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**Berkeley Heights  
Public Library**

## **BERKELEY HEIGHTS PUBLIC LIBRARY LOCAL HISTORY RESOURCES**

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**BERKELEY HEIGHTS LIBRARY** webpage: 'Local Information' <http://www.bhplnj.org/local-information/> has links to local history resources on the web.

History of the Berkeley Heights Public Library: from our blog - <http://bhplnjbookgroup.blogspot.com/p/library-history-timeline.html>

### **LOCAL HISTORICAL ORGANIZATIONS:**

Historical Society of Berkeley Heights website: <https://sites.google.com/site/hsofbh/home>  
Free Acres website is under construction [www.freeacres.org/](http://www.freeacres.org/) but they are on Facebook.

### **BH ONLINE AND ON SOCIAL MEDIA:**

Flickr - Berkeley Heights Public Library Flickr account has scanned photographs from our Vertical File <https://www.flickr.com/photos/berkeleyheightsnj/>

Blogger - Berkeley Heights Library blog has posts about local history. Search for 'Berkeley Heights' or 'Berkeley Heights history' <http://bhplnjbookgroup.blogspot.com/> for articles about common reference questions and local FAQ's like the Nike Missile Site, Free Acres, old houses, the train station etc.

### **BH HOLDINGS IN CATALOG: Shelved in NJ Collection or Storage or Circulating Stacks:**

High School Yearbooks: 'The Claymore' of Governor Livingston High School, 1962-2016 (incomplete)  
Local Directories: The New Providence and Berkeley Heights Directory, 1957 -1980 (incomplete)  
'From the Passaiack to the Wach Unks, a history of the Township of Berkeley Heights, New Jersey,' (974.936 FRO) and other local history books circulate if we have more than one copy.

**BH LOCAL PAPERS:** 'The Dispatch,' 1956 – 2007 (incomplete) and 'The Summit Herald,' 1987 – 2006 (incomplete) are both available to the public on a dedicated computer. The library has scanned copies on CD-ROMS of these local papers. 'The [Berkeley Heights] Independent Press' is available online from 'Newsbank', 2006 to ceased publication 5/25 through our 'Articles and Databases' page for BHPL card holders <http://www.bhplnj.org/databases/>

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