



Maryland 150th Emancipation Day

Commemoration, Saturday, November 1, 2014, 1 pm- 4pm



In Maryland on November 1, 1814, enslaved African Americans were declared now and forever more free. Join us at Hampton National Historic Site, 535 Hampton Lane, Towson to celebrate and commemorate the 150th anniversary of the emancipation of enslaved African Americans. Pay homage and give respect to those who helped make Maryland and the US great. **Events are as follows:**

1 pm - Meet in mansion's parking lot. Led by African drummers and dancers, public will walk to the cemetery on site. Dressed in period clothing, Nat'l Park Ranger Anokwale will give voice to those forced into servitude on the Hampton estate by sharing some of their history.

2 pm - Gifted griot and storyteller, **Janice Greene will give a soul stirring portrayal of Harriet Tubman** in front of the overseer's house located on the farm site.

2:45 pm-3:15 pm- On farm site, **Keur Khaleyi African Dance Co.** will honor the ancestors who gave their blood, sweat and tears with drumming and dance.

3:15 pm - 4 pm- Guided tours of the slave quarters, overseer's house and dairy.

Admission is free, reservations are not required, handicap accessible.