

2025 Calendar of Events

February

15 Sat Flea Market - \$5 per person, Ages 10 & under free. Vendor Space \$45; Rain Date February 16th. 8am-2pm

March

8 Sat Flea Market - \$5 per person, Ages 10 & under free. Vendor Space \$45; Rain Date March 9th. 8am-2pm

23 Sun "Beyond the Counter" Adult Craft Workshop – Tea Tasting, located in General Store, \$25 per person Must Register Online. 2pm-4pm

April

5 Sat Flea Market - \$5 per person, Ages 10 & under free. Vendor Space \$45; Rain Date April 6th. 8am-2pm

5 Sat OPENING DAY IN THE VILLAGE! 11am-4pm

6 Sun "Beyond the Counter" Adult Craft Workshop – Desktop Tree of Life, located in General Store, \$25 per person. Must Register Online. 2pm-4pm

12 Sat Easter Celebration – 2 Days! Tickets \$10 per person (ages 3 & up). 11am-4pm

19 Sat Collect eggs, entertainment, live animals scavenger hunt, crafts & more! 11am-4pm

20 Sun Easter Sunrise Service at the Allaire Chapel (Free, donations always welcome). **Village Closed.** 6:30am

26 Sat Annual Allaire 5K Beer Run – register online 12pm-4pm

27 Sun History Kids Club – Basket Weaving (ages 5 through 12) \$12 per person, must register online. 1pm-3pm

Fri-Sun General Admission Days (NON Event Days) - \$5 per person (4 years and up) Village Buildings, Historic Homes, Retail Shops OPEN; 19th Century trade demos & tours. 11am-4pm



May

2 Fri Home School Day! - \$10 per person (ages 5 & Up) Experience life as a child in the 1830's at Allaire. 11am-4pm

4 Sun "Beyond the Counter" Adult Craft Workshop – Victorian Shell Boxes Located in General Store, \$25 per person. Must Register Online. 2pm-4pm

4 Sun History Kids Club – Tinsmithing (ages 5 through 12) \$12 per person, must register online. 1pm-3pm

10 Sat Flea Market - \$5 per person, Ages 10 & under free. Vendor Space \$45; Rain Date May 11th. 8am-2pm

17 Sat Spring Craft & Vendor Show \$5 per person (ages 10 & up); Vendor space \$95; must pre-register. Rain Date May 18th. 10am-4pm

24 Sat Antique & Vintage Show, \$5 per Adult, Ages 10 & under free. Rain date May 25th. 8am-2pm

26 Mon **Memorial Day – Village Closed** Fri-Sun General Admission Days (NON Event Days) - \$5 per person (4 years and up) Village Buildings, Historic Homes, Retail Shops OPEN; 19th Century trade demos & tours. 11am-4pm

June

7 Sat Allaire Arts Festival in Collaboration with The Art Society of Monmouth County, \$6 per person, Ages 10 & under free, Rain date June 8th. 11am-4pm

8 Sun "Beyond the Counter" Adult Craft Workshop – Quilling, located in General Store, \$25 per person. Must Register Online. 2pm-4pm

14 Sat Flea Market - \$5 per person, Ages 10 & under free. Vendor Space \$45; Rain Date June 15th. 8am-2pm

22 Sun History Kids Club – Nature Walk (ages 5 through 12) \$12 per person, must register online. 1pm-3pm

28 Sat Ducky Derby! – Rubber Duck races down the millpond. 2 Days of Fun! 11am-4pm each day

& 29 Sun Races every ½ hour, animals, scavenger hunt & more! \$10 per person ages 4 and older. Fri-Sun General Admission Days (NON Event Days) - \$5 per person (4 years and up) Village Buildings, Historic Homes, Retail Shops OPEN; 19th Century trade demos & tours. 11am-4pm

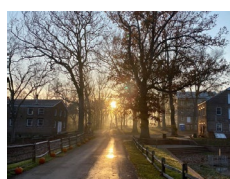


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July

3 Thurs Antique American Flag Display, Chapel – FREE OF CHARGE 11am-4pm

4 Fri **4th of July! – Village Closed** 5 & 6 Sat/Sun Antique American Flag Display, Chapel – FREE OF CHARGE Donations appreciated. 11am-4pm

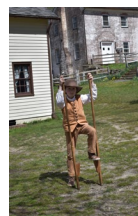
12 Sat Flea Market - \$5 per person, Ages 10 & under free. Vendor Space \$45; Rain Date July 13th. 8am-2pm

13 Sun "Beyond the Counter" Adult Craft Workshop – Making & Tasting Fruit Shrubs, located in General Store, \$25 per person. Must Register Online. 2pm-4pm

13 Sun History Kids Club – Paint your own YO-YO/Spinning Top (ages 5 through 12) \$12 per person, must register online. 1pm-3pm

19 Sat James P. Allaire's Birthday, \$5 per person ages 4 & up 11am-4pm

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August

16 Sat Flea Market - \$5 per person, Ages 10 & under free. Vendor Space \$45; Rain Date August 17th. 8am-2pm

17 Sun "Beyond the Counter" Adult Craft Workshop – Foil Coil Baskets, located in General Store, \$25 per person Must Register Online. 2pm-4pm

17 Sun History Kids Club – Bog Iron Hunt – Dress for Wading in Water (ages 5 through 12) \$12 per person, must register online. 1pm-3pm

24 Sun 30th Annual Rolling Iron Antique Auto Show! Show cars \$20 Pre-Registration; \$25 Day of Registration; Public Admission \$5 per car. Rain Date: September 7th 9am-2pm

30 Sat Antique & Vintage Show, \$5 per Adult, Ages 10 & under free. Rain date: August 31st. 8am-2pm

Fri-Sun General Admission Days (NON Event Days) - \$5 per person (4 years and up) Village Buildings, Historic Homes, Retail Shops OPEN; 19th Century trade demos & tours. 11am-4pm

September

1 Mon **Labor Day – Village Closed**

7 Sat "Beyond the Counter" Adult Craft Workshop – Tussie Mussie Paper Flowers, located in General Store, \$25 per person. Must Register Online. 2pm-4pm

7 Sun History Kids Club – Leather making bookmarks & bracelets (ages 5 through 12) \$12 per person, must register online. 1pm-3pm

10 Wed Home School Day! \$10 per person (ages 5 & Up) Experience life as a child in the 1830's at Allaire. 11am-4pm

13 Sat Flea Market - \$5 per person, Ages 10 & under free. Vendor Space \$45; Rain Date September 14th. 8am-2pm

20 Sat Fall Harvest Festival Weekend – 2 Fun Days! Admission: \$10 per adult, \$5 per child (ages 4 thru 12 years.) 50 Vendors, Entertainment, Pie Baking Contests & more! 11am-4pm each day

27 Sat Fall Craft & Vendor Show \$5 per person (ages 10 & up); Vendor space \$95; must pre-register. Rain Date September 28th. 10am-4pm

27 Sat The Legend of Sleepy Hollow by Neill Hartley - 2 Shows, Live performance in the Chapel. 6pm & 7:30pm

Fri-Sun General Admission Days (NON Event Days) - \$5 per person (4 years and up) Village Buildings, Historic Homes, Retail Shops OPEN; 19th Century trade demos & tours. 11am-4pm

October

4 Sat Flea Market - \$5 per person, Ages 10 & under free. Vendor Space \$45; Rain Date October 5th. 8am-2pm

10, 11 Fri/Sat Halloween "Night of Frights" Adult \$20, Child (ages 4-12) \$15 6pm-9pm

12 Sun Allaire Ghost Tours - \$50 per person – only ages 12 & up Two tour times available. 6pm & 8pm

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24, 25 Fri/Sat Halloween "Night of Frights" Adult \$20, Child (ages 4-12) \$15 6pm-9pm

26 Sun All Hallows' Eve Halloween Trick-or-Treating - Pumpkin Carving Contest, Entertainment, Scavenger Hunt, Crafts & More! 11am-4pm

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November

7,8 Fri/Sat "Stocking Stuffer" Sponsored by Allaire Village Auxiliary 10am-3pm

8 Sat Flea Market - \$5 per person, Ages 10 & under free. Vendor Space \$45; Rain Date November 9th. 8am-2pm

9 Sun "Stocking Stuffer" Sponsored by Allaire Village Auxiliary 12pm-3pm

9 Sun "Beyond the Counter" Adult Craft Workshop – Making Christmas Putz Houses, located in General Store, \$25 per person. Must Register Online. 2pm-4pm

9 Sun History Kids Club – Making Sachets & Pomanders (ages 5 through 12) \$12 per person, must register online. 1pm-3pm

15 Sat Holiday Craft & Vendor Show \$5 per person (ages 10 & up); Vendor space \$95; must pre-register. Rain Date November 16th. 10am-3pm

23 Sun Day of Thanks! \$5 per person (ages 4 and up) 11am-3pm

Fri-Sun General Admission Days (NON Event Days) - \$5 per person (4 years and up) Village Buildings, Historic Homes, Retail Shops OPEN; 19th Century trade demos & tours. 11am-4pm

December

Christmas Events TBA
Gerald Charles Dickens – A Christmas Carol
Christmas at Allaire
Holiday Evening Strolls
VIP Lantern Tours



All EVENT ticketing and event registration must be purchased through Allaire Village's Eventbrite or at the website allairevillage.org (click the "EVENTS" tab). All pricing, dates, times & events are subject to change. All ticket sales are final. No refunds, exchanges, or transfers. Events are held rain or shine unless otherwise announced. No event day purchases will occur if event is sold out.

For more information, call the Village Office at 732-919-3500, visit allairevillage.org, or visit our Facebook Page (The Historic Village at Allaire).

James Peter Allaire

James Peter Allaire, a well-known Iron manufacturer and marine engine builder, was born in Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia on July 12, 1785. Originally from New York the family moved to Canada during the American Revolution because of his father's loyalist views.

The Allaire family returned to New York and by 1806, having learned the brass manufacturing business, James P. Allaire opened his own foundry. From 1816 to 1851 he operated the largest marine engine building shop in the United States at his Allaire Works in New York City. He owned and established a line of steamships that traveled up the Hudson as well as a line down to Shrewsbury, NJ in the 1830s. In addition, he established and owned the majority interest in a steam packet line to Charleston, SC. He was also the inventor and patentee of an improvement on steam boilers, which was widely used all over the world.

The Howell Works

In 1822 James P. Allaire purchased the property we now call Allaire and operated the Howell Iron Works Company. Its purpose was to ensure a source of iron for his New York City steam engine works, known as the Allaire Works. Over the next few years many improvements were made at the Howell Works including a carpenter/pattern maker shop, blacksmith shop, bakery, gristmill, workers' homes, a boarding house, mills to finish iron products, a school, a chapel and a general store with a post office.

The Howell Works thrived during the period 1822 to 1846. James P. Allaire retired in 1851 and moved to the Howell Works spending his remaining years at the site (now called The Historic Village at Allaire) until his death in 1858.

Hours of Operation

Village Craft Shops and Historic Homes

January, February, March, and December
Open for Special Events Only

April through December:
Friday to Sunday 11am to 4pm
Free Admission on Friday
\$5 Admission on Sat/Sun

General Store & Bakery

January through March:
Open for Special Events Only
April through December:
Friday-Sunday 11am to 4pm

Special openings for General Store (hours and days) for group tours only, as scheduled.

General Admission Days

\$5 per person (ages 4 & up)

Special Events - Admission Price Varies



Visit Historical Exhibits throughout the year in the Enameling Building known as the Arthur Brisbane Continuing Education Center and in the Row House Village Museum.

Volunteer Opportunities!

Call 732.919.3500, ext. 19

Internship Opportunities!

Call 732.919.3500, ext. 11

Location

The Historic Village at Allaire is located within Allaire State Park
4263 Atlantic Avenue
Farmingdale, NJ 07727

From the Garden State Parkway, take exit 98 and follow the signs for I-195 West. From I-195 take Exit 31B. Proceed to the first traffic light and turn right. Proceed one mile and the entrance to Allaire will be on your right.



Become a Member of The Historic Village at Allaire!

Take advantage of the special benefits and incentives only for members.
Call 732.919.3500, ext. 13 or go to allairevillage.org under the Membership Tab.

School & Group Tours

Call 732.919.3500, ext. 14

Special Needs Group Tours

Call 732-919-3500 ext. 19

Chapel Weddings, Memorials, Baptisms, Christenings & Special Ceremonies!

Call 732.919.3500, ext. 16

Sponsorship Opportunities!

Get exposure from over 500,000 people a year who visit the park!
Call 732.919.3500, ext. 13

Support the Village!

Allaire Village focuses on history, research, and the opportunity to bring these things together for people to enjoy. The village has an amazing atmosphere and gorgeous scenery all while continuing the legacy of history in New Jersey.

The Historic Village at Allaire (aka Allaire Village Inc.) is a registered 501(c)3 nonprofit organization, licensed by the State of New Jersey to operate and manage the historic district located within Allaire State Park. Allaire Village Inc. relies on donations, memberships, grants and fundraising events to help fulfill its mission of preserving the history and educating the public about this historic site. To donate, please go to allairevillage.org under the "Donate Tab" or call 732.919.3500, ext. 13. Donations are tax-deductible. Thank you!

Let's Get Social!



The Historic Village at Allaire



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The Historic Village at Allaire



(Located within Allaire State Park)

Celebrating the life & times of James P. Allaire & the people at his Howell Iron Works Company in the 1830s!

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