



# *Les Dames d'Escoffier*

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**LES DAMES D'ESCOFFIER NEW YORK - MULTI-BOROUGH FOOD CULTURE SERIES  
HISTORIC RICHMOND TOWN/1819 GUYON TAVERN TOUR & LUNCH  
Sunday, May 6, 2012 - 11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

New York, NY, April 24, 2012– Les Dames d'Escoffier New York ([LDNY](#))—founding and largest chapter of [Les Dames d'Escoffier International](#)—will host a food culture experience, "300 years of time travel," with a tour by guides in period attire at Historic Richmond Town, New York City's only meticulously preserved restoration. The May 6<sup>th</sup> tour will be followed by an authentic "mid-day dinner" at 1819 Guyon Tavern, featuring dishes based on age-old recipes of Dutch, English and local influences—collected by the Staten Island Historical Society—paired with traditional chilled cider and wine.

Part of LDNY's continuing Multi-Borough Event Series, don't miss this rare opportunity to explore New York's culinary past. Tickets for the general public are \$55 (adults); mature young adults (10+) \$25.00. Price includes: Shuttle transportation; guided tour; historic Tavern mid-day dinner; beverages; entertainment; Richmond Town gifts, treats and surprises. For ticket purchase, visit: <http://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/241605>.

Sunday, May 6, 2012  
11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Historic Richmond Town  
441 Clarke Avenue  
Staten Island, New York 10306

GETTING THERE  
Departure: 11:30 a.m.  
Meeting place: Staten Island Ferry Terminal,  
Battery Park/Lower Manhattan

A private R/T shuttle will pick up ticket holders at St. George Terminal, for a scenic 30-minute drive to Historic Richmond Town, centrally located on Staten Island. The homebound shuttle returns to St. George terminal in time to board the 4:20 PM ferry to lower Manhattan.

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Les Dames d'Escoffier New York is committed to education, advocacy, and philanthropy within the culinary arts and hospitality fields. These endeavors are primarily achieved through corporate, academic, private and membership funding of its Make A Difference scholarship and mentoring programs to help empower talented and deserving women pursue and achieve leadership roles in their chosen careers. For more information, visit [www.ldny.org](http://www.ldny.org); follow LDNY on [Facebook/Les-Dames-dEscoffier-New-York](#) and [Twitter@LesDamesNY](#). Dame Melanie Young, President, LDNY/NY [melanie@theconnectedtable.com](mailto:melanie@theconnectedtable.com)