

**Sampler Series Lecture  
Wednesday  
November 1, 2017**

**Museum of the American  
Revolution:  
The Making of the Museum  
From Concept to Creation**

Join R. Scott Stephenson, the Museum's Vice President for Collections, Exhibitions and Programming, for a look at this new historic institution and how it has become a must-see Philadelphia destination since its April 19<sup>th</sup> opening.

Featuring George Washington's dramatic field tent and a re-creation of the Battle of the Brandywine, the new Museum is also known for its inclusive and exciting views of the War for Independence, as well as its grounding in scholarship.

As he talks about "The Making of the Museum," Scott will take us behind the scenes at this vibrant institution and give us an insider's look at what it is and how it came to be.

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**Reception 6 pm  
Lecture 7 pm  
\$35 per person**

**Recent Acquisitions**

In mid-July, Primitive Hall was the successful bidder on a group of nine Delaware Valley slat-back chairs (c.1750-1800), now on the Hall's second floor. The six chairs and two armchairs are especially meaningful since they came from the estate of the late George "Frolic" Weymouth, who was for many years on the Primitive Hall Advisory Board.

We also had another significant acquisition: a charger and three pewter porringers attributed to craftsman Simon Pennock (1781-1868). They were the generous gifts of Debi Pennock-Petratis and Christopher Pennock.

As well, Baz Powell and family have given the Hall a 1681 land indenture (a document signed and sealed by William Penn) for 2500 acres that became half of Joseph Pennock's holdings.

**Pennock Reunion**

In July, Pennock family members from across the country gathered at the Hall to celebrate their heritage. They also toured the London Grove Meeting and heard a lecture by historian and Board member Mark Myers.

**Summer Concert**

For the third year, balladeer Charlie Zahm and fiddler Tad Marks treated families and friends to an August afternoon concert of great music in the beautiful Walnut Grove.

**Tour News**

Primitive Hall docents continue to provide tours of the Hall. You can inquire about scheduling a tour at [PrimitiveHallTours@gmail.com](mailto:PrimitiveHallTours@gmail.com). There is also more information on our website, [PrimitiveHall.org](http://PrimitiveHall.org).

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***1. The Making of the Museum:  
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R. Scott Stephenson  
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\_\_\_\_\_ tickets @ \$ 35 = \_\_\_\_\_

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