

Knickerbocker Mansion Restoration

The work on the Knickerbocker Mansion's Ballroom continues! Last winter the plastering of the ceiling in the Ballroom was completed. This winter, the plaster work on the walls in the Ballroom has begun. Progress is being made, but at this time, the project is not complete.

Mother's Day at the Mansion

Sunday, May 12, 2019

See the "2019 Schedule of Events" on the back of this page for specific details.

Dedication of the Stana Hemstreet Iseman Pavilion

Sunday, May 12, 2019 @ 1:00 p.m.

At 1:00 p.m. we will be dedicating our new pavilion in honor and remembrance of Stana Hemstreet Iseman, a member of the Knickerbocker Historical Society who was instrumental in saving the Mansion from being torn down back in 1988. Stana graciously volunteered untold hours for the Mansion in many capacities, including: Project Director, Treasurer, Grant Writer, Tour Guide, Cook ... anything that needed to be done! The Mansion was often called "her eighth child". This pavilion is one of Stana's many dreams finally realized.



Stana Hemstreet Iseman



A Pair of Dutch Story Boards

"Light on New Netherland" Exhibit

This exhibit will be available for viewing on Mother's Day. It features 26 story boards which trace the years the Dutch ruled in New Netherland – from Henry Hudson's discovery in 1609 to Peter Stuyvesant's surrender of the colony to the English in 1664. The panels deal with many aspects of the Dutch experience, including the fur trade, the establishment of government and religion, and the interaction between the Colonists and the American Indians. The exhibit was created by the New Netherland Institute to help celebrate the 2009 quadricentennial of Henry Hudson's voyage up the Hudson River in 1609.

Exciting News!

Help bring Johannes and Elizabeth Knickerbocker back home to the Mansion!



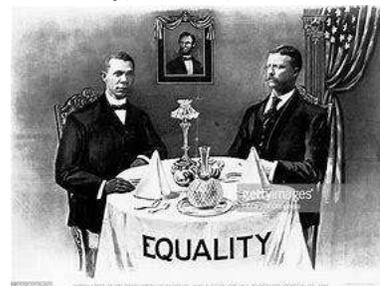
This 1805 pastel portrait, by Gerrit Schipper, of the couple who built the mansion circa 1780, was to be out of the family for the first time ever. An agreement has been reached to keep that from happening, but we need your financial help to make it a reality. We have started a GoFundMe Page to help raise the funds:

[gf.me/u/r73hvx](https://www.gofundme.com/u/r73hvx)

You can also mail a check to the Mansion (Please mark "For Portrait" in the memo). We would appreciate you sharing our great news with everyone you know!

"An Evening with the Old Lions"

Saturday, June 15, 2019



Join President Teddy Roosevelt and Booker T. Washington as they reminisce about their deeply controversial 1901 meeting in the White House.

Dinner @ 6:00 p.m. and Show @ 7:00 p.m.

\$30 per person - Paid Reservations Required:

[eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com) or 518.424.9562

Knickerbocker Mansion Tours:

Sundays (May-October) 11:00am - 3:00pm

The Knickerbocker Mansion is open for tours every Sunday from 11:00-3:00 May through October. Bring your friends and family for a look at the mansion.