



The Historical Society of Rockland County Invites You to Join Us for

# “On His Majesty’s Secret Service”

## British Intelligence Gathering in the Hudson Valley

### During the Revolutionary War

**Sunday, May 31, 2026**

The presentation will start promptly at 1 pm in the lower-level Community Room

Price: \$5 (*space is limited, and reservations are required*).

Register online at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/revwar250-lecture-on-his-majestys-secret-service-with-todd-braisted-tickets-1984562655325>



One of the tasks for which Loyalists were ideally suited during the Revolutionary War was secret service. Loyalists came from all social, ethnic, and economic classes of society and were able to mingle and interact easily in the countryside, under the guise of being Rebels themselves. **Todd W. Braisted** returns to the HSRC with a look at Britain’s less well-known figures and their secret efforts to gather intelligence in the strategic Hudson Valley.

*About the speaker:* Todd Braisted is an author and researcher who specializes in Loyalist studies during the American Revolution. He has published more than 60 books and journal articles on period subjects, including *Grand Forage 1778* (2016). His website, [royalprovincial.com](http://royalprovincial.com), is the leading site for Loyalist research since it debuted in 2000. He is a past president of the Bergen County Historical Society and Brigade of the American Revolution and a fellow in the Company of Military Historians. He has lectured extensively on Loyalists and other subjects across the United States and Canada.

**FOR RESERVATIONS, COMPLETE THIS FORM AND RETURN IT, WITH PAYMENT, BY MAY 22, 2026**

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*Cancellation policy: Refunds will be given only if we are able to fill your seat prior to the lecture. A waiting list will be compiled, and available spaces will be filled on a first come, first served basis. Only those who have made full payment can be accommodated.*

**Reservation Fee:**    \_\_\_ Seats at \$5.00 per person = \$ \_\_\_

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