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Explore York to Host Watch Party for Communities That Shaped America: Travels with Darley
York County segment highlights local sites ahead of America’s 250th anniversary

York, PA — Explore York invites the public to attend a screening premiere of the PBS series, *Travels with Darley*, season 13, episode 7, "Communities That Shaped America." Hosted by Emmy-Award-Winning travel host Darley Newman, the event will take place at the Capitol Theatre at the Appell Center for the Performing Arts on Tuesday, March 10, from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.

York County is proud to be featured in this episode alongside other historically significant locations, including Vicksburg, Mississippi; Gettysburg, Pennsylvania; and Brandywine, Pennsylvania. This segment highlights York County’s important role in American history, providing a unique look at the community and landmarks that shaped the nation. The series, which has aired since 2016, broadcasts across the United States and internationally, giving York County valuable exposure to a nationwide and global audience. “Being featured on a nationally and internationally broadcast show like *Travels with Darley* gives York County a powerful platform to showcase our history, culture, and attractions,” said Laura Wagner, President of Explore York. “It raises awareness of our region and inspires travelers to visit, which supports our local economy and tourism industry.”

Melissa Beaverson, Vice President of Marketing and Communications for Explore York, added, “Working with Darley Newman was an absolute pleasure. Her passion for history and travel made telling York’s story both engaging and memorable. We’re excited for viewers to experience our region through her lens.” Attendees at the watch party will have the opportunity to see York County’s story come to life on screen and celebrate the region’s historical heritage. This free public event is perfect for history enthusiasts, families, and visitors looking to explore York’s past in a fun and engaging way.

Event Details:

Communities That Shaped America: Travels with Darley Watch Party

Tuesday, March 10, 2026 | 3:30 – 5:30 p.m.

Capitol Theatre at the Appell Center for the Performing Arts, York, PA

Admission: Free and Open to the Public

Reserve Tickets at: www.eventbrite.com/e/travels-with-darley-visits-york-county-pa-tickets



About Explore York:

Explore York's mission is to maximize tourism expenditures and their economic impact in York County, PA, through comprehensive tourism sales and marketing programs. Explore York's vision is for a York County where tourism is recognized for the value of its economic impact and its role in raising the profile of York County as a sought-after destination. For more information on Explore York, visit YorkPA.org.