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County Clerk Hanlon invites historical organizations to participate in the 2021 Archives and History Day *Exhibit space available to showcase local history to the public*

LINCROFT, NJ – The County Clerk’s 2021 Archives and History Day is right around the corner and Monmouth County Clerk Christine Giordano Hanlon is encouraging New Jersey historical organizations to be a part of the big event, which will take place Saturday, Oct. 2 at Brookdale Community College’s Collins Arena in Lincroft.

“The Monmouth County Archives Division of the County Clerk’s Office is looking forward to hosting its Annual Archives and History Day, which celebrates local history,” said Clerk Hanlon. “This year’s Archives and History Day will take place at a new location, the Collins Arena at Brookdale Community College. The event will focus on Monmouth County’s response when faced with adversity and during times of crisis, and will feature an accompanying exhibit and presentations.”



More than 50 local and state history organizations will set-up displays on topics relating to New Jersey history and their organizations. With over 300 expected attendees, Clerk Hanlon encourages all local historical organizations to participate in the event and to sign up for an exhibitor table.

“Archives and History Day provides the opportunity for local archives, historical societies and museums, and other history-based organizations to connect with the public,” said Monmouth County Archivist Julia Telonidis.



“These organizations will have the opportunity to showcase their efforts to preserve local

history and educate the public about Monmouth County’s and New Jersey’s fascinating past.”

At the event, several awards will be presented, including the M. Claire French Award for Leadership in Historic Preservation and the Jane G. Clayton Award. A keynote address related to the Archives’ exhibit, “Facing Adversity: Monmouth Responds in Times of Crisis” will be delivered. A free catalog will be available to the public.

For more information on participating and to sign up for an exhibitor table, please visit the Monmouth County Clerk’s Archives Division website at MonmouthCountyClerk.com/Archives or contact the Monmouth County Archives by phone at 732-308-3771 or email to Shelagh.Reilly@co.monmouth.nj.us.

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