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## GREY TOWERS NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE – MILFORD, PA



### 2018 Lecture Series

This lecture series, sponsored by the U.S. Forest Service with support from the Grey Towers Heritage Association, are intended to foster a deeper understanding of the complex and diverse conservation and human rights issues our nation faced a century ago, and continue to grapple with today. To register or learn more: [www.greytowers.org](http://www.greytowers.org); 570-296-9625 or [info@greytowers.org](mailto:info@greytowers.org). Lectures are free and open to all. Light refreshments are served.

#### **June 30, Saturday, 5:30 p.m.**

##### **American Canopy: Trees, Forests and the Making of a Nation**

Yale University professor of history, lawyer and writer Eric Rutkow will tell the remarkable story of the relationship between Americans and their trees across the entire span of our nation's history.

#### **July 21, Saturday, 5:30 p.m.**

##### **Gifford Pinchot and Spirituality**

Was Gifford Pinchot moved by his spirituality as he made groundbreaking progress in the American conservation movement? Explore how his decision making as first chief of the US Forest Service, and as Pennsylvania Governor, may have been influenced by a personal sanctity.

#### **Aug. 25, Saturday, 5:30 p.m.**

##### **Climate Change and Conservation: Is It Getting Hot In Here?**

Hear Anthony Serino, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Biology, Misericordia University, explain in plain language the science of climate change. Sponsored by Gifford Pinchot Audubon Society and Grey Towers Heritage Association.

#### **Sept. 15, Saturday, 5:30 p.m.**

##### **The Lady in Red and Me: Cornelia Pinchot's Relevance Today**

Listen as author Mary Beth Kennedy Voda shares her research about Cornelia Pinchot and how the work she started more than 50 years ago still has relevance today. An intimate telling of how "meeting" Mrs. Pinchot influenced her career.

#### **Oct. 6, Saturday, 10 a.m.**

##### **Special Lecture: Outspoken!: The Public Speeches of Cornelia Bryce Pinchot**

Attend the annual Membership Meeting of the Grey Towers Heritage Association and you'll be treated to a special lecture by historian and author Kenneth Wolensky. As a Scholar in Residence at Grey Towers, he has delved into the speeches written and given by first lady of Pennsylvania Cornelia Pinchot as she campaigned for human rights and social justice.



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