

# HISTORIC WICOFF HOUSE MUSEUM NEWS BULLETIN

## UPDATES >

## CURRENT HAPPENINGS

This summer, several teen interns are working on various projects at the museum, with the categories of research, archives, exhibits and marketing. These projects include:

- research on the Plainsboro Police Department, Plainsboro Rescue Squad and historic Plainsboro businesses
- organization and cataloging of the Walker-Gordon Collection and the Grover Farm Collection
- creation of a Museum Docent Manual, Historic Bike Tour and a Then & Now photo booklet
- video series of museum collections, exhibits and events

Help the museum create an oral history database! Film your older relatives speaking about their experiences in Plainsboro. Email us for a list of questions/topics, and to learn how best to film it.

Do you have objects, documents and/or photographs that help tell the story of Plainsboro's history and development? Please consider donating them to the museum! Email us for more information.

### Contact the Museum:

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**Julianne Tarrant**

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## NEW PROGRAM COORDINATOR

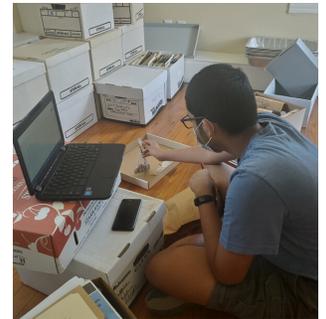
Julianne joined the museum this year as the new Program Coordinator, a position made possible through grant funding from the Middlesex County Office of Arts & History. She is a graduate of Rowan University, where she earned a B.A. in History with a Concentration in Public History. Her previous experience includes work at the Historical Society of Pennsylvania and the Alice Paul Institute. She is excited to share her passion for history with others.



**Adarsh Thakur**  
Intern



**Gautami Kunde**  
Intern



**Aaron Chauhan**  
Intern

## MUSEUM >

## COLLECTION HIGHLIGHT

### EMBROIDERY ON FABRIC 19TH OR 20TH CENTURY

This embroidery piece contains words, floral designs and figures of people. Embroidery is the art of applying decorative designs to fabric using needles. It was a common practice of women for many centuries.

This colorful piece was created by Edna Falk and donated to the museum in 1993.

#### **Do you know Edna?**

If so, please contact us so we can record her history with this piece!

