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## **June Happenings at the Manassas Museum**

City of Manassas, VA . . . The Manassas Museum features not only history, but great experiential learning with seminars, talks, tours and more.

### **Museum at the Market; Now through October 27; 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.; free**

Back for another season, the Museum at the Market offers free hands-on fun for all ages. Visit the museum tent at the Saturday Farmers' Market in the Prince William lot across from Baldwin Elementary School.

### **Historic Downtown Walking Tours; Now through October 20; Saturdays at 3 p.m.; free**

Learn about the origins of Manassas with a costumed interpreter-led tour through Historic Downtown. Wear comfortable shoes.

**Manassas Museum Exhibits: *Expanding Boundaries*:** Learn about the impact the Manassas Boys and Girls Club has on our community and the children it serves. ***Living the American Dream: Robert Portner, Immigrant, Entrepreneur, Philanthropist***; Both exhibits are featured now through September 16; free

### **Clean the Bay Day at Liberia; June 2; 9 a.m. – 12 Noon; free**

Each year on the first Saturday of June, thousands of Virginians simultaneously descend on the rivers, streams, and beaches of the Chesapeake Bay watershed to remove harmful litter and debris. Clean the Bay Day is a true Virginian tradition and an annual opportunity for families, military installations, businesses, clubs, civic and church groups to give back to local waterways.

### **Free Manassas Museum Book Talk with Author Garrett Peck on *Capital Beer*; June 3; 1:30**

Author and beer scholar Garrett Peck recounts the region's rich brewing history while introducing readers to the bold new brewers leading the capital's recent craft beer revival.

### **Stories of Preservation and Progress Speaker Series; June 13; 3 p.m.; free**

Hear Osbourn High School students talk about their experiences with *STEM* (science, technology, engineering and math).

**Comprehensive Plan Kickoff and Community Conversation on Land Use; June 19; 7 p.m.; Boys and Girls Club, 9501 Dean Park Lane**

Join in the conversation on the future of the City of Manassas and learn about the Comprehensive Plan update.

**Free Manassas Museum Book Talk with Author Mark Elliott Benbow on *The Nation's Capital Brewmaster: Christian Heurich and His Brewery, 1842-1956*; June 17; 1:30**

Learn about Christian Heurich, Washington D.C.'s most successful and oldest brewer, and the evolving beer industry before and after Prohibition.

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