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Newtown Historic Association will sponsor its 31st Annual Market Day on Saturday, September 15th (rain date Sunday, September 16th) from 10:00 am – 4:00 pm.

Market Day, the Newtown Historic Association's 31st annual **colonial craft and art fair** will be held on **Saturday, September 15th**, rain date Sunday September 16th. There are over 60 crafters, demonstrators and artists coming with a wide variety of interesting crafts, from bee keeping, quilting, rug braiding, spinning and woodcarving.

The **Newtown Militia – First Crossing Volunteers** - a **colonial militia revolutionary war encampment** will camp out in the backyard of the Half Moon (Court Inn).

We will be having **face painting**, and **children's crafts**. There will be sessions beginning at 11:00 AM until 3:00 PM on punched tin and other colonial crafts.

The **"Boys from County Bucks"** Band will entertain from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM. They specialize in authentic colonial and celtic music. The **"Out of Tuners"** will entertain in the Court Inn from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM. Our famous returning **Greentown Juggler** will entertain in front of the Court Inn at 2:30 PM

"A Better Way Farm" will be there with their team of **Belgian draft horses** and their wagon to give everyone horse drawn hayrides around the Court, Penn, Congress and Mercer Sts. block.

Our ever successful **Festival of Foods** will feature local **Newtown restaurants** offering delicious luncheon treats. Restaurants who will be asked to participate are Isaac Newton's, Temperance House, and Lee's Hoagies.

The **special kettle corn** vendor "Kornecopia" will be here this year along with the **"Irish Lassie"** for delicious **funnel cakes** and other treats. There will be **Open Hearth Cooking** by Susan Plaisted who uses only old methods of cooking and colonial recipes.

The raffle this year will be a \$400 gift certificate to use toward a **weekend at the historic "Queen Victoria Bed and Breakfast Inn"**, Cape May, New Jersey. Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00.

So come out and enjoy **Market Day** with all your friends and neighbors.