

Historical Thinking, The Erie Canal, and Beyond

- Audience:** Grades 4 – 12 Teachers
Date: Wednesday, July 19, 2017
Time: 8:00 – 5:00
Fee: Free 8- hour workshop (In-service credit)
Enrollment: 25 person limit
What to bring: Bagged lunch and a snack/beverage to share



To Register: Please email rstephens@fmschools.org with your name, grade you teach and school district. Registrations will be accepted in the order received.

What: Experience history through hands-on learning at the Chittenango Landing Historic Site

- Learn about historical thinking skills (Stanford History Education Group)
- Walk away with lessons to apply historical thinking to the Erie Canal and beyond
- Tour the site and learn about the background of Chittenango Landing
- Participate in hands-on history activities on the grounds of the site
- Collaborate with colleagues from around Central New York
- Network with other regional historic sites (Sources and potential field trips)

Where: Chittenango Landing Canal Boat Museum Historic Site
717 Lakeport Road
Chittenango, New York 13037

Presenters: Beck Stephens, Chittenango Landing Staff, Other Regional Historic Sites

Schedule:

- 8:00-8:30 – Arrival – Introductions
8:30 – 9:00 – Introduction to the Making of the Museum
9:00 – 9:45 – Introduction to Historical Thinking Skills
9:45-10:00 – Break
10:00-10:30 – Lessons for teaching historical thinking skills
10:30-11:30 – Tour of the Historic Site
11:30-12:00 – Lunch – (Hopefully outside – weather permitting)
12:00-1:45 – Networking time – presenters from other regional historic sites will be there for you to discuss possible collaboration and field trips. They will have primary sources available for you to take to develop historical thinking skills activities.
1:45-2:00 – Break
2:00-3:30 – Hands on History – Working with museum exhibitors, you will get to experience more of what Chittenango Landing has to offer
3:30-5:00 – Debrief, collaboration time, historical thinking activities development



Dry docks at Chittenango Landing

Chittenango Landing Canal Boat Museum & Historic Erie Canal Dry Docks Complex
Chittenango, NY