Directions to Edgewater

FROM THE SOUTH: AT THE CENTER OF RHINEBECK,
TAKE ROUTE 9 NORTH (1.9 MILES). TURN LEFT ONTO
ROUTE 9G (3.2 MILES). TURN LEFT ONTO BARRYTOWN
ROAD (ALSO CALLED CR 82/DOCK ROAD).
CONTINUE TO END (APPROXIMATELY 1 MILE),
CROSSING RAILROAD TRACKS AND BEARING LEFT.
EDGEWATER IS AT THE END OF THE ROAD.

FROM THE NORTH: AT THE JUNCTION OF ROUTE 9G

AND BROADWAY, EAST OF TIVOLI, CONTINUE

SOUTH ON ROUTE 9G (4.1 MILES). TURN

RIGHT ONTO BARRYTOWN ROAD AND FOLLOW

DIRECTIONS AS ABOVE.

VALET PARKING ON SITE

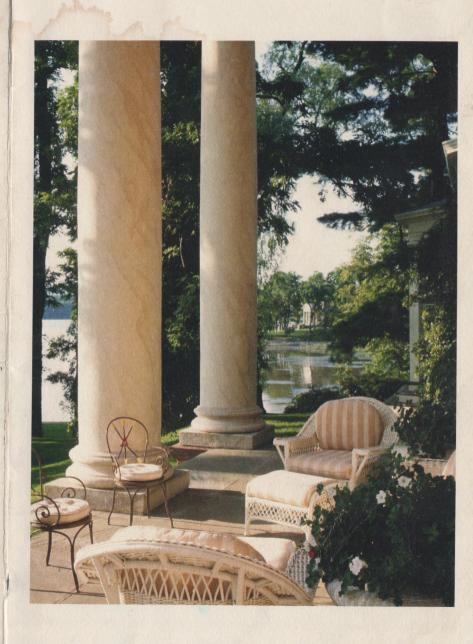
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Edgewater

EDGEWATER, ORIGINALLY PART OF A 160,000-ACRE "FIEFDOM"

OWNED BY THE LIVINGSTON FAMILY, WAS BUILT AROUND

1820 FOR MARY MARGARET LIVINGSTON AND

HER HUSBAND, LOWNDES BROWN OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

THOUGH UNDOCUMENTED, THE DESIGN OF THE HOUSE

IS ATTRIBUTED TO ROBERT MILLS (1781-1855), A PROMINENT

GREEK REVIVAL ARCHITECT AND A POSSIBLE ACQUAINTANCE

OF BROWN'S, AS BOTH WERE NATIVES OF CHARLESTON,

SOUTH CAROLINA. THE MASSIVE CLASSICAL PORTICO

AND THE FLOOR PLAN OF THE HOUSE WERE RARE IN THE

HUDSON VALLEY AT THE TIME AND BEAR A STRIKING

RESEMBLANCE TO MILLS' WORK BACK IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

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HUDSON RIVER HERITAGE IS A NOT-FOR-PROFIT MEMBERSHIP.

ORGANIZATION COMMITTED TO PRESERVING THE UNIQUE

CHARACTER OF THE MID-HUDSON VALLEY'S HISTORIC

ARCHITECTURE, RURAL LANDSCAPES, AND SCENIC VIEWSHEDS

THROUGH ADVOCACY AND EDUCATION. HUDSON RIVER

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32-SQUARE-MILE AREA STRETCHING FROM GERMANTOWN IN

COLUMBIA COUNTY, TO HYDE PARK IN DUTCHESS COUNTY.

FEDERAL LANDMARK STATUS ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE

HISTORIC RESOURCES IN THE HEART OF THE HUDSON VALLEY

ARE OF THE HIGHEST NATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE, ON A PAR

WITH OTHER NATIONAL HISTORIC LANDMARK DISTRICTS

SUCH AS NANTUCKET ISLAND, THE GARDEN DISTRICT IN NEW

ORLEANS, AND SAN FRANCISCO'S PRESIDIO.

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FOR

An Evening of Cole Porter

AT

Edgewater

DOCK ROAD,
BARRYTOWN, NEW YORK

JULY 24, 2010 5:30 PM TO 8:30 PM

COCKTAILS WITH HORS D'OEUVRES
MUSIC BY BLUE GARDENIA

CASUAL EVENING ATTIRE

Join us at this 1820s exquisitely restored Classic revival home on the Hudson. The main house (lower level), guest villa, and gardens will be open for tours on this special evening.

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