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Visit Colonial Town Sites on Historic Carlisle Candlelight Walking Tour

Carlisle (July 7) – Historic Carlisle, Inc. will host candlelight walking tours of eight local landmarks in Carlisle PA. This event is free and open to the public.

In conjunction with the 250th commemoration of the French & Indian War and the Forbes Road, **Historic Carlisle, Inc** will host a candlelight tour of eight 18th century sites as the closing event of Carlisle's Summerfair XXXI. Walk with **Historic Carlisle** guides garbed in colonial attire as they escort you back in time.

Meet John Armstrong, a local community leader, soldier, surveyor and judge known as the "First Citizen of Carlisle." Visit the North East Street home site of Capt. William Trent, early Carlisle trader. Imagine the ribaldry at Semple's Tavern on North High Street where locals and visitors tipped many a pint. Listen to Ben Franklin tell of mediating the 1754 Indian Conference. Four additional sites and events will complete the tour.

Tours begin at the 1st Presbyterian Church Courtyard at the Square at 8 and 9PM and last approximately 60 minutes.

Historic Carlisle, Inc. is a non-profit corporation. Its mission is to recognize and promote the history of Carlisle and Cumberland County. The mission is accomplished through annual presentations and celebrations, educational programs, and the installation of Wayside Markers.

Historic Carlisle, Inc. 18th Century Candlelight Tours

Date:	July 7
Time:	8 and 9PM
Location:	The tours begin at the 1st Presbyterian Church Courtyard on the Square, Carlisle, PA
Cost:	FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!