



# Riversdale House Museum

4th Quarter Updates

# STAFFING

## Full Time

- Interviewed (3 Candidates October)
- Reopened Position (Closed 11/30/2023)

## Part-Time

- Staff Follow Up - Action Plan
- Reclassification
- Gardener Position Updated and Posted
- Education Coordinator Interview



# Staff Training and Professional Development

## Maya

- ASALH Conference (Presentation)
- U.S. Lemkin Seminar on Identity based violence
- NRPA Management School
- EAM Forum
- Cornerstone Training

## Gina Lewis

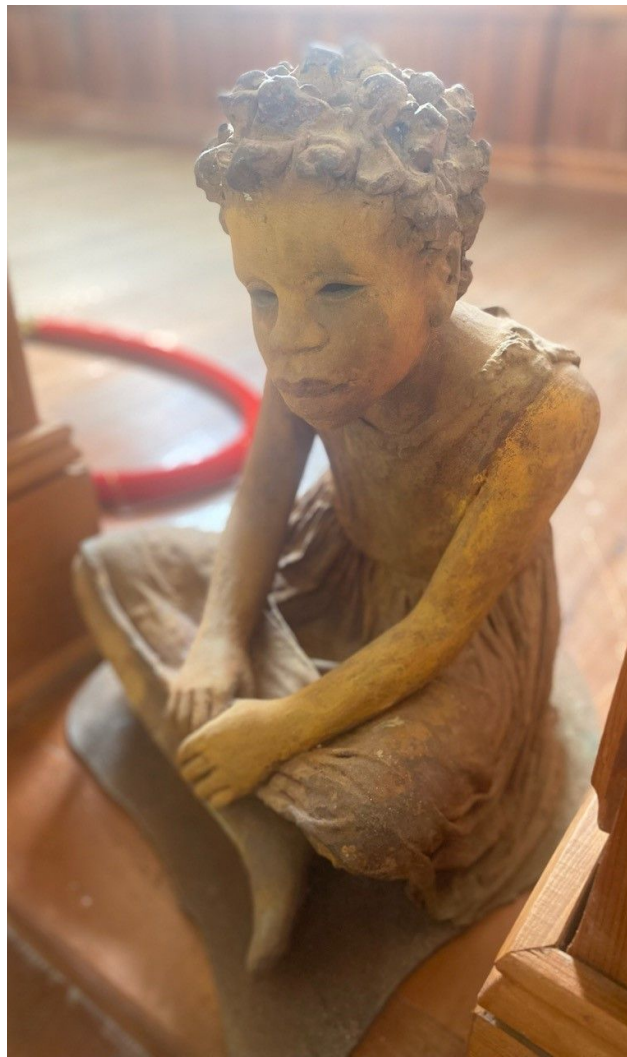
- 2023 HHMC Symposium
- AAM Future of Museums Summit
- Parks Direct Data Entry Training

## Anna Schaueremann

- Volunteer Management Roundtable
- Parks Direct Data Entry Training

## Tatiana Esquina

- Parks Direct Data Entry Training





# VISITATION

## Tours

### September

Attendance: 28

### October

Attendance: 20

### November

Attendance: Not Yet  
Compiled

## Group Tours

### September

- DC Chapter NAWCC

### October

- Jeanne Schindler  
Low-Tech Group (45)

### November

- African American  
Historical and  
Genealogical Society  
(25)
- James E. Harrison  
Elementary School  
Group (20)





# REVENUE

September and October

Tours: \$236

ECO Rent: \$500 (two months)

Donations: \$178



# Outstanding Volunteers



# VOLUNTEER HOURS

## September

Collections: 33

Garden: 25

Kitchen Guild: 12

Museum Shop: 14

Special Events: 0

Tour Guide: 28

## October

Collections: 22.5

Garden: 34

Kitchen Guild: 20

Museum Shop: 24.5

Special Events: 9

Tour Guide: 23

Visitor Support: 2

## November

Collections: TBD (Jenn to send over)

Garden: 12

Kitchen Guild: 12

Museum Shop: 17.5

Special Events: 15.5

Tour Guide: 21

Visitor Support: 13

# Awards

## NPS Network to Freedom Awards

- Wilbur H. Siebert Award
- Robert G. Stanton Award

2023  
Robert G. Stanton Award

Presented to

MAYA DAVIS

In appreciation of her outstanding service,  
commitment, and support for the National  
Underground Railroad Network to Freedom



2023  
WILBUR H. SIEBERT  
AWARD



Presented to

MAYA DAVIS

In Recognition of her Unwavering Commitment to  
Research and Preserve  
Legacy of Slavery in Maryland



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# CURRENT & UPCOMING PROJECTS

Tour Guide Training

Tulip Planting

Workforce Exhibition

Riversdale Reunion

Gathering of Men Black History Exhibition

30th Anniversary Exhibition

Descendant Silhouette Project

NHRD Descendants Project

MD 250 Commemoration Planning





**Outreach**



**New to Riversdale**



# Thank You

Dear Brothers,

Thank you for your return to this sacred ground. The evening was a blessing to our Ancestors. It was a powerful moment to witness talented, brilliant, and strong black men reclaim a destination that was built on those elements of themselves, but were never recognized humanely for it. I hope this ritual affirmed your dignity and continual efforts to building this nation and world for a brighter tomorrow.

Sincerely,

*Marcin Brown*

P.S

(From Nehprii:

*I had the next night. You were all there plus many more. Outside in the sun with colors and drums. Fabric was floating on the wind and water pouring over hands. It was full of jubilee and celebration. Maybe it means it's what's to come. or maybe it represented what already was/is. I'm not sure, but I think a very good thing happened, and I'm grateful, and I hope the Ancestors are pleased with love.*

*- Nehprii*



## September

- Senior Sip and Paint
- Open hearth Cooking

## October

- Riverdale Park Arts Chamber Concert
- Open hearth Cooking
- EOB Fall Festival

## November

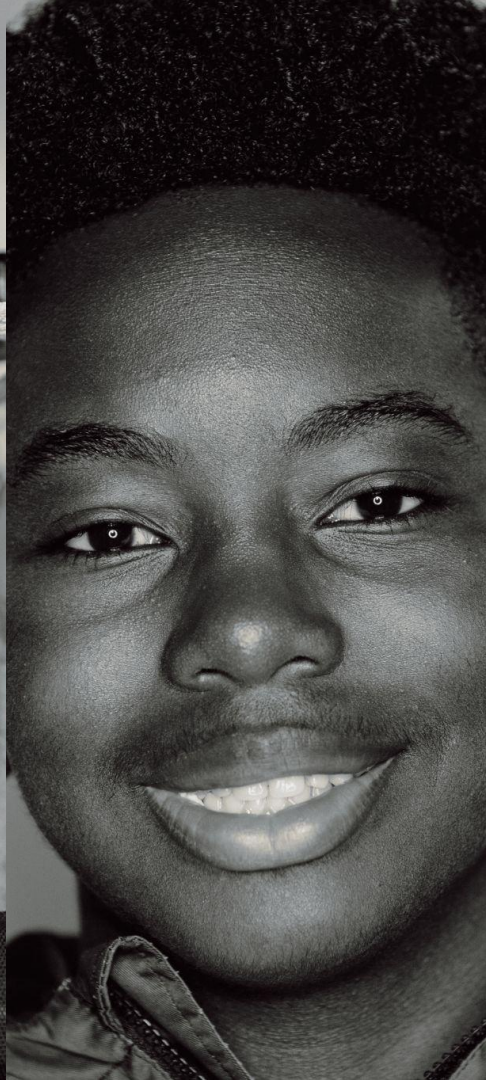
- Emancipation Day: A Gathering of Men
- Open hearth Cooking

# Past Programming













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# Riversdale

## BY CANDLELIGHT

Featuring:  
Parkdale  
Concert  
Choir



# Upcoming Programming

# 2024 Programming

## *February*

- Parkdale HS Concert
- Plummer's Kitchen

## *March*

- Volunteer Open House

## *April*

- Chamber Concert
- Spring Artist Showcase
- Volunteer Appreciation

## *May*

- Chamber Concerts
- Mother's Day Tours
- Preservation Month

## *June*

- Riversdale Reunion
- Summer Concert Series
- Father's Day Tours

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