

Oliver Miller Homestead

PART of the ALLEGHENY COUNTY PARKS SYSTEM



2016 Special Events



May 1	Meet the Millers
Our opening day will give you a chance to meet Oliver and Mary Miller and each of their ten children.	
May 15	Fiber, Fabric and Fashion
A day filled with sheep shearing, an exploration of different fabrics of the time and an 18 th century fashion show.	
June 19	The Arts Come to the Homestead
An art show, featuring the Homestead and arts of the time. A concert of late 18 th century music will be performed at 3 PM.	
July 3	Liberty and Justice
Recalling Oliver's service as a justice and the family's Rev. War service. Declaration of Independence read at 2:30 PM.	
July 17	Whiskey Rebellion Day
The historic event is reviewed & Miller involvement discussed. Skits, beginning with "Serving the Writ" start at 2:15 PM.	
August 20 & 21	Frontier Militia Encampment
The local 18 th century - men who were expected to protect the frontier - will be encamped on the grounds.	
September 18	Children's Harvest Festival
Children can try their hand at tin punch, corn crafts, doll making, butter churning, writing with a quill, sack racing & more.	
October 16	Salt, Dry, Smoke & Pickle
So how did the Millers survive without refrigerators, canned goods and supermarkets? Food preservation and more.	
November 6 (4:30-7:30 PM)	An Evening at Mansfield
The only day when you can see the Homestead illuminated by candlelight and cressets. Warm cider and cookies available.	
November 20	Giving Thanks on the Frontier
The Miller family and their friends will give thanks as a feast is prepared at the open hearth and bake oven.	
December 4	Hogmanay & Scottish Dancing
This Scottish New Year's Eve celebration shoos out the old and welcomes the new. Join the Scottish dancers in the barn.	

The Oliver Miller Homestead is a Pioneer Landmark and Whiskey Rebellion Site.

Self-guided tours. Guides in 18th century dress provide information, demonstrate pioneer crafts, and discuss the history of the Miller family and the area. The Homestead site includes the original Stone House and Spring House, a reconstructed log house, forge, demonstration shed, barn and various gardens.



ADMISSION: \$2 / person on event days. \$1 / person on non-event Sundays
Located in Allegheny County's South Park on Stone Manse Drive.

The Homestead is open every Sunday afternoon from May 1 to Dec. 4
1:30 to 4:30 PM (Last Admission at 4:00 PM) Closed on May 8 for Mother's Day

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