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“Mansions of England and North America” with Victoria Crosby
Mill Neck Manor House Tour and Lecture

The Mill Neck Family of Organizations is pleased to welcome Victoria Crosby, noted journalist and poet, to Mill Neck Manor House where she will present “Mansions of England and North America.” The event, taking place on Thursday, April 10, will begin at 6:30 pm with a brief, docent-led tour of the Manor House, a magnificent Tudor Revival mansion. Crosby’s presentation will follow the tour and will feature the numerous articles she’s written for *25A* magazine on a number of British and American architectural treasures, including Inisfada (St. Ignatius Retreat House), Wentworth (Yorkshire, UK), The Biltmore (North Carolina), Ca d’Zan and Vizcaya (Florida), among others. Admission is \$30 per person and includes the tour, lecture and light refreshments.

The British born Crosby’s involvement in the preservation of Long Island history is extensive. She is the Vice President of Administration for the North Shore Historical Museum and helped with the recent restoration of the 1907 Glen Cove Courthouse in which the museum is housed. She is also the founder and President of the Glen Cove Arts Council (GCAC), President of the Daughters of the British Empire and in 2012, was elected to the Board of Trustees of the Historic Royal Places in London.

In addition to her feature articles for *25A*, Crosby is also a reporter for *The Leader*, a Locust Valley paper and is Glen Cove Poet Laureate since 1994.

Proceeds from Crosby’s April 10 presentation benefit the preservation efforts of Mill Neck Manor House. Reservations are required. Sign language interpreters will be available for guests who are Deaf, provided a request is made in advance. To register, log on to www.millneckmanorhouse.org or call 516-628-4243. Join us and experience the insights of one of the most prolific proponents of historic preservation!

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Photo Caption:

Victoria Crosby, journalist, poet and champion of historic preservation, will present “Mansions of England and North America” at Mill Neck Manor House this spring.

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