

The Weekend In Old Monmouth tour is organized into four segments to provide a manageable order for a large number of sites. The four are: **ORANGE** or North, **BLUE** or East, **GREEN** or South and **BROWN** or West. Visitors may see the sites in any order or find convenient ways to switch from one tour to another.

ORANGE TOUR BEGINNING

**1 Keyport Steamboat Dock Museum
Two Broad Street
Keyport, NJ**

Leaving GSP Exit 117, go to Hwy. 36 East. Turn left on Broad St. via jug handle. Follow Broad to end. Museum faces harbor on American Legion Drive. Lot is adjacent to museum. If going west on Hwy. 36, turn right on Broad St.; if driving on Hwy. 35, turn on Broad, either right if traveling north or via jug handle if traveling south.

**2 Burrowes Mansion Museum
94 Main Street
Matawan, NJ**

Right Turn from lot, proceed .5 mile south on Broad St. to Maple Pl., which is also CR 516, turn right. Follow course of CR 516 which includes short segments on West 4th St. (after .5mile) and Broadway. Turn right on Maple Pl., which turns into Main St.; go 1.2 miles to #94.

**3 Historic Longstreet Farm
44 Longstreet Road
Holmdel, NJ**

Proceed south (right with the Burrowes Mansion to your back) to Rt. 34, turn left, proceed south 3.8 miles to Roberts Rd. Turn left on Roberts Rd., proceed 0.9 mile to Longstreet Rd., turn left. Farm entrance ahead on left.

**4 Holmes-Hendrickson House
Longstreet & Roberts Roads
Holmdel**

Turn left on leaving the farm. The house is a short distance ahead on the left.

**5 Dr. Robert W. Cooke's Medical Office
67 Mc Campbell Road
Holmdel, NJ**

Left from lot .4 mile to light at Crawfords Corner-Everett Rd.; turn right follow Crawfords Corner-Everett Rd. 3.1 miles to McCampbell Rd., turn right and go .5 mile to #27 on left. The adjacent Village School parking lot is left of Cooke's.

**6 Joseph Murray Farmhouse at Poricy Park
345 Oak Hill Road
Middletown, NJ**

Right from lot to stop sign at Crawfords Corner-Everett Rd.; Turn right, go .2 mile to West Front St., turn left; go 1.1 miles to light at Middletown-Lincroft Rd., turn left; go 2.1 miles to light at Oak Hill Rd., turn right; go .8 mile to park entrance just before second railroad tracks; drive through parking lot to unpaved driveway downhill to house; park around circle.

**7 Old First Church (Middletown Baptist)
69 Kings Highway
Middletown, NJ**

Turn left out of the driveway to Oak Hill Road, go 0.8 mile to second light, turn right on Middletown-Lincroft Road, go 1.5 miles to stop sign; turn right on King Highway go 0.1 mile to church lot on left.

**8 Marlpit Hall & Taylor-Butler House
137 & 127 Kings Highway
Middletown, NJ**

Turn right on Kings Highway, go 0.5 mile to lot of Village School adjacent to Marlpit Hall.

**9 Seabrook-Wilson House
719 Port Monmouth Road
Middletown, NJ**

Turn right on Kings Hwy. becomes Harmony Rd. after 1 mile; cross Hwy. 35. Go another .8 mile to light at Cherry Tree Farm Rd., turn right; go .7 mile to light at Wilson Ave., turn left on Wilson, go 2 miles to end at Port Monmouth Rd.; turn left; lot is on right.

**10 Strauss Mansion Museum
27 Prospect Circle
Atlantic Highlands, NJ**

Return to Wilson Ave., go 1.1 miles to light at Hgy 36, turn left. Go about 3.6 miles to jug-handle at First Ave. for left turn. Cross Hwy. 36, go .3 mile to E. Mount Ave., turn right; go .3 mile to top of hill; mansion is on the right.

**11 All Saints Memorial Church
202 Navesink Avenue
Navesink Section, Middletown, NJ**

Go down hill .3 mile to First Avenue, turn left; go .3 mile to Hwy. 36, turn left. Go .6 miles, make slight right on Valley Drive (before shopping center); go .6 mile to Navesink Avenue, turn left; Church lot is on the left.

**12 Twin Lights Lighthouse
198 Lighthouse Road
Highlands, NJ**

Turn left from church lot, go .9 mile on Navesink Ave, bearing right on Hwy. 36 (before light); go 1.3 miles east on Hwy. 36, turning right on Highland Ave. just before bridge. Go about .1 mile to left turn on Lighthouse Rd.; follow up hill to parking lot.

**13 Sandy Hook Lighthouse & Fort Hancock
84 Mercer Road
Middletown, NJ**

Proceed down hill to Highland Ave., turn left towards Hwy. 36, merge on to Hwy. 36 East to cross bridge. Turn right to Sandy Hook's Ocean Ave. Go about 4.5 miles. Look for signs for lighthouse and fort parking.

ORANGE TOUR END

BLUE TOUR BEGINNING

**14 First Presbyterian Church
Four East River Road
Rumson, NJ**

The tour begins on a prominent County road in a major population center. If starting from the GSP, use exit 109, go 0.5 mile north on Half Mile Road (turning left to cross under Parkway if traveling south) to second light. Turn right on West Front Street. Go about 5.1 miles, passing through Red Bank (where Front Street becomes River Road) & Fair Haven; turn left at church just beyond light.

**15 Seabright Lawn Tennis & Cricket Club
5 Tennis Court Lane
Rumson, NJ**

Turn right on River Road, go to traffic light, turn left on Bingham Avenue, go 1.2 miles to stop sign on Rumson Road. Turn left on Rumson Road, go 0.9 mile; turn left on Tennis Court Lane.

**16 Shrewsbury Historical Museum
Municipal Complex, 419 Sycamore Avenue
Shrewsbury, NJ**

**17 Allen House
400 Sycamore Avenue
Shrewsbury, NJ**

**18 Friends Meeting House
375 Sycamore Avenue
Shrewsbury, NJ**

**19 Christ Church
380 Sycamore Avenue
Shrewsbury, NJ**

At stop sign, turn right on Rumson Road, go 4 miles to Branch Avenue. Turn left at light; at about 0.8 mile, Branch curves right, becomes Sycamore Avenue; go about another 1.2 miles, crossing railroad, approaching Highway 35 (Broad Street). There is parking at any of the sites on the historic four corners.

**20 Eatontown Museum
75 Broad Street
Eatontown, NJ**

Go south on Hwy. 35 (turning left if on east side sites or right if at west side of Hwy. 35 sites). Go about 1.4 miles to Lewis Street to cross highway by making turn for Hwy. 71 East, also known as Broad St. Follow signs, turning left to approach intersection; Cross Hwy. 35; go about 0.2 mile. House is on the left.

**21 Eden Woolley House
703 Deal Road
Ocean, NJ**

Return to Hwy. 35, turn left to proceed south on Hwy. 35. Go about 4 miles. Turn left on Deal Road via jug handle. Go about 0.3 mile to left turn lane just beyond light. Turn left.

BLUE TOUR END

GREEN TOUR BEGINNING

**22 National Guard Militia Museum
Sea Girt Avenue & Camp Drive
Sea Girt, NJ**

If entering Monmouth County from the south, leave Garden State Parkway at Exit 98 to I-195/Route 138 East. Exit at Rt. 35 South, proceeding to Sea Girt Ave. Turn left, following Sea Girt Ave. into Sea Girt. Cross railroad; bear right after tracks to gate of the Nat'l Guard Camp. (Driver show photo ID to gate-keeper).

If entering on Rt. 70, bear right at CR20, Old Bridge Rd., proceed north to Sea Girt Ave. and turn right.

If entering on Rt. 35, bear right on Rt. 71, proceed north to Sea Girt Ave. and turn right.

**23 Saint Catharine Church
214 Essex Avenue
Spring Lake, NJ**

Leaving gate, turn left on Sea Girt Ave., cross tracks and turn right on Rt. 71. Proceed about 1.6 miles to Warren Ave., turn right, go 2 blocks to Lake Avenue, a half-right. Find street parking in vicinity of the church.

**24 Great Auditorium
21 Pilgrim Pathway
Ocean Grove, NJ**

**25 Ocean Grove Historical Museum
50 Pitman Avenue
Ocean Grove, NJ**

**26 Centennial Cottage
McClintock & Central Avenues
Ocean Grove, NJ**

Return to Rt. 71. Turn right on 71, proceed north about 5.5 miles to the Main Ave. entrance to Ocean Grove on right just beyond Arts Center /former high school. Turn right, following Main to Central Ave., turn left. Find street parking.

The Great Auditorium is plainly visible from most streets.

The Ocean Grove Museum is one block to the south of the auditorium on Pitman Ave.

Centennial Cottage is a half-block to the east and one block to the north of the museum. The searching driver will find a parking place, although not in front of the desired address.

**27 InfoAge Science Center, Camp Evans
2201 Marconi Road
Wall, NJ**

Leave Main Ave. gate, turning left or south on Rt. 71. Proceed 0.2 mile to Rt. 33, turn right, cross tracks, turning left on Memorial Dr.(CR 40A). Proceed south about 1.5 miles to slight right turn on Belmar Blvd. (CR 18). Follow about 0.4 mile turning right on Marconi Rd. Follow changing course of Marconi Rd. to parking lot.

**28 Old Wall Historical Society
1701 New Bedford Road
Wall, NJ**

Turn right leaving parking lot, proceeding 0.3 mile on Marconi Rd. to a slight right at Bay Plaza. Follow for 0.5 mile to Belmar Blvd. (CR18), turn right and follow 0.4 mile to New Bedford Rd. Turn left. Old Wall is a short distance on the right.

**29 Historic Village at Allaire
Allaire State Park, 4265 Atlantic Avenue
Allaire, NJ**

Leave Old Wall going south on New Bedford Rd., turning right (at jug handle) for Rt. 138 West (which turns into I-195). Proceed 2.4 miles to Exit 35A merging on Rt. 34 South. Follow 0.4 mile, making slight right on to West 18th Ave. (CR30). Follow 1.3 miles to CR 524 (Atlantic Avenue), turn right. Follow about 0.6 mile. Park entrance is on left.

**30 MacKenzie House
427 Lakewood-Farmingdale Road
Howell, NJ**

Turn left on Cty. Rt. 524 (Atlantic St), go 1.8 miles to Cty. Rt. 547 South (Lakewood-Farmingdale Rd), turn left. Go about 0.5 mile. Be mindful of I-195 juncture. House is on left just beyond I-195.

**31 Ardena School Museum
Old Tavern & Preventorium Roads
Howell, NJ**

Carefully turn left from lot, go to light at Old Tavern Rd. (Cty. Rt. 21) turn right, go about 2 miles on winding course of Old Tavern Rd. to intersection of Preventorium Road. School is on northwest corner of intersection.

GREEN TOUR END

BROWN TOUR BEGINNING

**32 Historic Walnford
78 Walnford Road
Upper Freehold, NJ**

If entering Monmouth County from the west on the NJ Turnpike, Exit 7A for I-195 East to its Exit 8 to proceed south (right) on Main St., to Allentown. After crossing bridge at mill, turn left on CR539 (High St.). At Cream Ridge Winery, turn right on Holmes Mill Rd., then right on Walnford Rd., which leads to park entrance. If approaching west on other highways, follow signs to Allentown, seek CR539 off Main St., follow as above.

If approaching from the east on I-195, after exiting at Exit 11, turn left on CR43, cross highway, proceed about 0.7 mile to stop sign. Turn right on CR526, proceed to first light, Sharon Station Rd., turn left, proceed about 2 miles. Turn right on CR539North, proceed a short distance, turn left on Holmes Mill Rd. Take first right on Walnford Rd. Follow to park.

**33 West Freehold School Museum
209 Wemrock Road (Just north of CR537)
Freehold, NJ**

Leave park north on Walnford Rd., proceed 0.5 mile to Polheimustown Rd., turn right, then slight left on Holmes Mill Rd., turn right on CR539, proceed about 4 miles to CR537, turn left. Follow 537 east 14.5 miles to Wemrock Rd., turn left. The school is a short distance on the right.

**34 Jewish Heritage Museum
310 Mounts Corner Drive (Does not show on GPS)
Freehold, NJ**

Turn right on leaving school and proceed to the left-turn lane at the end of shopping center on left side of road. Turn left, follow drive on edge of shops to the gray, two-story museum building at drive's end. (at far NW corner of shopping center at NW corner of Cty. Rt. 537)

**35 Oakley Farm House
189B Oakley Drive
Freehold, NJ**

Turn left on leaving shopping center. Farm is on Oakley Dr., a short distance ahead on the right.

**36 Covenhoven House
150 West Main Street
Freehold, NJ**

Reverse directions to CR537. Turn left, proceeding about 1.2 miles to the house, on right just past Route 9.

**37 Monmouth County Historical Assn. Museum
70 Court Street
Freehold, NJ**

Turn right from Covenhoven on West Main St. (CR537), proceed about 0.8 mile to Court St. (second light). Turn left. North on Court St. to 70.

**38 Monmouth Battlefield State Park
16 Business Route 33
Manalapan, NJ**

Reverse course on Court St, turn right on Broad St., the first intersection, take it to its end; turn right on Rt. 33(Business), proceed through Rt. 9 intersection, following Rt. 33(Business) about 1.6 miles to park entrance.

**39 Old Tennent Church
450 Tennent Road
Tennent, NJ**

Leave park entrance by turning left on Route 33(Business), proceeding 0.2 mile to Wemrock Rd. Turn left, taking Wemrock Rd. 1.1 miles to end, CR522, making left turn. Take CR522 1.6 miles to CR 3 (Tennent Rd.) and turn right, proceeding 0.2 mile to church on right.

**40 Village Inn
Two Water Street
Englishtown, NJ**

Turn left from church lot, proceed 0.2 mile to CR522, turning right. Take CR522 (Freehold Rd.) 1.8 miles to N. Main St. Turn right and proceed 0.2 mile Water St. Inn is on the corner.

BROWN TOUR END

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