

Events

Prez Campaign Artifacts at Bevier House

On **Saturday, July 2nd** at **10 AM** Kerhonkson resident Alex Miller (*photo, below*) presents “Presidential Campaign Memories & Artifacts – the Hudson Valley and Beyond” at the **Bevier House Museum, Ulster County Historical Society, Rte. 209, Marbletown** (just outside Stone Ridge).



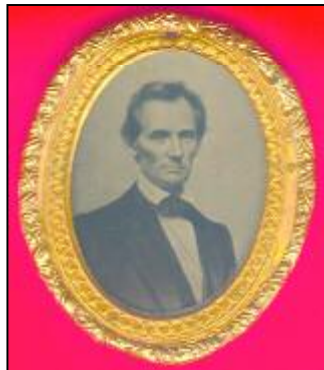
The multimedia presentation includes original artifacts from over 200 years of campaign history beginning with George Washington’s 1789 inauguration (*photo, below: 1789 brass button*

made in NYC commemorating the occasion) through George W. Bush’s campaign of 2004. A focus on regional candidates for the nation’s highest office includes Alton B. Parker and Franklin D. Roosevelt, with rare posters, banners, buttons, music, and narrative.

Numerous Abraham Lincoln tintypes will be on display including the “holy grail” of Lincolnia, the finest known example of the famous 1859 ambrotype image of a beardless Lincoln taken by Matthew Brady (*photo, below*).



Alex Miller is a lifelong collector of American political and social history, a member of the American Political Items Collectors, a Trustee of the *Ulster County Historical Society*, and a nationally recognized expert on the campaign materials of Teddy Roosevelt, Bobby Kennedy, as well as social movements like Votes For Women, Civil Rights, and the Vietnam War eras.



For information, please call the **Museum** at **338-5614** or call Alex Miller at **313-9276**.

Summer Music Program

The Music Institute of Sullivan and Ulster counties is sponsoring a summer music program for adults and children. The Chamber Music Workshop will be held **July 31st – August 7th (6 PM – 9 PM)** and **August 15th – 21st (10 AM – 4 PM)**. Children’s String Orchestra is scheduled for **August 8th – 12th (10 AM – 4 PM)**. A Viola Master Class is planned for **August 21st – 28th (9 AM – 12 PM and 3 PM – 6 PM)**. Pre-register no later than one week before the program by calling **647-5087**.

In addition, a special Suzuki Method Introductory Violin Class is scheduled for **July 19th - August 23rd**. Pre-register for this class no later than June 12th by calling **845-943-8739**.



Photos & Sculptures in Mountindale

The **Mountindale Art Center & Sculpture Garden**, an effort of the *Mountindale Community Development Project*, announces its second show of the season, “Focus In / Focus Out,” photographs by local photographers Jonathan Hyman & Arthur Nichols. The show will also feature the second installment of “Metal Works,” sculptures (*photo, above*) by Ellenville artist Peter Mott.

Artists’ Receptions: **Sundays, July 3rd & July 10th, 2:00 – 4:00 PM, 58 Main Street, Mountindale.**

This is the fourth show at the **Mountindale Art Center Gallery**, following the well-received Andy Friedman / Bill Kaplan show in September, “Rural Outdoors” in December, and Andrey Tamarchenko’s “Rites of Spring” in May. The **Mountindale Sculpture Garden** is free and open to the public year-round.

The **Gallery** will be open the **second Sunday** of each month, **12 to 4 PM** through the summer, and by appointment.

The Gallery is located at **58 Main Street**, and the Sculpture Garden at **105 Main Street, Mountindale, New York 12763**. Call Alex Schafran at **845-434-5446**, email: mountindale@earthlink.net or website: www.mountindaleproject.org

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