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HISTORIC WALNFORD HOSTS “HERE LIES...” HISTORICAL HEADSTONES



See skilled craftsman Tom Kelleher at work during his visit to Historic Walnford.

UPPER FREEHOLD – Are you a "Taphophile" – a person interested in cemeteries and gravestone art? If so, be sure to come to the Monmouth County Park System’s Historic Walnford, Walnford Road, Upper Freehold, from 1-4 p.m. on Saturday & Sunday, October 31 & November 1 for “*Here lies...*” *Historical Headstones*. See skilled craftsman Tom Kelleher of Old Sturbridge Village carve a traditional slate headstone. Afterward, create a facsimile of a historical marker during a hands-on activity and take home a list of local historic cemeteries to visit. Admission and parking are free.

For more information about Historic Walnford and the Monmouth County Park System, please visit www.monmouthcountyparks.com or call 732-842-4000, ext. 4312. For persons with hearing impairment, the TTY/TDD number is 711. The Monmouth County Park System, created in 1960 by the Monmouth County Board of Chosen Freeholders, is Monmouth County's Open Space, Parks, and Recreation agency.

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