

Grafton Historical Society Programs for 2025-2026

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<p><i>First Friday Teas</i> 1–3 PM ☼ FREE Grafton Historical Society</p>	<p>2025: September 5th, October 3rd, November 7th</p> <p>2026: January 2nd, March 6th and June 5th</p>
<p><i>Coffee & Discussion</i> Sunday September 21, 2025 10AM-12PM ☼ FREE Grafton Historical Society</p>	<p>Coffee and Discussion 1920's theme.</p> <p>We're bringing our Sunday Coffee and Discussion groups back to the museum! Join us for a discussion about the 1920s. Bring your memorabilia, pictures and feel free to wear 1920s apparel. We will serve hot coffee and snacks.</p>
<p><i>History in Bloom</i> Saturday, October 4, 2025 & Sunday, October 5, 2025 1–4PM ☼ FREE Grafton Historical Society</p>	<p>History in Bloom 2025</p> <p>The Grafton Garden Club members will highlight twelve bridal gowns from the society's collection with lovely fresh floral bouquets for History in Bloom 2025. This free presentation will be open to the public from 1–4 PM both Saturday and Sunday.</p>
<p><i>Early Road & Trails of Massachusetts</i> Thursday November 13, 2025 6:30-7:45PM ☼ FREE Grafton Public Library Reading Room</p>	<p>Early Roads and Trails of Massachusetts with John Horrigan Co-Sponsored by The Grafton Public Library</p> <p>Join us for a presentation about early roads and trails in Massachusetts. The presenter will be historian and folklorist John Horrigan, host and co-creator of the five-time Emmy award winning television show The Folklorist.</p>
<p><i>Grafton Celebrates the Holidays ☼ FREE</i> Sunday, December 7, 2025 See details regarding times and Locations</p>	<p>Grafton Celebrates the Holidays</p> <p>Warm up with some hot tea and snacks at the Grafton Historical Society Museum from 1-3PM, 71 Main St OR Visit local historians at the Community Harvest Barn 12-3:30PM at 37 Wheeler Road. Maps, book and ornaments for sale at either location.</p>
<p><i>Coffee & Discussion</i> Sunday January 11, 2026 10-12PM ☼FREE Grafton Historical Society</p>	<p>Coffee and Discussion Group</p> <p>Join us for discussions about the good times with classmates from 1970-1980. Bring your high school memorabilia, pictures and all of great the memories!</p>

<i>Special Valentine's Tea</i> Saturday, February 14, 2026 2–4PM ☎ FREE Grafton Historical Society	Special Valentine Tea Enjoy a cup of freshly brewed tea and homemade pastries served with fresh fruit and cheese will be yours to enjoy as we tell the story of how Valentines first came to America. Reservations are a must. Call 508-839-0000 and leave a clear message.
<i>Hat Making Demonstration</i> Sunday, March 22, 2026 2–4PM ☎ FREE Grafton Historical Society <i>Snow Date March 29</i>	Hat Making Demonstration with Lady Salisbury Join us to learn about the intricate work that goes into hat making through the eras with Donna Vanderbeek. Donna creates fine handmade Millinery and owns local business “Lady Salisbury” on Grafton Common. We are excited to have her unique and elegant hats on display for this program.
<i>Annual Meeting & Awards Ceremony</i> Friday, May 1, 2026 5:30PM Location TBD	Annual Meeting & Awards Ceremony Join us as we review the highlights of the year, and honor members who have helped us keep Grafton History alive with special awards for their service. Guest speaker, historian, Richard Gardner will portray Luke Drury, who was a member of the Grafton Malicia and held many political roles in town in the mid 1700's.
<i>Interactive Exhibit</i> Sat May 16 & Sunday, May 17, 2026 2–4PM ☎ FREE Grafton Historical Society	Interactive Exhibit with Grafton High School Students Grafton High School students will create an interactive exhibit at the museum. This will be the culminating presentation of the students' hard work, making artifacts viewable to the public.
<i>58th Annual Antique & Arts Fair</i> Saturday, June 20, 2026 9AM–3PM Grafton Common	58th Annual Antiques and Arts Fair A wide variety of vendors and demonstrators will be on Grafton Common for your shopping pleasure. You will find an appraisal booth, food & music also.

We have moved our little Bank days to the FALL of 2026 which will appear on the NEXT program schedule!