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**HIGH POINT MUSEUM HOSTS AMERICA250 TIME CAPSULE DEDICATION FOR  
GUILFORD COUNTY**

**HIGH POINT, N.C. (April 7, 2026)** – The High Point Museum will host a dedication ceremony for the America250 – Guilford County Time Capsule on Saturday, April 18. This free event is open to people of all ages and will take place from 2 to 4 p.m. at the museum, located at 1859 E. Lexington Ave.

Visitors won't want to miss the chance to be part of history. This special event will feature live music, refreshments, a photo booth and a rare opportunity to view some of the items before they are sealed away at the end of the year. The time capsule will remain closed until America's 300th anniversary in 2076.

The America250 – Guilford County Time Capsule will be housed at the High Point Museum in the High Point Historical Society collections storage area. The America250 – Guilford County Committee is collecting county-specific items for the capsule from community members, businesses and organizations.

"The time capsule is a way for Guilford County residents to speak directly to the future," said Museum Director Edith Brady. "The items we collect will tell the story of who we are as a community in 2026 and help future generations understand what life was like here as the nation marked its 250th anniversary."

The ceremony will coincide with the Museum's launch of its Wish Wall, a nationwide project led by Made By Us to collect Americans' hopes for the future ahead of America's 250th anniversary. The finished wall will debut in High Point on July 4, 2026.

Community members interested in donating items to the time capsule can learn more by visiting the museum's website at [www.highpointmuseum.org](http://www.highpointmuseum.org).

This program is free and open to the public.

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