

# SCHOOL TRIPS

## THE GARIBALDI-MEUCCI MUSEUM



OUR MOST POPULAR PROGRAMS

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**STREGA NONA**  
**GRADES K - 2**

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**TELEPHONE**  
**THROUGH THE AGES**  
**GRADES 2 - 8**

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**YOUNG INVENTORS**  
**GRADES 3 - 8**

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**EXPLORERS**  
**GRADES 4 - 8**

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**All programs offered**  
**virtually!**

## ABOUT OUR SCHOOL PROGRAMS

AnnMarie Cicero, School Program Coordinator

At the Garibaldi-Meucci Museum it is our mission to keep children engaged and interested in the arts, science, history and culture. We offer in-house and **virtual** school programs. Each program is designed to provide a multi-cultural educational experience for students in grades K-12. We offer a variety of hands-on programs that foster creativity and culture.

Each program includes a variety of learning skills such as exploration, storytelling, visual arts, and creative writing.

For more information, please call (718) 442-1608 or email our School Program Coordinator at: [acicero@garibaldimeuccimuseum.org](mailto:acicero@garibaldimeuccimuseum.org)



## Telephone Through the Ages: Most Popular School Program

We welcome you to the Garibaldi-Meucci Museum, the New York City home of Italian inventor Antonio Meucci -- the true inventor of the telephone -- his wife Esterre and their longtime houseguest, the Italian general, Giuseppe Garibaldi. Located in the heart of Rosebank, Staten Island, the Garibaldi-Meucci Museum is an historic country cottage that was built in the 1840s in a Gothic revival style very popular at the time. Antonio Meucci is responsible for countless inventions still in use today but none more popular and life changing than the telephone. We invite you to learn about the growing development of the telephone with our school program "Telephone Through the Ages" or learn about famous inventors of the past centuries in our "Young Inventors" program. We have exhibits that showcase Meucci's model of the telephone, and the preserved bedroom of General Garibaldi, the founding father of Italy.

In addition to its many school programs, the museum also offers guided historical tours, Italian language and culture classes. At the Garibaldi-Meucci Museum we are always striving to "preserve the past for the future". We hope that you will join us for a taste of what the Garibaldi-Meucci Museum has to offer.



Our school programs are multidisciplinary, integrating:

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|  | Puppetry |  | Literature    |  | History  |
|  | Theater  |  | Film          |  | The Arts |
|  | Music    |   | Arts & Crafts |  | Dance    |



# Garibaldi-Meucci Museum



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## Strega Nona Grades K - 2

A study of the Italian themed children's book: Tomie dePaola's Strega Nona and Big Anthony. Includes literature, art and Italian language lesson.



## Tarantella Grades K - 2

Fiction/Non-fiction study of the nefarious spider and the legend of the tarantella dance. Includes art and dance. The dance portion of this program is held outdoors.



Program available in the spring and fall.

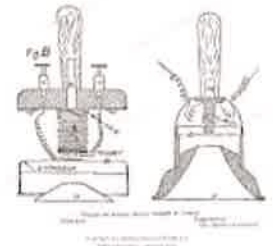
## Telephone Through the Ages Grades 2 - 8

A study of Antonio Meucci's life and home as well as an informative presentation on the different methods of communication. Includes a hands-on visual representation of telephones showcased from the 1800s-2020s. This program also includes an American sign language lesson.



## Young Inventors Grades 3 - 8

Students will learn about the contributions of Antonio Meucci as well as other inventors. Students will create and share their own scientific experiments. Program includes media and art.



## Explorers: Verrazzano Grades 4 - 8

A commemoration of both the 58-year-old bridge and the Italian explorer Giovanni da Verrazzano as well as other legendary explorers. Includes map skills and history.



## Immigrant Kids Grades 4 - 8

A look at the story of more than 12 million immigrants that made their way to America between 1892 and 1954 and shared our nation's legacy. Includes literature and history.



## **Roots of Traditional Art Grades 4 - 12**

This is a study of the basic pencil sketch taught by our resident artist, Prof. William J. Castello. Participants are taught to carefully observe and draw museum artifacts.



## **Pompeii: Buried Alive! Grades 6 - 12**

An explanation of the tragic event that befell the ancient city. In-depth discussion guided by a video presentation of the historic site.



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# **APPLICATIONS FOR 2024 YOUNG INVENTOR'S COMPETITION COMING SOON!**

*PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE TO SEE THE PAST WINNING INVENTIONS*

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