



## **Southold Historical Museum** PRESS RELEASE

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### **Southold Historical Museum Continues Winter Lecture Series: “Farm to Table: A Not so New Concept”**

Southold Historical Museum 2024 Winter Lecture Series, “Farm to Table: A Not So New Concept” continues in March. For centuries, farming has been integral to life on the North Fork. In recent years, there has been a vibrant “Farm to Table” movement wherein chefs and home cooks prepare locally-sourced food. The Winter Lecture Series began with an examination of local cuisine and the next lecture will explore the history behind it.

The second lecture in the series “An Historic Timeline of Food” will be held on Saturday, March 9, at 11am at the Southold Town Recreation Center at 970 Peconic Lane, Peconic, NY 11958. The guest speaker Diane Schwindt, an historic cook at the Ketcham Inn Foundation Museum, will take the audience on a journey to learn about the evolution of food. She will explain the advancements and improvements that have been made over time and demonstrate the use of some of the tools that have been used throughout the progression.

Deanna Witte-Walker, Southold Historical Museum’s executive director, stated, “My first impression of Diane is that she is both passionate about food and particular about historical accuracy. I suspect that attendees to this next talk will leave with a real appreciation for the foods that are consumed at the dining table today.”

The Winter Lecture Series is free and open to the public. Programs such as these support the mission of Southold Historical Museum to promote interest in and education about our local history. The Museum is indebted to the community for its support and specifically to The Poliwoda Team of Douglas Elliman Real Estate for their sponsorship of the “Farm to Table: A Not so New Concept” Winter Lecture Series.

For more information on this event or any other museum programs, please call (631) 765-5500 or email [info@southoldhistorical.org](mailto:info@southoldhistorical.org). The “Farm to Table: A Not so New Concept” Lecture series continues through early spring with other guest speakers. More information to follow. Visit our website for other upcoming events: [www.SoutholdHistorical.org](http://www.SoutholdHistorical.org)