



2012 Open Hearth Cooking Classes

Historic Deerfield will offer instruction in open hearth cooking for those who are interested in historic foodways and hearth management. A series of seven one-day classes has been scheduled for Saturdays in February and March 2012. In the kitchen of the 1786 Hall Tavern, museum guides will demonstrate cookery techniques and lead discussions on 18th- and early 19th-century food preparation, preservation technology, seasonality, diet, and the availability of local and imported foodstuffs. A bibliography on open hearth cookery will be distributed.

Registrants will participate in the process and assist hearth cooks in the tasks undertaken. We recommend that you dress comfortably, bring an apron, pen, and paper for notes. Participants will sample the foods prepared in the program or, if preferred, participants may bring a brown bag lunch. For program information, please contact Claire Carlson at ccarlson@historic-deerfield.org or 413-775-7217.

The registration fee for each class is \$55.00 per person (\$50.00 for members). Please make checks payable to: Historic Deerfield, Inc. Mail completed form to: Cooking Class, Historic Deerfield, P.O. Box 321, Deerfield, MA 01342. Registration fees will be refunded if cancellation is made by 12 p.m. on the Thursday preceding the program. Participants will receive a confirmation letter in the mail.

REGISTRATION FORM

Please check each class you would like to attend:

Saturday, February 4, 10 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

Hearth Cooking Basics

Saturday, February 11, 10 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

Soups and Stews

Saturday, February 18, 10 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

A Winter Menu

Saturday, February 25, 10 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

17th-Century Cooking

Please note that there will be no class on March 3.

Saturday, March 10, 10 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

On the Rise: Breads, Cakes and Biscuits

Saturday, March 17, 10 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

Pies

Saturday, March 24, 10 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

Cooking with Herbs

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Enclosed is \$ _____