



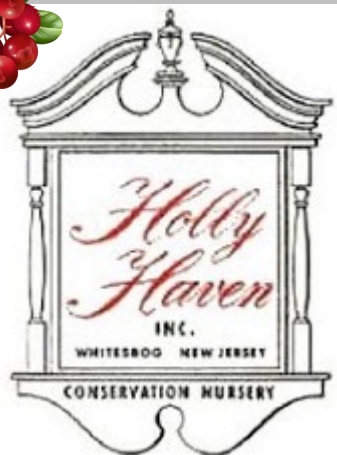
# WHITESBOG HISTORIC VILLAGE

JANUARY / FEBRUARY 2019



## Whitesbog Fun Fact!

Holly Haven Inc. is just part of the 60-year story in which Miss Elizabeth and J.J. White Inc. of Whitesbog learned how plants coexist with the acidic and infertile soils of the New Jersey Pine Barrens.



## Volunteer Service Days - Jan. 5th & Feb. 2nd / 10am-3pm

Come out and join our volunteers in outdoor or indoor projects in the village. You can choose from helping to clear trails, build kits, paint/stain benches and tidy garden beds or helping to organize supplies for events. Lunch is provided in the General Store classroom. Also, take time to enjoy the beautiful natural surroundings. Check our Facebook page for updates depending on the weather, some workdays are cancelled due to snow or ice.

## History Hikes - Jan. 5th & Feb. 2nd / 1pm

Stroll the Historic Village, learn about Whitesbog's role in history and visit Suningive, the worker's cottage and other museums, buildings and farm landscapes that speak to Whitesbog's heritage. \$5.00 donation/person, You can arrive at 12:30 - 1:00 to let the guide know you will be attending and pay the General Store shopkeeper your \$5.

Please check our facebook page for weather updates during winter months.

Feel free to check out a hiking trail, drive around the cranberry bogs, shop in the General Store or relax in a rocking chair on the porch!

History Hikes take place on the First Saturday of each month from 1-2 pm and meet in the General Store.

## 2019 Planning & Events Lunch Workshop - Jan. 5th / 12pm

Join us over lunch in the General Store to plan events for 2019, let us know what you would like to attend or participate in planning for the 2019 Season at Whitesbog! Bring your calendar and munch on snacks as we get a sneak peak at what's coming in 2019 and you can add your ideas and suggestions! Pizza, drinks, juice, snacks provided. Everyone is welcome.

As you read through our Events Newsletter see how many cranberry bunches you can spot through-out this addition. (Answer 8)

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## **Blueberry Music Jam - Jan. 6th & 20th / 11am-2pm**

Open to all to listen or play along, look for the group on the porch of the General Store or in the Barrel Factory, just down the road on the left. Starts at 11 am and continues until 2 pm. Visitors are free to drop in to listen anytime.

## **Moonlight Walk - Jan 13th, 19th & Feb. 16th / 7pm**

Come explore the village and the bogs by moon light, this special opportunity is scheduled on or as close to the full moon as possible. An experienced guide will share insights about Whitesbog and the nature that surrounds us. Meet your guide in the General Store before the start time. All walks are 3-5 miles in length. Dress weather appropriate. Reservations are requested by calling and leaving your name, phone number and number of participants at 609-893-4646, the walk is \$5/person

## **Tundra Swan Winter Bird Walk - Jan 19th / 9am**

Explore the wonderful winter birding trails at Whitesbog with Patty and Bernie! We will look out for Tundra Swans, found each winter on the reservoirs. Bundle up and enjoy a hot beverage in the General Store when you return!  
Bring binoculars, camera or pick up a Family Trail Pack in the store, available for loan.

## **MLK Day of Service - Jan. 21st / 10am-2pm**

Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service across the country! Come out to Whitesbog and join in with other volunteers from the community, in service projects in several buildings and outside on the trails. Inside of the General Store we will have hot drinks, water, juice, snack as well as pizza for lunch. We provide work gloves, but if you have a pair you like, feel free to bring them. We recommend you dress for the weather and in things that can get a bit dirty.

Projects include: Assembling, building, painting, organizing, clearing trails, pruning, collecting pine needles for mulching the gardens, General Store cleaning and putting fabric toppers on jams, dusting, vacuuming in Suningive, organizing supplies, clearing out old boxes, boxing files, moving cabinets and more! We will have tasks for little ones and lots for adults to work on.

## **Blueberry Music Jam - Feb. 3rd & 17th / 11am-2pm**

Open to all to listen or play along, look for the group on the porch of the General Store or in the Barrel Factory, just down the road on the left. Starts at 11 am and continues until 2 pm. Visitors are free to drop in to listen anytime.

## **Heart Bombing - Feb. 13th / 10am-11am**

Show your love of old buildings and Whitesbog Historic Village! We will craft heart bombs (paper hearts to lovingly attach to buildings, take pictures and post to social media) to share our love of preservation and old structures!  
We will have all of the supplies, paper, scissors, markers, tape, garland and more for you to craft with. Meet us at the General Store and we will craft, then fan out to the buildings for pictures! We will have hot beverages and snacks, great for all ages to get in on the fun! Check out [#heartbomb](#) for more examples

Save The Date:

Saturday, June 22 & Sunday, June 23rd - 36th Annual Blueberry Festival



*“Whitesbog is a true gem hidden in Browns Mills, NJ!!”*

*- Anonymous*

