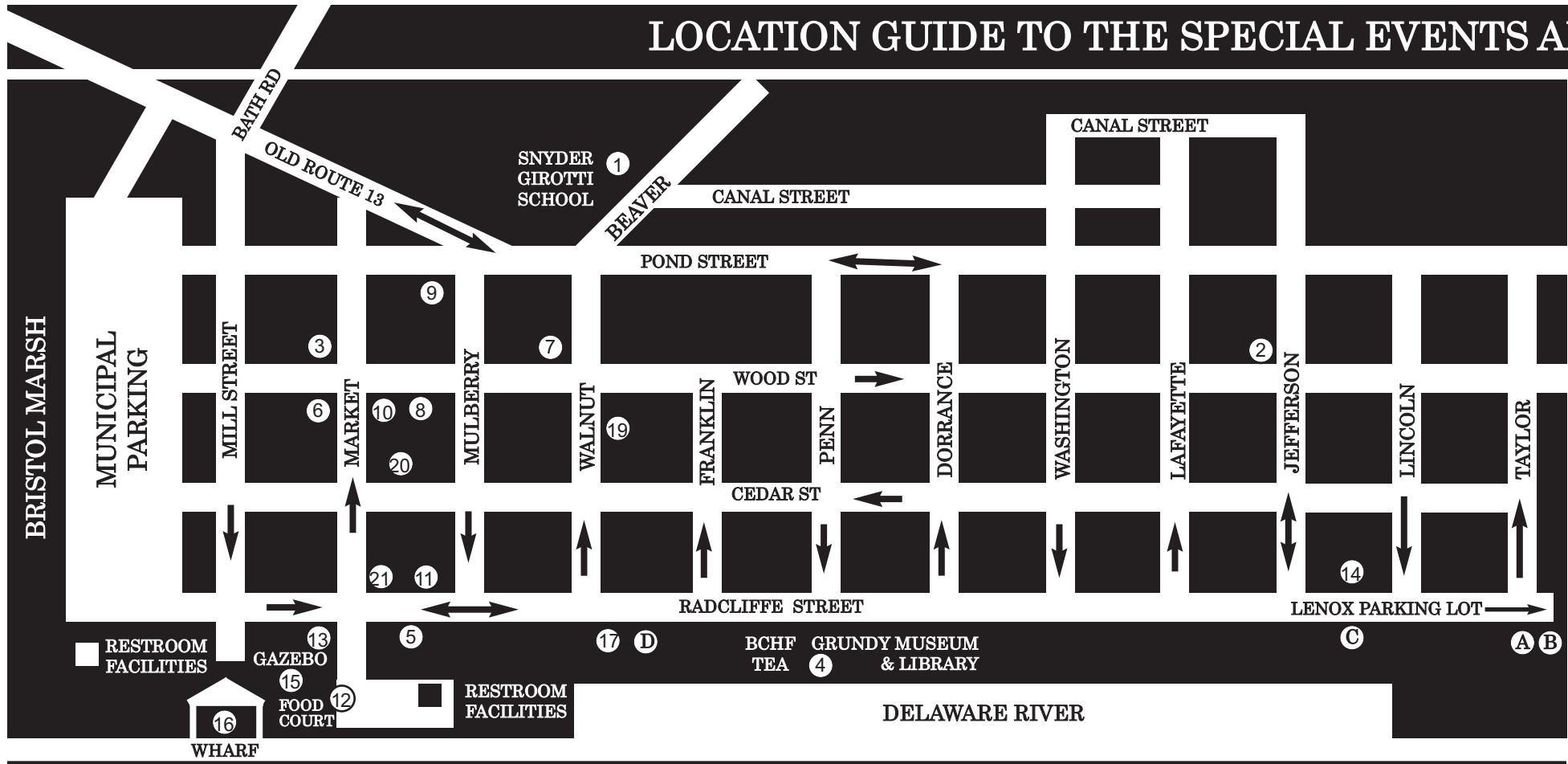


LOCATION GUIDE TO THE SPECIAL EVENTS AND EXHIBITS



SPECIAL EVENTS

9:00 am – Registration for Car Show, Snyder-Girotti School, 450 Beaver St. #1 \*

ALL DAY – 10 AM to 4 PM

BCHF Bakery Table – 200 block of Radcliffe Street #5

Boat Display by Mid-Atlantic Chapter of Antique & Classic Boat Society, Wharf Area #16

House and Garden Tours (TICKET REQUIRED)

See back page for descriptions +photos. \*

Food Court – behind Riverside Theatre. Riverfront Park #12

Vendors & Crafters – 200 & 300 blocks of Radcliffe St.

Archaeological Dig – Friends Meeting House, 235 Market St. #10 \*

Grundy Museum - 610 Radcliffe St. – first floor tours #4 \* + River Runner

Artists of Bristol – North Lawn Grundy Museum, 610 Radcliffe St. #4 \* + River Runner

ACTIVITIES AT VARIOUS TIMES

10:00 – 3:00 - 12th Annual Car Show – \$15 Car registration, Snyder-Girotti School, 450 Beaver St. #1 \*

10:30, 12:00, 2:00 & 3:30 – Schooner North Wind, Docks SOLD OUT #16

11:00 – Guided Walking Tour, from the fountain at the corner of Radcliffe & Walnut Sts. #17

11:00 – 11:45 – River Drivers Folk Rock Band, Lions Park Gazebo #15

11:00 – 11:45 – Men of Harmony, Riverport Plaza @ Market, Wood & Market Sts. #3 \*

11:00 – 11:45 - Youth Orchestra of Bucks County’s Saxophone Quartet, 225 Radcliffe St. #11

11:00 & 1:30 – Bristol Mural Arts Tours, board the bus in front of Riverside Theatre (1 hour) #13 \*

11:00 – 2:00 - Children’s Corner, Grundy Library, 680 Radcliffe St., Cops ‘n’ Kids #4 \*

11:00 – 2:00 – Sand & Hand Art, corner Radcliffe & Market Sts. #21

11:00 – 2:00 – Face Painting, corner Radcliffe & Market Sts. #21

11:00 – 3:00 - Annual Tea (TICKET REQUIRED), South Lawn Grundy Museum, 610 Radcliffe St. #4 \*

11:15 – 11:45 – Dancing Divas of Bristol, behind Grundy Library, 680 Radcliffe St. #4 \*

11:30 – 3:00 – Stilt Walker/Balloon Maker, 200 & 300 blocks of Radcliffe St.

12:00 – 12:30 – A Touch of History Wax Museum by Snyder-Girotti 5<sup>th</sup> graders, Grundy Library #4 \*

12:00 – 12:45 – Patsy Cline Impersonator Lisa Lyman, Lions Park Gazebo #15

12:00 – 3:00 – Men of Harmony, strolling the 100, 200 + 300 blocks of Radcliffe St.

12:30 – 1:00 – Bristol Landforms by St. Mark 4<sup>th</sup> graders, Grundy Library, 680 Radcliffe St. #4 \*

12:30 – 2:30 – Harpist Gloria Galante, Tea (TICKET REQUIRED), South Lawn, 610 Radcliffe St. #4 \*

1:00 – 1:45 – Jillian Ashcraft Jazz Trio, Lions Park Gazebo #15

1:00 – 2:00 – Hands-on STEM activities with Solvay scientists, Grundy Library, 680 Radcliffe St. #4 \*

2:00 – 2:45 - Bracken Cavaliers Drum & Bugle Alumni Corps, Lions Park Gazebo #15

2:45 – Car Show Trophies awarded, Snyder-Girotti School, 450 Buckley St. #1 \*

3:00 – 1960-style car cruise through town, Snyder-Girotti School, 450 Beaver St. #1 \*

Food and Concessions

Food Court and Food Trucks

Riverfront behind the Riverside Theatre, 120 Radcliffe Street #12

**BCHF Bake Table** - Bristol bakers created pies, cakes, brownies, cupcakes and cookies. Cate Murway made one of her famous pies that will be raffled off to one lucky winner. \$1.00 #5

**Snyder-Girotti School**, 450 Beaver St #1 \*

**Bristol Borough Activity Center** 301 Wood Street #7 \*

**Annual Tea on the South Lawn of the Grundy Museum**, 610 Radcliffe St. #4 \* Ticket required

Public Buildings Open for Touring 10am to 4pm

**Bethel A.M.E. Church** – 260 Wood St. – Celebrating 180 years. Tours through the church and a flea market in the backyard. #8

**Bristol Borough Activity Center** – 301 Wood St. - Presentation of history of the building, exhibits by the American Sewing Guild of Bucks Co. about the history of the sewing machine, display of quilts by Guild members, workshop to create fabric pumpkins (make and take), plus a display of sewing projects and a boutique of crafts for sale, showcasing community service programs. The kitchen will be open selling refreshments. #7 \*

**Bristol Borough Municipal Building** – 250 Pond St.– See the “Welcome Friend” sign that greeted Marquis de Lafayette. #9

**Bristol Fire Station 51** – 198 Wood St. Tour this all-volunteer fire station dating back to 1857. #6

**Bristol Friends Meeting** – 235 Market St. - Discover history! Help archaeologists uncover artifacts and walk our new labyrinth for a bit of reflection. Seasonal snacks + crafts for kids. #10 \*

**Bristol Lodge #25 F. & A. M.** – 221 Cedar St. - Open for tours. #20

**Margaret R. Grundy Library** – 680 Radcliffe St. - 11am – 3pm #4 \*

**Margaret R. Grundy Museum** – 610 Radcliffe St. - Tour the first floor. The grounds will be open and hosting the HBD Tea and the Artists of Bristol. #4 \*

**St James Episcopal Church** – 225 Walnut St. - Church and Cemetery open to visitors. #19 \*

**St. Mark R.C. Church** – 1025 Radcliffe St. Open to visitors. #14

**Zion Lutheran Church** – 301 Jefferson Ave. - Historic Pipe Organ Exhibit to include a lecture on Casavant Organs, Silent Film and more. #2 \*

**FREE SHUTTLE SERVICE** \* indicates shuttle stop locations 10:00 am to 4 pm – Free Shuttle Service approximately every 15 minutes

**THE RIVER RUNNER** will be available 11:00am to 3pm with pick up & drop off on Radcliffe St. at Aqua Water Facility,

Grundy Library & Museum, St. Mark School Parking Lot.

**PARKING** is available at Mill Street Public Parking Lot, & Lenox, 1414 Radcliffe St \*

**Restroom** facilities will be located behind the Truist Bank (handicap accessible at 200 Radcliffe St., Mill Street parking lot, and Snyder-Girotti School, 450 Beaver St.

**In case of rain**, crafters and food vendors will be at SNYDER-GIROTTI SCHOOL.



## HISTORIC HOUSE TOURS and TEA . . . Ticket Required

Bristol is the oldest town in Bucks County. We invite you to tour two townhouses and two historic Funeral Homes. Tickets are available for purchase at the Information Tables on the corner of Radcliffe and Walnut Sts. (**17 on the map**) and the corner of Radcliffe and Market Sts. (**21 on the map**).

Ticket holders are also invited to the **TEA** from 11am to 3pm on the South Lawn of the Grundy Museum, to be held there for the first time. As you sip your tea, you'll enjoy harp solos by the celebrated Gloria Galante from 12:30 to 2:30. Tickets for the tea and the house tours are available for purchase here. If you wish to attend the tea only, there is a fee of \$2.00.



**House B. 16767 River View Circle** – not in walking distance

This townhome, owned by the daughter and son-in-law of the 16708 property has an open floor plan. The brick front matches the historic architecture of the Borough. There are hardwood floors throughout the first floor. There's a gourmet kitchen, with a large island that opens to the family room.

The owners pay homage to Grandparents Ginny and Russ DiMaggio. Their antique furniture will be proudly displayed, along with their Wedgewood collection. Artist Ginny's paintings will be showcased throughout.



**House C. 1002 Radcliffe Street** – Nutcracker display

The Wade Funeral Home is a beautifully restored Victorian-style mansion overlooking the Delaware River. The facility was originally constructed as a single-family home in 1877. Joseph Keim purchased the land from his parents for \$1 and the home was completed by 1884. The property changed hands several times but, in 1903, Clifford Anderson purchased the property. He operated the Patent Leather Company of Bristol until 1943. He served as a Bristol Councilman and later as Burgess. The next owner was William Murphy who used the first floor for a funeral home. In 1992, Michele and Mark Wade established the Wade Funeral Home and now their son, Luke, helps with this family-owned business.

**House D. 430 Radcliffe Street** – Barbie display

The exact year of construction is believed to have been between 1890 and 1894. The beach was frequently used for performing baptisms. Between 1908 and 1910, Dr. William LeCompte and his family lived in the residence until 1930. The house was then rented by Carl deGanahl, who served as the president of Fleetwing Aircraft, and resided in the home with his family until the mid-1940s. In 1946, Jennie Galzerano, the widow of Luigi Galzerano, purchased the property for their funeral home business. Three generations have continued to serve the community.



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## The 47th Annual Historic Bristol Day

*October 21, 2023 - 10AM to 4PM*



### **Come for the History, Stay for the Fun!**

Welcome to the 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Historic Bristol Day (HBD), sponsored by the Bristol Cultural and Historical Foundation (BCHF). Please enjoy all the activities we have planned throughout the day. We thank all our volunteers, partners, sponsors, and visitors who help make this day possible.

*Mary Gesualdi & Nick Rizzo, Event Co-Chairs*

## ***Special Highlights of the Day***

### ***First Ever Bristol Mural Arts Tour***

Don't miss out on the first ever Bristol Mural Arts Tours at 11:00 and 1:30. Get to know our town's stunning collection of murals by boarding a bus in front of the Riverside Theatre. Weave through our neighborhoods, getting up close and personal views of our outdoor art gallery. The tours will be docent-led. Participants will see all ten of Bristol's murals: including the newest and largest in Bucks County at Riverport Plaza @ Market. You'll have the opportunity to meet several of the muralists: Jean-Marc Dubus, Tony Napoli, and Jared Bader.

### ***Join the "Bristol Barbie" Contest on Facebook***

Here's how to join the fun! The "Bristol Barbie" contest is a celebration of diversity and individuality. Whether you're an artist, an athlete, a musician, or just someone with a passion for your community, this contest is for you.

#### **How to Participate:**

1. **\*\*Visit the Official "Bristol Barbie" Facebook Event:\*\*** Head over to our official Facebook event page, "Bristol Barbie 2023," and click "Join" to become a part of this community celebration.
2. **\*\*Take your photo\*\*** - **Stop by our Bristol Barbie Photo Booth, located at 430 Radcliffe St. (on the driveway of the Galzerano Funeral Home)** and strike a pose in our **"Barbie Box."**
3. **\*\*Share Your Photo:\*\*** It's time to show off! Submit the photo as a comment on the event post.
4. **\*\*Cast Your Vote:\*\*** Simply "like" and vote for your favorite "Bristol Barbie" contestant.
5. **\*\*Spread the Word:\*\*** Encourage your fellow Bristolians to join the event and support your journey.

**Prizes and Recognition:** The contestant with the most likes will be crowned the **"Bristol Barbie"** and will receive a \$50 cash prize. Voting ends on Oct. 27th. Winner named on Oct. 28th.



Special thanks to Bristol artist John Danks. John generously donated his painting to BCHF. He had captured the spirit and essence of the 2022 Bristol Day along the 200 block of Radcliffe Street. You can own this work of art by purchasing a raffle ticket from our Ways and Means table, on the corner of Radcliffe and Mulberry Sts. for \$1.00 each, 6 for \$5.00.



*Artist John Danks*