



# Homeschool Day 2023: Up to the Challenge? Thursday, September 28, 2023 10 am to 3 pm

The Shakers faced many challenges in their long history and found creative ways to solve them. In that spirit, we've designed a set of challenges for our Homeschool friends to exercise your creative juices and learn about the Shakers.

Challenges include:

- Find the Shaker rainbow
- Create a toy or a tool from recycled materials
- Recreate a Shaker photo
- Play Shaker Boggle
- "Shake it off" in the Shaker Dance-a-thon (11:30 am)
- Run the Pasture Quarter-mile
- And more . . . .

While you are here, visit with our farm animals, see the water turbine demonstration, watch our blacksmiths at work, and explore the rest of our historic Village.

Start your visit in the Visitor Center to get your tickets and visit the Homeschool Day welcome table. Make a name tag and pick up your Challenge packet!

Details:

- Homeschool Day is rain-or-shine.
- Most activities are self-guided. HSV staff will be on hand throughout the Village to chat and answer questions.
- Unless otherwise noted, activities are available from 10 am until 3 pm. The Village closes at 5 pm.
- Bring a lunch or eat at the Village's café, BB's Hot Spot. The Village has designated indoor and outdoor eating areas for picnics. *Please do not eat within the historic Village.*
- ADMISSION: Children 12 and under on Homeschool Day (and on family visits throughout the year) are free. Discounted admission for Homeschool youth and adults is \$5 for youth ages 13-17 (discounted from \$8) and \$17 for adults (discounted from \$20). Hancock Shaker Village members and NARM card holders are admitted for free. Library passes and EBT cardholder discounts may be used for this program. Discounts cannot be combined.
- Pre-registration/pre-payment is not required. Want to let us know you are coming? Click [here](#) to RSVP.
- Questions? 413-443-0188 x213.