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THE NORTH SHORE HISTORICAL MUSEUM WILL OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

We are proud to announce the North Shore Historical Museum will officially open to the public. The completely restored Justices Court Building, an historic national landmark and the Museum's home, will open January 19 with public visitations days of Wednesdays and Saturdays. January 19 also marks the 104 anniversary of the building's initial opening by the Town of Oyster Bay in 1908. The official opening follows the appointment of Colleen Yoder as Museum Director who will be in charge of exhibits and the Museum's operations. Ms Yoder, a Glen Cove resident, has excellent credentials and experience as a museum curator. She holds a BS degree in Museum education from Pennsylvania State University and an MA in Humanities from California State University.

"I cannot express the thrill it will be watching the first visitors to this incredible building," Ms Yoder said. "Although for the present time we are only open for the public two days a week, we will be hosting group tours for school children and other organizations".

Brian Mercadante, Museum President said, "We invite everyone to come in to view this national treasure and our exhibits. On behalf of our Board of Trustees, I'd like to thank the many, many organizations and government agencies that have made this dream possible".

For the present time the Museum will be open to public visitations on Wednesdays from 2pm to 6pm and Saturdays from 11am to 3 pm. Museum members will be admitted free with a fee for other guest of \$5.00, \$3.00 for children and family membership \$20.00.



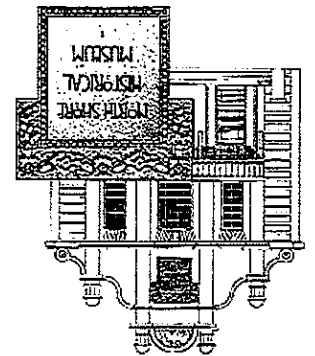


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Colleen Yoder, Museum Director.

Ms Yoder was appointed Museum Director by the Museum's Board of Trustees. She had worked with the Museum on a volunteer basis and has extensive experience. She recently served as Museum Curator and Interim Director of Archives for Museum & Archives of the Diocese of Richmond, Virginia. She also served as Visitor Services Coordinator for the Kreeger Museum in Washington, DC, as well as Education Assistant for Historic Fallsington in Fallsington, PA.