

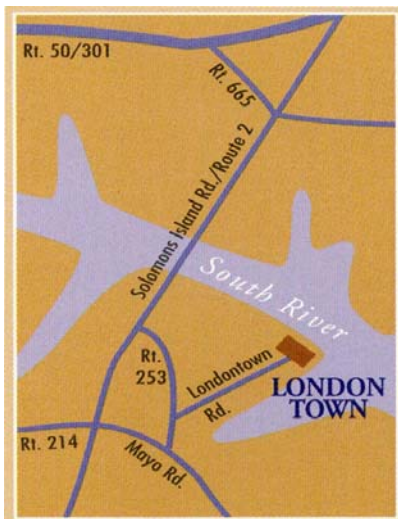
Maryland Archaeology Month Information for Anne Arundel County's *Lost Towns Project*



Name and Location of Site: Historic London Town & Gardens, 839 Londontown Road Edgewater, Maryland 21037; Anne Arundel County's *Lost Towns Project* 2664 Riva Rd, 4th Floor, Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Description of the Site:

- **London Town:** Historic London Town and Gardens is a twenty-three acre park located on the South River in Edgewater, Maryland. The park is owned by Anne Arundel County and managed by the London Town Foundation, a non-profit foundation. London Town has within its boundaries part of the late seventeenth and early eighteenth century town of London, which is currently being excavated by archaeologists from the *Lost Towns Project*.
- **Lost Towns:** Anne Arundel County's *Lost Towns Project* is an archaeological research and public education program sponsored by Anne Arundel County and the Anne Arundel County Trust for Preservation, Inc. (ACT) in cooperation with the London Town Foundation. The *Lost Towns Project*, created by the county's Department of Planning and Code Enforcement in 1991, locates and explores colonial period sites throughout Anne Arundel County, Maryland. The professional staff of archaeologists, historians, and lab technicians works closely with history enthusiasts and the general public to involve them in the excitement of discovery and the joy of learning about the County's past. It has been our experience that public participation in original archaeological research strengthens the connection between past and present, increasing awareness and promoting historic and environmental preservation and conservation.



Types of Opportunities Available: Archaeological field and laboratory experience, archives research, workshops, lectures, historic site tours (William Brown House), volunteer opportunities (archaeology, docent tour guide, archival research), children's programs, and seasonal programs.

Days and Times:

- London Town
Tour Hours- William Brown House and Woodland Gardens
Closed Mondays
Tues-Sat 10AM-3PM
Sun Noon-3PM

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- Lost Towns
Monday-Friday (except Federal and State holidays)
9AM- 5PM

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