



HUNTERDON 300th SCAVANGER HUNT

JUST IN TIME FOR THE SEASON:

Family Friendly Fun Activities as you search the historic graveyards of Hunterdon County.

Choose one or more of our activity sheets (on the following pages) and **complete by November 6th** and you get a sur-prize at our follow up talk "**Hunterdon's Buried Past – Literally. Part II**" at 7 pm at the Main Branch of the County Library!



Visit us at www.hunterdon300th.org

ACTIVITY 1: FIND AND SEEK STICKERS

Biographies of the departed and activity sheet stickers can be found at the name underlined grave. Read also about and look for the graves of the **name bolded** individuals buried nearby in the same cemetery (cemetery locations are on the following page). See if you can find historian Theodore Bellis' name (other than at Prospect Hill).

1. Prospect Hill Cemetery -**Elizabeth (Bessie) Vosseller and family, Elizabeth (Bessie) Richardson Hopewell and family**, actor Peter Miller also buried here toward the top of the hill.
2. St Magdeline Cemetery (New)- Danny Federici from Bruce Springsteen's East Street Band
3. Case Cemetery- **Chief Tuccamirgan and John Philip Kase**
4. Flemington Presbyterian Church Cemetery- **Captain Henry Clay Hammond**, Civil War "loyal southerner" Maryland Cavalry- lichen covered headstone- really hard to read), **Slave Memorial, Flora and Jupiter** (Cemetery Tour Scheduled October 25th)
5. Cemetery at Clover Hill Park- **Waldron Family**
6. **Francis Geary's** Grave- off Rt 31, Cornet Way exit (lecture scheduled Nov 15th)
7. Pleasant Ridge Cemetery- **Captain John Schenck**
8. Amwell Ridge Cemetery (Larison Corner Cemetery AKA Amwell United First Presbyterian Cemetery)- **Johann Peter Rockefeller** and **Reverend Jacob Kirkpatrick**
For 6, 7 and 8, Check out Youtube: Hidden History America, David Deutsch
9. Mount Airy Cemetery (Second English Presbyterian Church Cemetery)- **David and Deborah Johnes and children** and Mount Airy Cemetery Annex- **Prime Moore**
10. Mount Hope Cemetery (St John's Parish Cemetery) - **Samuel Stryker** and family
11. Rosemont Cemetery- **Mary and Daniel Bray and servant Joseph**
12. Cherryville Baptist Cemetery (Mountainview)- **Hiram Deats'** graves (3 generations) and **Joseph Lawshe, John Kuglar Everitt, Hannah Johnson, James Buchanan, Douglas Volk, Ernst Olofson**

Post stickers you find there on the back of this page and return for the Nov 6th lecture at the Main Branch Library to collect your prize for participation. Please just take one sticker per cemetery. Level 2 prize for 5 stickers, level 1 for 10 stickers!

ACTIVITY 1 – CEMETERY LOCATIONS

1. Prospect Hill Cemetery, 69 Capner Street, Flemington
2. St Magdalen Cemetery (New), 94 N Main Street, Flemington
3. Case Burying Ground, 58 Bonnell Street, Flemington
4. Flemington Presbyterian Cemetery, 10 East Main St, Flemington
5. Clover Hill Park Waldron Family Burying Ground, 412 Three Bridges Rd, Raritan
6. Geary's Grave, 17 Geary Ridge Drive, Raritan (off Rt 31 Cornet Way exit)
7. Pleasant Ridge Cemetery (Old), 109 Old York Rd (Rt 514), Raritan
8. Amwell Ridge Cemetery, 191 Old York Rd (Rt 514), East Amwell
9. Mount Airy Cemetery and Annex, 39 Old York Rd (Rt 601), Delaware
10. Mount Hope Cemetery, 271 S Franklin St, Lambertville
11. Rosemont Cemetery, 107 Kingwood-Stockton Rd (Rt 519), Delaware
12. Cherryville Cemetery, 592 Rt 617, Franklin Twsp




HUNTERDON COUNTY

New Jersey

Road Classifications

-  Interstate Route
-  U.S. Route
-  State Route

Special Symbols

-  Hospital
-  Airport
-  Park



ACTIVITY 2: PHOTOGRAPH SUBMISSION

For the artists, photograph your favorite subject in any Hunterdon County cemetery. Win a prize for the best.

- Categories for prizes will include
 - Most interesting picture
 - Most artistic
 - Most elaborate headstone or monument

or Photograph (all entries to receive prize)

- Picture of (pick one)
 - Interesting epitaph
 - Skull and/or cross bone carvings
 - Green stone (serpentine or soapstone) predating 1900
 - Oldest headstone you can find and read

1 submission per person (include your Nov 6th lecture ticket # for identification purposes)

- Email your photos to 300info@co.hunterdon.nj.us by Oct 31
- Return for the November 6th lecture at the Main Branch Library, 314 State Route 12, Route 12 County Complex, Flemington with completed task to collect prize.

ACTIVITY 3: DO 3 OF 4 TASKS

In each of these include the name of the cemetery and names on the graves stones

Within a Cemetery:

1. Find veterans from 4 different wars- report names, cemetery and wars served
2. Find 2 or more spellings of the same last name
3. Identify a minister and family member
4. More than one family member dying in the same year (hint: often young mothers and their infants died within a few months of each other)

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