

RYE HISTORICAL SOCIETY AND TOWN MUSEUM

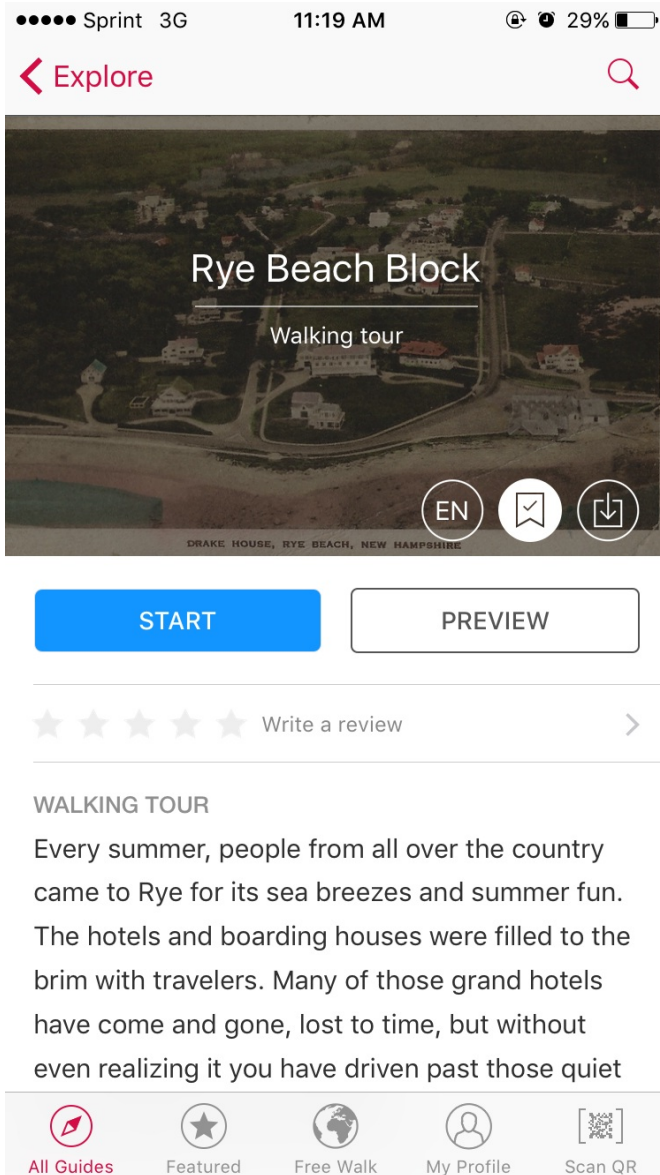


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Summer Museum Hours
start Saturday, May 5

Open
Wednesdays 3-5
Saturdays 10-12

Always open by request



Introducing the Rye Beach History Walking Tour App

**Sunday May 20th 2 PM
Rye Public Library**

Jen King, an independent contractor for RHS, presented her preliminary findings for her Rye Beach walking tour app in August 2017. This well attended RHS event yielded much useful information from Rye residents and now the tour app is complete. It is in the form of a free, down loadable app and it will be presented in a special public program on Sunday, May 20th at 2 PM at the Rye Public Library. RHS is grateful to the Toohey family for making this project possible, yet another way in which RHS has brought our town's history to light. We encourage others who might have an interest in developing further walking tours to contact

us to present their thoughts.

On display at the event - Summer on the Beach - *Vintage Swimwear from the Museum Collection*



**The Rye History
Trolley Tours
Start on
Memorial Day
10:30am
Rye Library
Parking Lot**

Our trolley tour season starts just after the Memorial Day Parade with an intriguing look at various historical locations in Rye. Hear Rye stories and explore our rich history from the comfort of a trolley, then disembark at locations for an up close look and more historical anecdotes and facts.

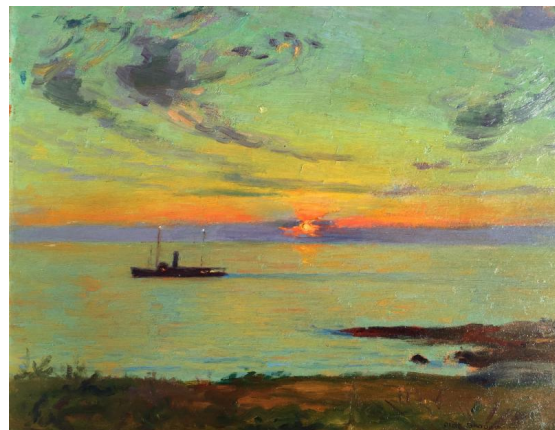
Registration is required and seating is limited!
The tour leaves from the Rye Public Library Parking Lot
plan to arrive by 10:15 AM
\$20 per person \$18 for over 65 and under 18

Reservations by e-mail only: info@ryenhistoricalociety.org
Give name, # in party and telephone contact

***The Town Museum will be open at 10am
for those who want to visit after the town events
and open after the trolley tour***

2018 Programming Season Off to a Great Start!

On April 18th, we had a fabulous turnout for "American Impressionism on the Seacoast and Shoals" a presentation by Doug Nelson of Ledges Gallery about the art and artists of our area and their impact on the Impressionist movement.



Many thanks, Doug!

And many thanks to all who attended, joined the RHS or renewed their membership!



St. Andrews, Rye, New Hampshire - 1910

SAVE THE DATE

June 3, 3 pm
Guided Historical
Tour of
St. Andrew's-by-
the-Sea
Rye Beach

*Learn the history of this iconic Rye landmark
Free and open to the public*

The First Four Hundred Rye, New Hampshire 1623 - 2023

Join the RHS Effort to Plan the Celebration of Odiorne 1623

We are looking for people with passion, time, and all types of talents to help us plan around the following subjects:

- History
- Education
- Faith
- Community and Government
- Arts, Artisans, and Literature
- Farming, Fishing, and Food
- The Businesses of Rye
- PR/Marketing, and Membership Development
- The Isles of Shoals

If you would like to volunteer, if you have great ideas for us to consider, or if you have a recommendation of someone who might make a good volunteer, please contact Odiorne 1623 committee chair Janet Clarkson Davis at janet@clarksondavis.com or 214-794-4942. or write to RHS at: info@ryenhistoricalociety.org or call 603 997 6742.

Volunteer Administrative Help Needed

Are you organized and computer literate, looking for a meaningful way to give back to your community? Do you have a few hours available each week or two that you could devote to the RHS? Then WE NEED YOU!

The RHS is currently seeking administrative help with emails, donations and general office work. Any hourly commitment would be greatly appreciated. A bonus: you will receive a membership to the RHS after 6 hours of volunteer work.

If interested please email info@ryenhhistoricalsociety.org

Is Your House Special? Tell Us Why!

Be a part of an exciting program at RHS - the Rye "House of the Month". Each month a different house or road will be **featured on our newsletter as well as in Rye Magazine.**

Is your house or road historic and of special interest to the community?

If so, please contact us to enter this month's competition. Don't know much about your house but you know it's significant? **We can help you do the research!**

Email us TODAY at info@ryenhhistoricalsociety.org

Share The History of Your Home with a Historic House Plaque



Many Rye homes, business and public buildings are adorned with these handsome plaques. The cost of a plaque is \$85.

If you would like one for your home to add to the heritage of the town, house plaque applications may be picked up at the Rye library on the coffee table (behind the RHS brochures).

Check and application may be mailed to PO Box 583, Rye, NH 03870 or left in our mailbox by the front door of the museum.



Summer Hours in Effect for May - October

The Rye Historical Society's Museum is open most Wednesdays 3-5pm and Saturdays 10-12

Always by request - please call for an appointment 603-997-6742 or email us at info@ryenhhistoricalsociety.org

10 Olde Parish Road, Rye, NH 03870

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