Well, it's official - the Commission has moved along with the rest of Cumberland County administration to 164 West Broad Street in the heart of Bridgeton. See the article below for details on an open house. Wish us luck in our new home!

PLEASE NOTE: We are working on our website, and during this period some functions may not be available. Please bear with us as we refresh our online presence. You can always stay connected by checking out one of our social media pages - just click one of the social media sites to the lower left.

After much anticipation and a few false starts, the Cumberland County Administration Building, including the Cultural & Heritage Commission, moved from the outskirts of Bridgeton on Route 49 to the heart of town at 164 West Broad Street, Bridgeton. Originally built in 1963 as the home of the Cumberland Insurance Group, the building was designed by Harry Van Dexter in the Contemporary Modern style. In fact, it is a fabulous textbook example of the style, with its large front-facing gables, exposed supporting beams, low-pitched gable roof, and fieldstone cladding. Reminiscent of the home from
the Brady Bunch or the interiors from Mad Men, the building is the perfect fit for the county's administration offices.

The public is invited to a special dedication and open house of the Cumberland County Charles "Chuck" Fisher Administration Building. The celebration will begin at 1 PM on Thursday, June 11th. A brief ceremony will be followed by networking and tours of our new headquarters. In addition, light refreshments will be provided by our New Jersey Association of Counties People’s Choice Gold Medal Award winning Culinary Arts Students from Cumberland County Technical Education Center. If you plan to attend, please confirm your attendance with Blake Hetherington in the Freeholder Office at (856) 453-2236 no later than Friday, June 5th.

Cultural & Heritage Commission Change of Monthly Meeting Date

Now that the Cumberland County Freeholder Board meetings will all be held at the new administration building, the Cultural and Heritage Commission meetings will be moving from the 4th Tuesday of each month to the 4th Wednesday of each month in order to avoid a scheduling conflict. The time of the regular public meetings will remain the same at 3:30 PM in the afternoon. For the remainder of 2015, the meeting dates will be: June 24th, July 29th, August 26th, September 23rd, October 28th, November 25th, and December 23rd.
Bay Day is Saturday, June 6th, 2015!!

Delaware 'Bay Day' is the largest FREE festival in the tri-state region. It will be held along the 'wild and scenic' Maurice River in the historic New Jersey fishing villages of Bivalve and Port Norris. The day is filled with activities which are quintessentially South Jersey - great food, great music and activities showcasing the unique ecology and culture of the bayshore. The A.J. Meerwald, New Jersey's official tall ship, will be conducting river cruises throughout the day. The music runs all day and includes everything from country/folk to jazz to choral. A Bay Day Strut reminiscent of Mardi Gras will begin at 11 AM and proceed down Main Street in Port Norris with prizes for the best costume, best costumed pet, best decorated bike, best patriotic act and best musical act. All of this plus blue crab races, tonging trials, an oyster shucking contest, a lighted boat parade and fireworks! If you have never been before, this is definitely a festival to check out. For more information, click on the image or visit [www.bayshorecenter.org](http://www.bayshorecenter.org).

Not To Miss Events in Cumberland County

June 11
Levoy Theatre presents one of the most recognizable voices in Country music, Tracy Lawrence, with songs such as "Paint Me a Birmingham," "Time Marches On," "Alibis" and "Find Out Who Your Friends Are." The entertainer has enjoyed twenty-two songs on the Billboard top ten charts with eighteen number one singles, selling over thirteen million albums.

June 20
Cumberland County Library will host a free public program, "FDR: Arsenal of Democracy." Scholar and actor Neil Hartley of The American Historical Theatre will portray President Franklin Delano Roosevelt in an hour-long performance, including time for questions and answers from the audience. Learn what President Roosevelt was thinking and listen to his plea for the support of our Allies. Experience first hand the history that helped shape our nation.
June 21
The international award-winning hit Legally Blonde The Musical is coming to the Levoy Theatre after 3 triumphant years in the West End. Winner of 7 major awards including the coveted Best Musical 2011 (Olivier Awards) this all singing, all dancing romantic comedy is about knowing who you are and showing what you've got! Elle Woods can handle anything. So when her boyfriend, Warner, dumps her she decides to follow him to Harvard Law School and win him back. With some help from new-found friends Paulette, Emmett and her chihuahua Bruiser, she learns that it's so much better to be smart.

June 23
Los Lonely Boys, an American Chicano rock power trio from San Angelo, Texas is coming to the Landis Theater in Vineland. They play a style of music they call "Texican Rock n' Roll," combining elements of rock and roll, Texas blues, brown eyed soul, country, and Tejano. The band consists of three brothers: Henry (guitar, vocals), Jojo (bass, vocals), and Ringo (drums, vocals) Garza.

June 25
Art Garfunkel is coming to the Levoy Theatre! Garfunkel is a Grammy Award-winning American singer, poet, and Golden Globe-nominated actor best known for his partnership with Paul Simon in the folk rock duo Simon & Garfunkel. Highlights of his solo music career include a top 10 hit, three top 20 hits, six top 40 hits, 14 Adult Contemporary top 30 singles, five Adult Contemporary number ones, two UK number ones and a People's Choice Award. Through his solo and collaborative work, Garfunkel has earned six Grammys, including the Lifetime Achievement Award. In 1990, he and former musical partner Simon were inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame.
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Gert Vovin & Ed Kline

JUNE 14|15|16|17|18
Fresno Ristorante
412 Bank Street, Cape May
Opening night hosted by
Miriam & Larry Dirsch

JUNE 21|22|23|24|25
Sofia Restaurant
9314 Amherst Avenue, Margate
Opening night hosted by
Garle & Dr. Andrea Glass

Opening night. Meet the Chef events are elaborate cocktail receptions at $1200 per couple, per event including taxes and gratuity— or all three nights for $5400 per couple, payable to Jewish Federation by check or credit card.

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