



# Cold Spring Final Case Study

## The Foxy 5

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“One sip that impacted the course of history”

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# ★ Thesis ★



Cold Spring, New York is a historical village that has routes all the way back to the American Revolution and played a key role in the development of the United States of America.

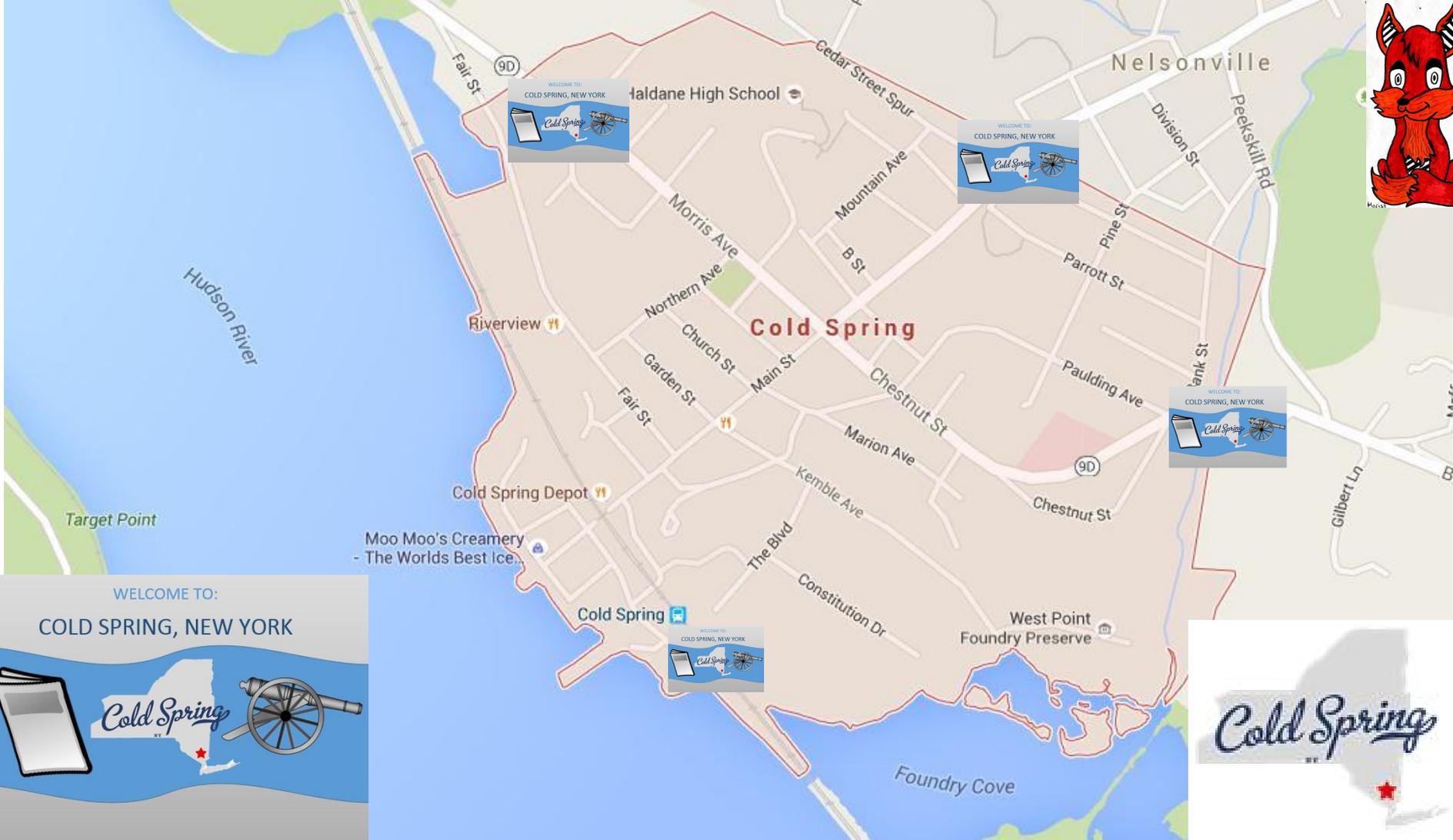
Today it is known for its beauty and strong family ties. The village allows for tourists to visit with children and learn about the impact it has played in our nation.

# A look back on our Mid-term

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- History
- Key Sites
- Wayside Exhibits
- Highway Markers
- Tourism Development





# Itinerary



## Day 1/Night 1 - Constitution Island

10:00..Drive to West Point South Dock

11:30..Boat arrives to go to Constitution Island

12:00-2:00..Two hour guided walking tour throughout the Island (Visiting the site of Anna And Susan Warners House)

3:00..Grab lunch at General Patton Tavern

5:00..Check into Thayer Hotel

6:30..Dinner at MacArthur's Riverview Restaurant

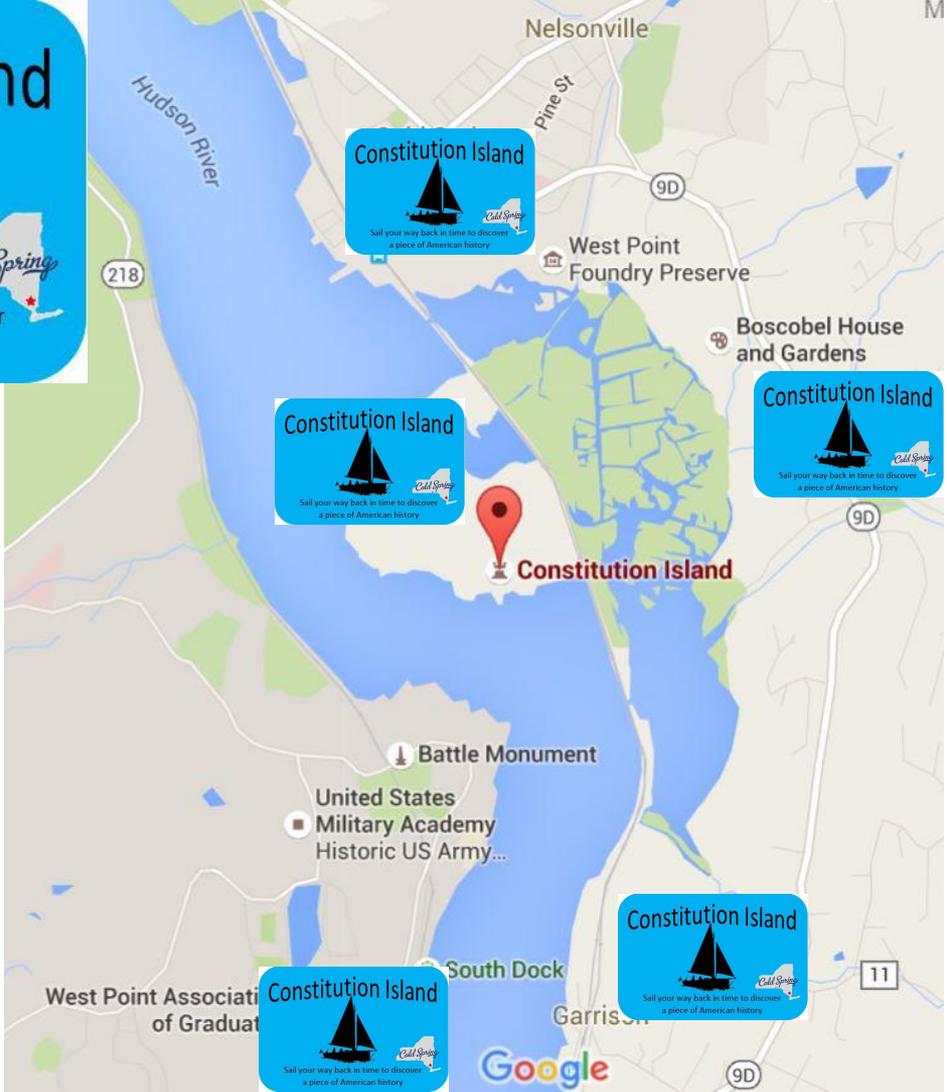
9:00..Report back to the hotel for a luxurious night



# Constitution Island



Sail your way back in time to discover  
a piece of American history



# CONSTITUTION ISLAND



This area is important because it was along the Hudson River Valley, which made it easy for the transportation of supplies and troops. Today people go on walking tours to learn about the island and its impacts of the Revolutionary War.

An important place for the Early Revolutionary War



Stunning Views!



Come visit more exhibits in this historical area and learn about how our village routes all the way back to the American Revolution. Cold Spring played a key role in the development of the United States of America.



# Guidebook



# Constitution Island



**Address:** United States Military Academy, 2110 New South Post Road, West Point, NY 10996

**Website:** <http://www.constitutionisland.org/>

**Phone:** (845)-265-2501

**Hours:** June 8th, July 13th, August 10th, September 14th.

## Historical Description:

- Located on the east side of the Hudson River
- Use: Native Americans used Constitution Island for trade, transportation, hunting, and fishing.
- “In 1609, Robert Juet, a sailor aboard Henry Hudson’s Halve Maen, described the island in the curve of the Hudson River for the first time in writing.”
- Island previously known as: “Martelaer Rock” (Both quotes from:<http://www.constitutionisland.org/#!history/ccjp>)
- “During American Revolutionary War, it was named by American Colonists who were fighting for their right under British Constitution.”

## The Site:

- Anna & Susan Warner’s House.
- Cannon
- Tours- by boat

## Directions:

Car: Follow US-9W to Albany Post Rd in Newburgh. Get on US-9W in New Windsor from Old Balmville Rd and NYS Reference Rt 980T. Follow US-9WS to NY-218 S/Mountain Ave in Highlands. Take the NY-218 exit from US-9W S. Continue on NY-218 S Mountain Ave. Take W Point Hwy and Williams Rd to Ernst Rd.

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# Lesson Plan - Constitution Island

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- Constitution Island played a significant role in the American Revolutionary War
  - During this time, the Continental Congress was advocating for the Hudson River to be fortified against the British
  - At this location, the students will be divided into two groups (American colonists and the British). The students will reenact the events that took place at Constitution Island during the 1770s, included the logs and chains that were spread across the Hudson River between West Point and Constitution Island.



# Anna & Susan Warner's House



Cold Spring

Sparking a love of reading in the Hudson River Valley one book at a time.

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Magazine Point

Constitution Island



Maria



# ANNA AND SUSAN WARNER'S HOUSE

These woman were famous for their works of literature in their time

The sisters lived here until their deaths, Susan in 1885 and Anna in 1915. Their personal story is astounding in its own right, but what makes it truly amazing is that Susan wrote the first bestselling novel of the 19<sup>th</sup> century here.



Come visit more exhibits in this historical area and learn about how our village roots all the way back to the American Revolution. Cold Spring played a key role in the development of the United States of America.

House today is open to tours!



# Anna & Susan Warner's House

**Address:** Not open for tours.

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**Phone:** 845-265-2501

**Hours:** Not open for tours.

## Historical Description:

- Henry Warner purchased in 1837
- 2 Daughters: Anna & Susan began writing careers
- Susan is most known for her 1850 novel "The Wide, Wide World."
- Anna is most known for her 1860 hymn "Jesus Loves Me."
- They taught Bible classes to West Point Cadets.

## The Site:

- Anna & Susan Warner's house from 1837.

## Directions:

Car: Follow US-9W to Albany Post Rd in Newburgh. Get on US-9W in New Windsor from Old Balmville Rd and NYS Reference Rt 980T. Follow US-9WS to NY-218 S/Mountain Ave in Highlands. Take the NY-218 exit from US-9W S. Continue on NY-218 S Mountain Ave. Take W Point Hwy and Williams Rd to Ernst Rd.

**Picture:** <http://www.constitutionisland.org/#!/zoom/ccjp/dataltem-ij7d9uu5>



# Lesson Plan - Anna and Susan Warner's House



- — — ● Anna and Susan Warner's home is located on Constitution Island
- The students will analyze Anna Warner's hymn *Jesus Loves Me* and be directed to create their own song about something they are passionate about
- Then, the teacher will read Susan Warner's *The Wide, Wide World*
  - After the students listen to the reading they will be directed to analyze the paragraph and express their feelings on what they believe is occurring in the story.



# Itinerary



## Day 2/Night 2 - Putnam History Museum/West Point Foundry

10:30.. Drive to Putnam History Museum

11:30.. Explore the Museum- walk around and look at all the information and history of the West Point Foundry

1:00.. Drive to West Point Foundry

1:15.. Picnic time for lunch

2:00.. Start the hike at the designated spot

5:30.. Check in to The Garrison Hotel

7:00.. Dinner at the Valley



Putnam History Museum



0.3 Miles

# Putnam History Museum



Educating the Hudson River Valley one visitor at a time





# PUTNAM HISTORY MUSEUMS



Shows the presence of the History of the Putnam Country, West Point Foundry, and the Hudson Highlights

The mission of the Putnam History Museum is to collect, preserve, interpret and present the history of the Putnam County, Philips town, West Point Foundry, and the Hudson Highlights. Through exhibitions, programs, and events, the museum uses its collections to engage a community with vibrant history of the region and develop an understanding of the roll it played in the growth of our nation .



Learn about the History of the Area!



Come visit more exhibits in this historical area and learn about how our village routes all the way back to the American Revolution. Cold Spring played a key role in the development of the United States of America.





# Putnam History Museum

**Address:** 63 Chestnut St, Cold Spring, NY 10516

**Website:** <http://www.putnamhistorymuseum.com/home/>



**Phone:** (845)-265-4010

**Hours:** CLOSED: Monday & Tuesday's OPEN: Wens-Sun 11am - 5 pm

## Historical Description:

- Owned by a non-for-profit
- Expeditions: about the history of West Point, war in Hudson Highlands, and war in general.
- Features: Ironwork, produced at the Mill, Parrott Rifle, and John Ferhuson's Weir (1866) Painting "The Gun Foundry."

## The Site:

- A museum of West Point Foundry and history.

## Directions:

**Car:** Take NY-9DS in Fishkill. Take exit 11 from I-84E/NY-52E. Follow NY-9DS to Chestnut St. in Cold Spring. Turn Right onto NY-9DS. Slight Right onto Chestnut Street. The destination will be on the right.

**Train:** Take Metro North to Cold Spring station. Walk NE on the BLVD toward Forge Gate Dr. Turn left onto Kemble Ave. Right on Wall St. Right onto Furnace St. Right on Chestnut St. Destination will be on the right.

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# Lesson Plan - Putnam History Museum

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- The Putnam History Museum is located next to the West Point Gun Foundry
  - After the students tour the significant locations at the foundry then the class will hike through the ruins of this location the students will complete a scavenger hunt
  - They will break off into five groups and the group that is able to distinguish each location on the scavenger hunt first will win and receive candy

HUDSON HIGHLANDS

P U T N A M

H I S T O R Y

M U S E U M

WEST POINT FOUNDRY



West Point Foundry



0.5 Miles

West Point Foundry



A look into history



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# West Point Foundry



## A look into history



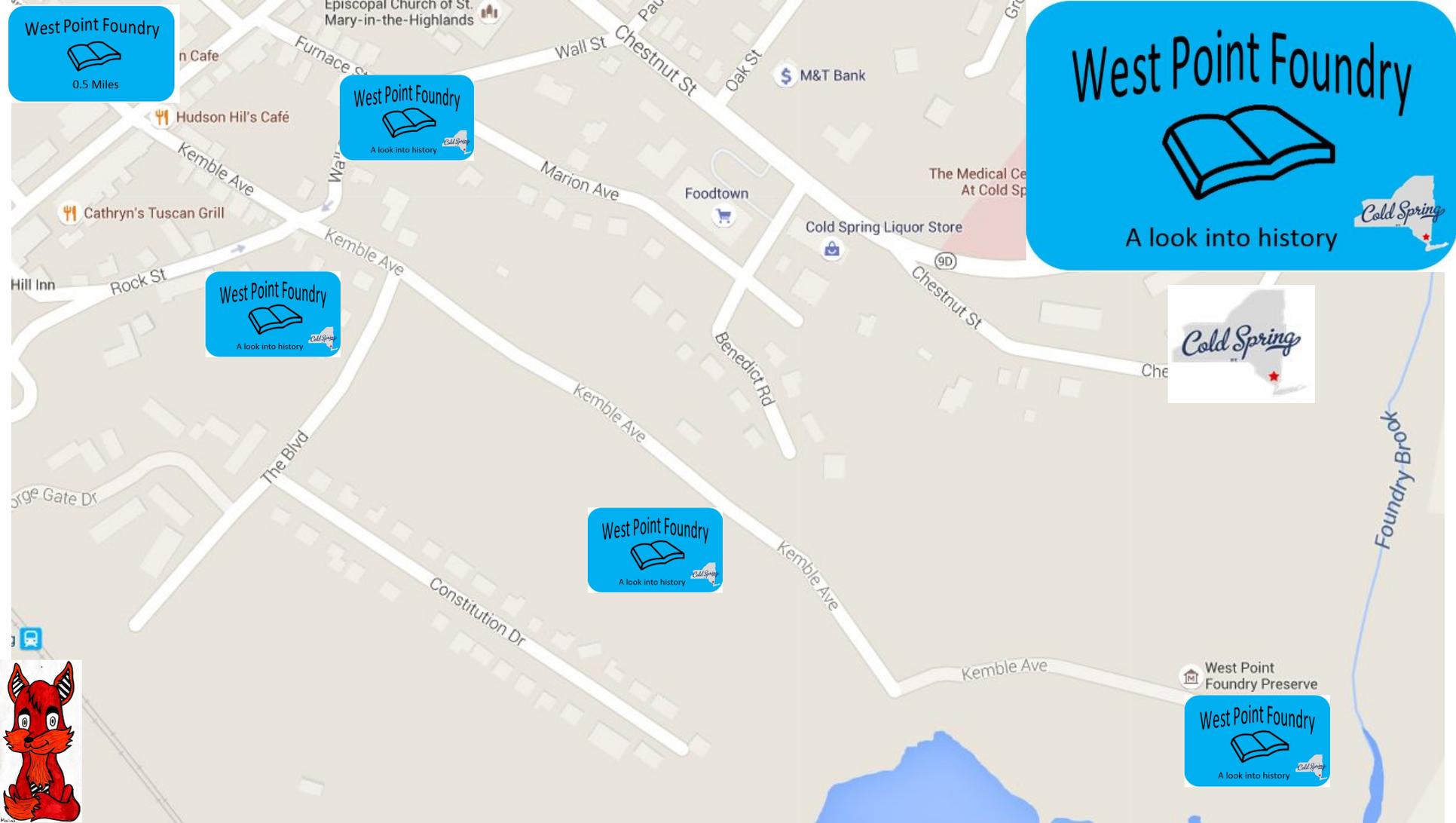
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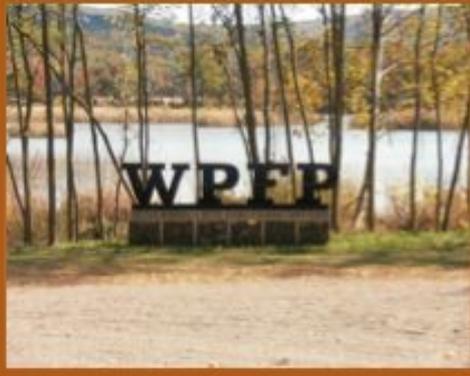


Foundry Brook



West Point Foundry Preserve





# WEST POINT FOUNDRY PRESERVE

An excellent opportunity to explore  
history and nature



Famous for Parrot Rifles!

The West Point Foundry was an early ironworks in Cold Spring, New York and operated from 1817 to 1911. After foundry operations ended in 1911, nature slowly took the land. The trails today follow old rail beds and pass remains of the casting house, boring mill and other foundry structures that led to the preserve's addition on the National Register of Historic Places.

Come visit more exhibits in this historical area and learn about how our village routes all the way back to the American Revolution. Cold Spring played a key role in the development of the United States of America.





# West Point Foundry Preserve

**Address:** 80 Kemble Ave, Cold Spring, NY 10516

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**Website:** <http://www.scenichudson.org/parks/westpointfoundrypreserve>

**Phone:** (845)-473-4440

**Hours:** Everyday. Dawn-Dusk.

## Historical Description:

- In 1812, founded by President James Madison as a weapon foundry.
- Most famous for: introducing Parrott Rifles during the Civil War.
- Manufactured: a lot of iron machines, weapons, etc.
- Currently the Scenic Hudson owns the Foundry.

## The Site:

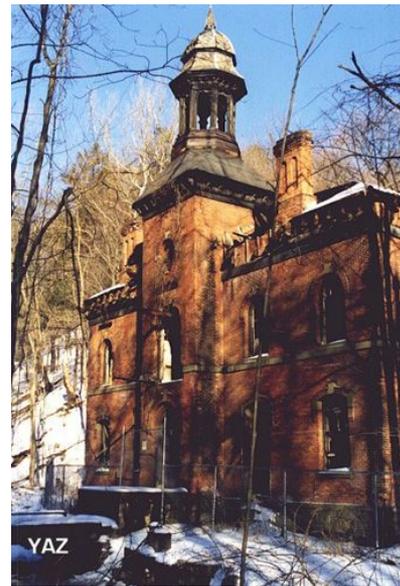
- On the hike you will see the Foundry Dock, The Chapel Restoration, William Kemble's House, Original Foundry Dock, Gun Testing Platform, Pattern Shop, 1865 Office Building, Foundry Brook, Machine Shop, Casting Shop, Blacksmith Shop, Boring Mill, Blast Furnace, Site Overlook, and Rascal Hill Houses.

## Directions:

**By Car:** Follow I-87 S and I-84 E to NY-9D S in Fishkill. Take exit 11 from I-84E. Turn Right to NY-9DS Slight right onto Fair St./River Rd. Turn Right onto Main St. Turn left onto Rock St. Turn right onto Kemble Ave. Destination will be on the left.

**Train:** Take Metro North to Cold Spring. Walk under the underpass. Walk up Main St to Kemble Ave. Turn right onto Kemble & walk until you see the gates for the Preserve.

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# Lesson Plan - West Point Foundry Preserve



- The class will take a tour of the foundry
  - The tour will focus on the 100-year history of the foundry
  - While on the tour, the students will be responsible to complete a worksheet with the key events and dates that occurred at the West Point Foundry
  - On the tour we will stop at the most important stops which include:
    - The Foundry Dock
    - The Chapel Restoration
    - William Kemble House
    - Original Foundry Dock
    - Gun Testing Platform
    - 1865 Office Building
    - The Blacksmith Shop
    - Blast Furnace
    - Rascal Hill Houses



# Itinerary



## Day 3– Main Street Historic District

11:00..Depart from the hotel and go to the town

11:30..Start the day by going shopping through town

1:00..Lunch at the Hudson Hill Cafe and Market

4:00..Ride the trolley through the town

5:00..Visit the Gazebo at the end of the street with the parrot rifle made at the West Point Foundry

6:00..Depart from Cold Spring

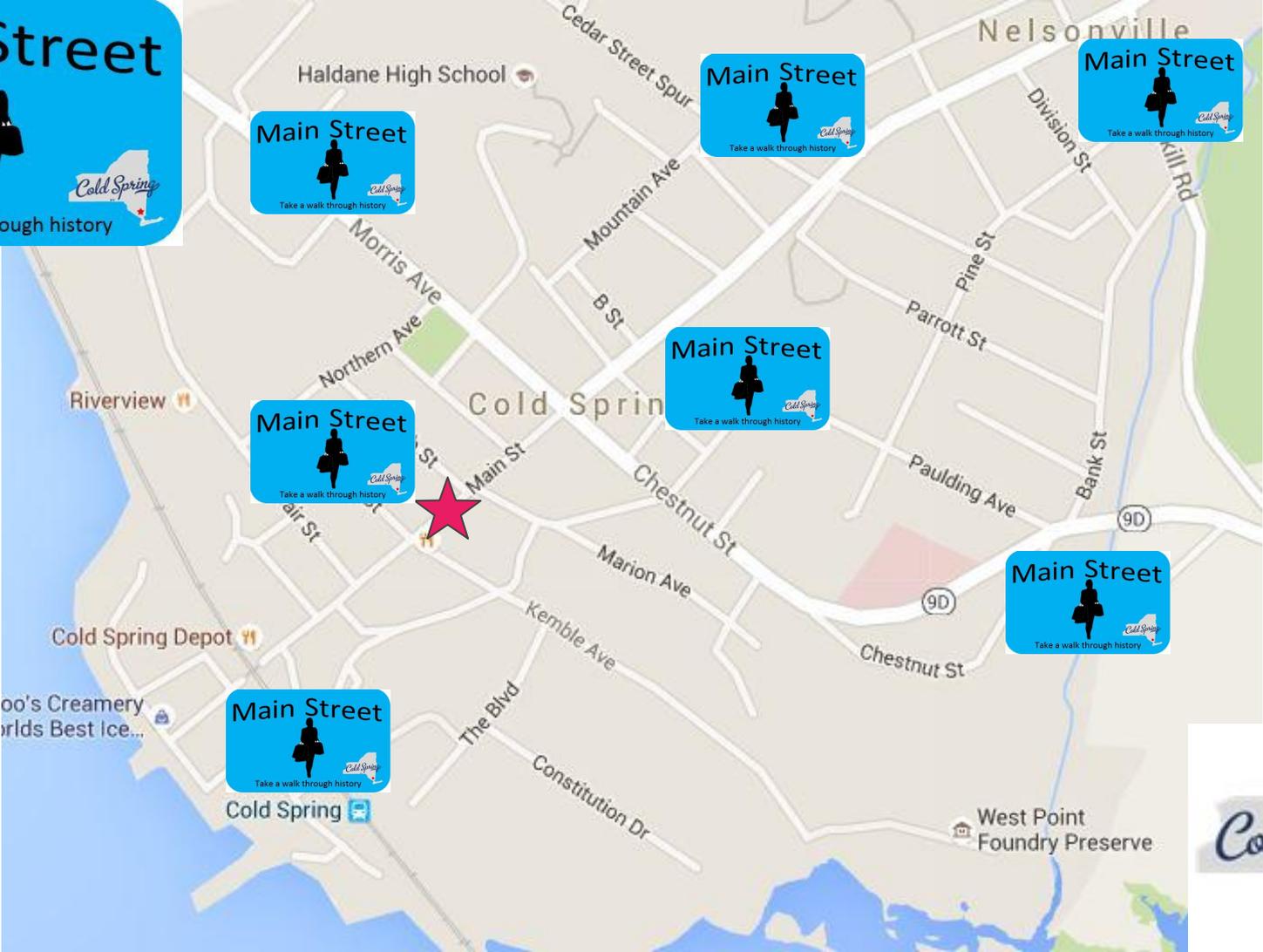


# Main Street



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Take a walk through history



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# MAIN STREET HISTORIC DISTRICT



In the Mid and late 1800's, this area served as a whaling community and business district. The area is an important piece of architecture to the community and today people can walk around to see many of Cold Spring's historic buildings. The Main Street Historic District is a great day trip today!

The heart of the Cold Spring  
Community



Filled today with unique restaurants and stores!



Come visit more exhibits in this historical area and learn about how our village routes all the way back to the American Revolution. Cold Spring played a key role in the development of the United States of America.





# Main Street Historic District

**Address:** 85 Main St Cold Spring, NY 10516

**Website:** <http://www.coldspringliving.com/mainstreet.htm>

**Phone:** (845) 422-0686

**Hours:** 7 days a week, 9am-5pm

## Historical Description:

- Existed before Civil War: Most houses, churches, and other buildings
- Parrott Rifle close to the Hudson River- it was made at West Point Foundry.

## The Site:

- Parrot Rifle
- Gazebo- holds concerts/events
- Businesses, Stores, and Restaurants

## Directions:

**Car:** Take U.S. 9 S to Fishkill Rd in Philipstown. Continue on Fishkill Rd. Turn right onto Fishkill Rd. Turn right onto Main St.

**Train:** Take Metro North to Cold Spring Station. Walk NE on Lunn Terrace toward Forge Gate Dr. Turn right onto Main St.

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# Lesson Plan - Main Street Historic District

- Main Street has now been transformed into many antique shops, restaurants, cafes, and live entertainment
- While visiting Main Street the students will be instructed to observe the architecture of the buildings and create their own paintings
  - Colonial and Victorian styles
  - Most of these historic buildings were constructed before the Civil War and there are currently around 200 buildings that have been preserved



# Conclusion

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Cold Spring, New York is a strongly family oriented town that holds a great deal of historical significance. While in Cold Spring, individuals have the amazing opportunity to travel back in time and learn about Constitution Island, The West Point Foundry, and the historical buildings on Main Street. Cold Spring has something for everyone, plan your visit today!



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