## African Bermuda Dispersion Cultural Tour

Saturdays at 10:00am until 12:00pm

For the month of February and March 2020 only.

**Cost:** Due to limited amount of seating (20 guests) on bus this is a ticketed event. Tickets are \$15.00 per person and can be purchased at **www.titantoursbermuda.com** or call (441) 234-1096.

Journey into an untold legacy and learn about our Island's history on the "African Bermuda Dispersion Cultural Tour". Roughly 60 percent of Bermudians are of African ancestry, many of whom are descendants of West Indian and West African slaves brought here during the 18<sup>th</sup> century.

**Location:** City of Hamilton

Departing Location: Directly outside of the Visitor Service

Centre on Front Street

## funchtime Cultural Chats

Learn about Bermuda's unique history and culture during a series of lunchtime cultural chats held by one of our local historians.

#### "Prisoners in Paradise"

Fridays at 12:30pm until 1:30 pm

For the month of February 2020 only.

Free Event

**Location:** Bermuda National Library, Queen Street, City of Hamilton

Please note that the tours and lectures do not take place on Bermuda public holidays.



**Department of Community and Cultural Affairs** 





## Guided Walking Tour, City of Hamilton

Mondays starting at 10:30am

Starting November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 and concludes March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020.

#### Free Event

Take a tour of the City of Hamilton before experiencing a live Skirling Ceremony at Fort Hamilton. This informative tour will share historical facts of City Hall & Arts Centre, visit Bermuda's prestigious Sessions House while discovering historical facts and roles of key City landmarks.

Departing Location: The Bermuda National Library verandah on Queen Street

## Skirling Ceremony

Mondays at 12:00 noon

Starting November  $18^{th}$ , 2019 and concludes March  $31^{st}$ , 2020.

#### Free Event

Bermudians love to share their heritage with visitors. Watch the Skirling Ceremony from this 19th Century fortress as the kilted pipers, drummers and dancers perform to the bagpipe "Skirl" of the Bermuda Island Pipe Band. Complimentary Bermuda refreshments will be served.

Location: Fort Hamilton, City of Hamilton

## Bernuda Cookery Demonstration

Mondays at 12:30pm until 2:00pm

Starting November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 and concludes March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020.

#### Free Event

Following the Skirling Ceremony, a local Bermudian chef heats up the fort with a cooking demonstration featuring a sampling of a Bermuda treat.

Location: Fort Hamilton, City of Hamilton

## Bernuda Gombey Revue

Tuesdays at 4:15pm

Starting November  $5^{th}$ , 2019 and concludes March  $31^{st}$ , 2020.

#### Free Event

For centuries Bermuda has danced to the Gombey beat! The swirling rhythms, infectious moves and vivid costumes are a "must see" during any visit to the Island. You can catch this amazing Bermuda folk art in action in the heart of the City.

Location: Pier Six Passenger Terminal, Front Street, City of Hamilton

## Royal Naval Dockyard Tour

Thursdays at 2:00pm until 3:15pm

Starting November  $7^{th}$ , 2019 and concludes March  $31^{st}$ , 2020.

#### Free Event

Explore the Royal Naval Dockyard on a guided tour with one of Bermuda's knowledgeable tour guides. Starting at the Casemate Barracks you will learn the important role these barracks played in Dockyard's defense while strolling through the area exploring the storehouses and boat slips and discovering the secrets of Dockyard.

Departing Location: Cooperage next to the Craft Market

# St. George's Walking Tour & Historical Re-Enactment

Wednesdays at 10:30am until 11:30 am.

Re-enactments at 12:30pm

Starting November  $6^{th}$ , 2019 and concludes March  $31^{st}$ , 2020.

#### Free Event

Take a guided tour of this UNESCO World Heritage Site, hardly changed since the 18th century. Following this tour watch Bermuda's history come to life as the St. George's Town Crier conducts a lighthearted historical re-enactment of an 18th century trial in King's Square.

Departing Location: King's Square, Town of St. George

## Somerset Boat Tour

Thursdays at 10:00am until 11:35am

Starting November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019 and concludes March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020.

#### Free Event

Cruise past distinctive and charming homes while learning about Bermuda's history, architecture and the stunning inlets of Somerset. You will have the opportunity to stop by the "Vixen" an above and below shipwreck and enjoy complimentary coffee and Danish before your tour.

Departing Location: Somerset Country Squire Restaurant. After the cruise, a short talk will take place on the Somerset Country Squire's terrace discussing local themes.