

## About Us

The town was set off and incorporated on February 10, 1823, taking its name from the old fort. Farms produced hay and potatoes. With the arrival of steamboats in the 1830s, Richmond boomed as a shipbuilding and trade center. A brass foundry was established. The community also produced shoes, sales and wood products. Its peak years were between 1835 and 1857, endowing the town with a wealth of fine Greek Revival architecture, which today makes the old Riverport popular with tourists.



Bicentennial Coins \$10.  
on sale at the Town Office  
Online Richmond Apparel  
store coming soon!

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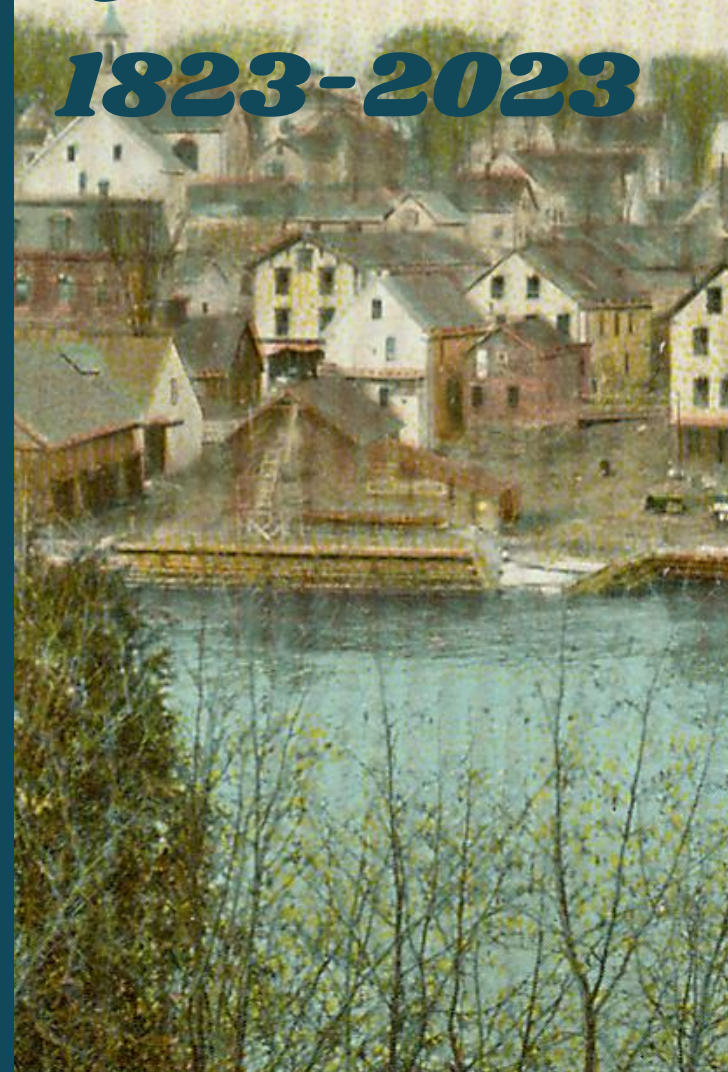
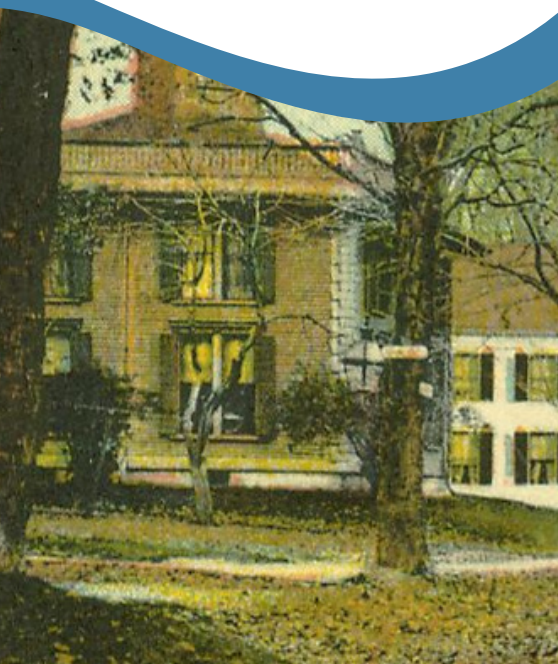
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Events subject to change, and/or added or  
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## Schedule of Events

# Richmond Maine Bicentennial 1823-2023





# February 10

Incorporation Day  
Fireworks  
Alumni Basketball Game  
RHS High School  
Time: 6:00p.m.

# February 11

Richmond's Ice Heritage  
Waterfront Park  
Ice Sculptures/Live Demos  
Snow Sculpting  
Ice Skating Party

# February 19

Ice Fishing Derby  
Pleasant Pond  
Information to come



Corner Main and North Streets

# May 6 & 7

Enterprise Grange: ART FEST by the Kennebec  
Time: 9-4p.m.

# May 29

11:00a.m.  
Memorial Day Parade  
Ceremony in the Park

# June 24

RB Hall Day  
Location: Waterfront Park  
Time: 8:00-8:00p.m.

# July 12

Richmond Raceway  
Largest Kart Race in the  
Northeast!

# July 21-30

Richmond Days Week  
Richmond Through the Years!  
FULL RICHMOND DAYS BROCHURE  
OUT IN THE SPRING!

# September

Autumn Harvest & Street Dinner

# October 31

Annual Halloween Festival

# December 3

Last event of 2023!  
Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony



# The Richmond Bee

RICHMOND, MAINE, FRIDAY, JUNE 14, 1907

## Math's Big Store

...a special trip to the Big Store; We can  
money on all kinds of merchandise in our  
E SPECIAL JUNE SALE HAS BEEN  
ED FOR THREE DAYS LONGER.  
bargains left yet.

## AT PEACE WITH THEIR MAKER

Two Highly Respected  
Richmond People

A Former Richmond Resident  
Died At Amherst, Mass.

## GETCHELL SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

A Grand Success And  
Enjoyable Affair

A Goodly Sum Netted For  
Benefit of the School

## JUNE WEDDINGS IN OUR VICINITY

Popular Young Ladies At  
The Marriage Altar

After Honeymoon Trip Will  
Settle In New Home

## RICHMOND MOURNS DEATH OF TALENTED MUSICIAN

Professor R. B. Hall, Known as "Ma  
King" of Maine, Passes Away

Former Governor, Senator, Scholar, and Poet

