



Harrisonburg Welcomes SAGA

For Our Annual Meeting, April 17–18, 2026

*Lindale Mennonite Church, 6255 Jesse Bennett Way, Linville, VA 22834
Five miles north of Harrisonburg just east of Route 42*



Replica of David Heatwole's shoemaker shop

Anabaptist History in Virginia

Come early on Friday to enjoy open houses and special events highlighting Anabaptist history in Virginia. Participating sites include the Brethren & Mennonite Heritage Center, Rocktown History, the John Kline Homestead, EMU Archives, Bridgewater College Special Collections, the Joseph Funk House, Fort Harrison, the Lincoln Homestead, Silver Lake Mill, and the Quilt Museum. Details to come.

Lindale Mennonite Church will open its fellowship hall on Friday at 9 a.m. and remain open all day to provide information, directions, maps, restrooms, book sales, SAGA tutorials, and many opportunities for fellowship. The church will provide a buffet dinner (\$22) at 6 p.m. followed by a presentation on the “Anabaptist Underground Railroad” by Karl Rhodes.

We will reconvene at the church on Saturday at 8:15 a.m. for coffee and registration, followed by our annual meeting and two presentations: “People of Peace” by Elwood Yoder and “Two Amish Mavericks” by Loren Johns. The church will offer a light lunch (\$12) at noon, and several of the museums and historical sites listed above will be open in the afternoon.

ALL PRESENTATIONS ARE FREE AND OPEN TO EVERYONE.

MUSEUMS MAY HAVE SMALL FEES OR SUGGESTED DONATIONS.

PLEASE REGISTER BY MARCH 15.

Direct questions to Karl Rhodes at karlwrhodes@gmail.com

