

# Celebrating Georgia Day

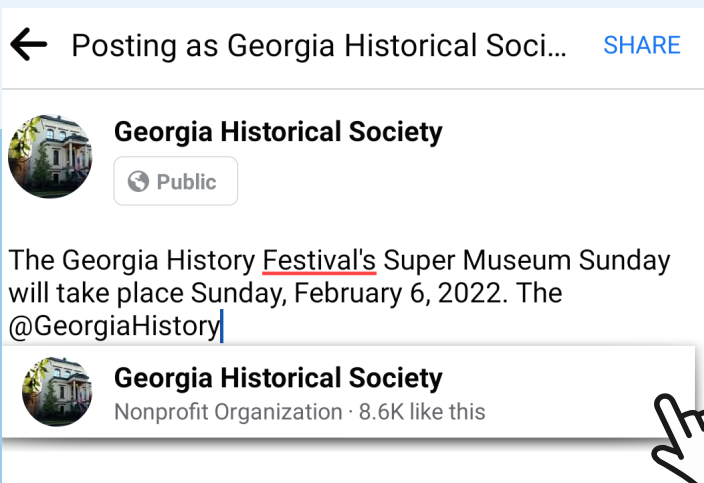
Since the earliest days of the colony's founding, Georgians have commemorated the landing of James Edward Oglethorpe and first English settlers at Savannah on February 12, 1733. New learning activities from the Georgia Historical Society (GHS) encourage today's students to honor the spirit of the original Trustees whose motto, *Non Sibi, Sed Aliis* (Not for Self, but for Others) inspired Georgia's founding.

## Promoting Georgia Day on Social Media


If your school is commemorating Georgia's Birthday, let the world and GHS know on social media. GHS created this guide to help you to maximize your school's outreach for Georgia Day. Make sure to use the hashtags #GHF2022, #GeorgiaHistoryFestival, and #GeorgiaDay on all social media posts.

## WHAT IS GEORGIA DAY?


- A day to recognize the anniversary of Georgia's founding, the founders, and their motivations for establishing the colony of Georgia.
- A day to remember the motto of the Georgia Trustees, "Non Sibi, Sed Aliis, "Not for Self but for Others"", and that Georgia was founded on unique principles of philanthropy and economy.
- A day to celebrate Georgia getting another year older. (Georgia is 289 years old, by the way.)
- A day to create a better understanding of Georgia's past in order to help create a better future.
- A day to give thanks to Georgians who have worked to shape the state.
- A day to examine Georgia's history.
- A day to make a plan to help Georgia prosper.
- A day to acknowledge Georgia's place in our lives and in our history.
- A day to be a Georgian and to appreciate what brings us together.




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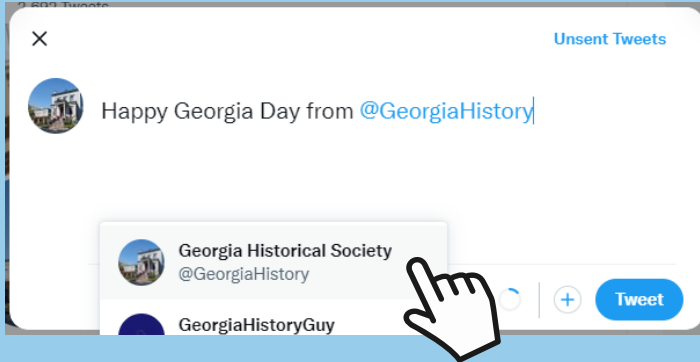
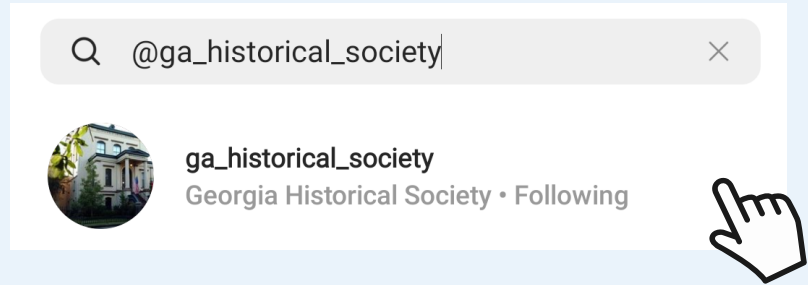


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Be sure to tag the Georgia Historical Society by typing @Georgia Historical Society (@GeorgiaHistory), so GHS can like and share your post with our followers.

## SHARING ON INSTAGRAM

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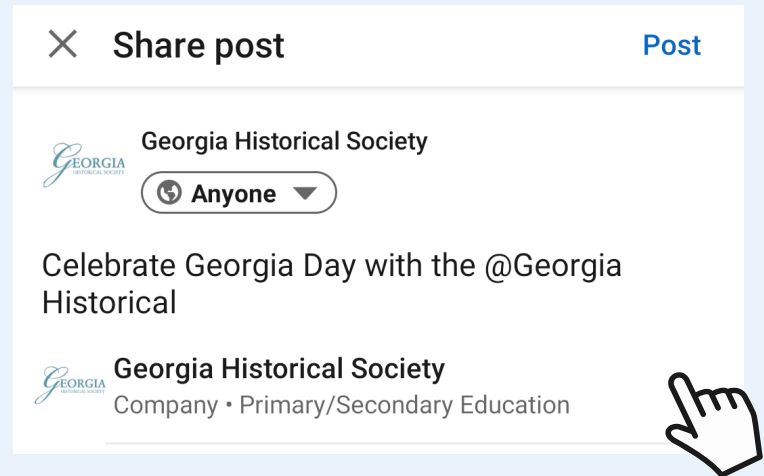


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## SHARING ON LINKEDIN

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## CONTACT GHS FOR MORE!

If you have an idea for commemorating Georgia Day, GHS would love to hear from you. Contact Education Manager Lisa Landers by phone at 912.651.2125 ext. 152 or by email at [llanders@georgiahistory.com](mailto:llanders@georgiahistory.com). Thank you for helping make Georgia Day a success!