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MID-ATLANTIC STATES EDITION

K.I.D.Z. CLUB: ROAD TRIP 2005-2006

Famous People of the Mid-Atlantic States

PENNSYLVANIA

Benjamin Franklin—born in 1706 and famous in many fields of study including science, philosophy and economics



VIRGINIA

Booker T. Washington—born a slave in 1856, founded Tuskegee University in Alabama in 1881

NEW JERSEY

Carl Lewis—track star who set the world record for the fastest 100 meter run in 1991



DELEWARE

Annie Jump Cannon—Astronomer born in 1836 who created a system for categorizing stars

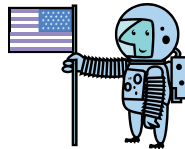
WEST VIRGINIA

Don Knotts—Emmy Award winning actor born in 1924, most famous for his role as Barney Fife on The Andy Griffith Show



WASHINGTON D.C.

Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin—astronaut born in 1930 who was the second person to walk on the moon



Connie Chung—television news anchor born in 1946

Duke Ellington—famous jazz artist born in 1899

NEW YORK Anna Moses—famous artist born in 1860 known as Grandma Moses

MARYLAND Edgar Allen Poe—author born in 1809, famous for his stories and poems of terror.



E.A. Poe Babe Ruth—great baseball player who began his career in Baltimore in 1914.



MID-ATLANTIC STATES AND CAPITOLS

What are the states in our Mid-Atlantic region? What are the state capitols?

New York: Albany



New Jersey: Trenton

Pennsylvania: Harrisburg



Delaware: Dover

Maryland: Annapolis



West Virginia: Charleston

Virginia: Richmond



Washington D.C.—The D.C. part of the name stands for District of Columbia. (Washington D.C. is not actually a state but a district with Washington as the only city in the district.)



Find Out More!

It's always fun to get mail! Try writing to state visitors centers to get more information (and maybe a postcard or two) from your favorite state.

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Pennsylvania

Pennsylvania Department of Commerce Bureau of Travel Marketing Room 453, Forum Building Harrisburg, PA 17120



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## Mid-Atlantic Word Scramble

G O G B W S A N S L I L      \_\_\_\_\_

T A A T C I N L    I Y C T      \_\_\_\_\_

O T R H E H B O    E H C B A      \_\_\_\_\_

M S P E E R U    T O R C U      \_\_\_\_\_

P E E S C K A A H E    Y B A      \_\_\_\_\_

E T E R P I D N S      \_\_\_\_\_

E B G T U T G S Y R      \_\_\_\_\_

T E J N A W O S M      \_\_\_\_\_

R E H O B O T H B E A C H    P R E S I D E N T

A T L A N T I C C I T Y      S U P R E M E C O U R T

J A M E S T O W N      C H E S A P E A K E B A Y

G L A S S B L O W I N G      G E T T Y S B U R G



## Mid-Atlantic States: books you might enjoy

### *Chapter Books (J):*

Yonie Wondernose - Marguerite DeAngeli

Anna on the Farm  
- Mary Downing Hahn

Look Out Washington D.C. -  
Patricia Reilly Giff

The Saturdays - Elizabeth Entight

Dangerous Dolls of Delaware -  
Johnathan Rand (American Chill-  
ers Series)

### *Picture Books (JE):*

Down in the Subway - Miriam Cohen

Wow City - Robert Neubecker

Seen Art? - Jon Scieszka

The Shot Heard 'Round the World  
- Phil Bildner

Pioneer Church - Carolyn Otto

### *Non-Fiction:*

J917.47 BURG

E is for Empire: A New York State  
Alphabet - Ann Burg

J917.54 RIEHL

M is for Mountain State: A West  
Virginia Alphabet - Mary Ann Riehle

J917.48 KANE

K is for Keystone: A Pennsylvania

Alphabet - Kristen Kane

J973.2

If You Lived in Colonial Times - Ann  
McGovern

J641.5

Felicity's Cookbook

J917.3 SCHILL

A is for America: An American  
Alphabet - Devin Scillian

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Wish You Were Here: Emily's Guide  
to the 50 States - Kathleen Krull

J811 POE

The Raven and Other Poems - Edgar  
Allen Poe

JB R932MU

Babe Ruth Saves Baseball - Frank

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