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## Morris County Releases 250th Anniversary Coloring & Activity Book

*Educational Illustrated Publication Celebrates Local Revolutionary Heritage*



The Morris County 250th Celebrations Committee, in partnership with the Morris County Tourism Bureau and the Morris County Board of County Commissioners, is proud to announce the release of the “**Morris County 250th Anniversary Coloring & Activity Book**” -- a creative new way for families, students and residents to explore the county’s Revolutionary War roots.

### [Download the 250th Coloring and Activity Book Here](#)

“Morris County holds a distinguished place in our nation’s founding, and it is our responsibility to ensure that this history is preserved, understood, and appreciated by future generations. Our Revolutionary coloring and activity book is an example of one way we can educate our youngest residents about our county’s Revolutionary heritage, allowing families and students to relate to our history in a meaningful way. The Board of County Commissioners is proud to support initiatives that promote historical awareness and appreciation of our county’s role in shaping the American story,” said **Commissioner Christine Myers**.

Designed for learners of all ages, this special-edition publication brings Morris County’s remarkable history to life through interactive illustrations and activities. Each page highlights the landmarks, people and pivotal moments that shaped the region’s essential role in the American Revolution, offering a fun and accessible introduction to local heritage.

“As we prepare for the 250th Anniversary of the American Revolution, our goal is to bring history to life in meaningful and creative ways. This coloring and activity book allows children and families to explore Morris County’s Revolutionary past together -- page by page, story by story. We hope it sparks a sense of wonder, encourages visits to our historic sites, and strengthens our shared appreciation for the enduring contributions of this region,” said **Sarah Neibart, chair of Morris County’s 250th Celebrations**.

Many of the illustrations draw inspiration from the beloved work of renowned Morris County artist Lucille Hobbie (1915-2008), whose detailed lithographs and watercolors beautifully captured the area's historic character. The cover showcases the official Morris County 250th Anniversary logo -- a silhouette of Gen. George Washington on horseback—symbolizing leadership, perseverance and the county's enduring connection to the founding of our nation.

“The Heritage Commission is thrilled to contribute to a project that connects everyone with Morris County's extraordinary past. By blending history, art and education, this activity book allows individuals to discover our local historic sites and their significance in America's journey to independence. It's an interactive reminder that history is not only something we preserve -- it's something we experience,” said **Amanda Broschart, Director of the Morris County Heritage Commission.**

The 15-page coloring and activity book features scenes from key Revolutionary-era locations, including the Ford Mansion, Washington's Headquarters, The Alliance statue, and historic structures, such as the Black Horse Inn and Rockaway Presbyterian Church. Each activity is crafted to spark curiosity, encourage exploration and deepen appreciation for Morris County's vital contribution to America's fight for independence.

“The business community has long recognized the importance of Morris County's historical assets in shaping our identity and supporting a vibrant local economy. This coloring and activity book not only highlights our Revolutionary heritage, but also reinforces the value of cultural tourism as we approach the 250th Anniversary. The Chamber is proud to support efforts that celebrate our history, strengthen community engagement and promote Morris County as a destination for families, students, and visitors alike,” said **Meghan Hunscher President & CEO, Morris County Chamber of Commerce.**

The book is part of the county's broader initiative marking the 250th Anniversary of the American Revolution -- a multi-year effort to celebrate, educate and engage communities across Morris County and the region through events, programs and historical storytelling.

Copies of the **Morris County 250th Anniversary Coloring & Activity Book** are available through the [Morris County 250th Anniversary website](#).

For more information about the 250th Anniversary commemoration and upcoming events, visit [morriscounty250.org](http://morriscounty250.org).

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