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Join with us for our Annual Installation Dinner on WEDNESDAY, May 23, 2001 at the Chevy Chase Club House, Devonshire Room, 1000 N. Milwaukee Avenue, Wheeling, Illinois.

For reservations, please call: Eleanor Buerger at (847) 537-1976. NOTE: Once reservations are made, they must be paid for. \$20.00/person, Cash Bar.

Cocktails 6:00 p.m. Dinner 7:00 p.m.

Installation of Officers

Musical Entertainment

Menu

DINNER BUFFET

HOT SELECTIONS:

Chef-Carved Sirloin of Beef, Chicken
Anglaise, Roasted Turkey and Stuffing
Chef's Seasonal Vegetable
Herbal Roasted Potatoes
Linguini Alfredo

COLD SELECTIONS:

International Fruit and Cheese Display
Tossed Salad Greens with Dressings,
Creamy Cole Slaw
German Potato Salad
Pickled Beets, Cottage Cheese
Italian Pasta Salad
Vegetable Crudite with dips
Frosted Cake Squares

R.S.V.P. By May 19, 2001. Hope to see you
all there.

VILLAGE OF WHEELING

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Fire/Police/Paramedics		911	
Non-emergency Fire		459-2662	
Non-emergency Police		459-2632	
Community Development		459-2620	
Economic Development		459-2978	
Pavilion Senior Center		459-2670	
Public Works		459-2624	
Water Billing		459-2607	
Code Enforcement Hotline		459-CODE	
Village President: Greg Klatecki		459-2988	
Village Clerk: Elaine Simpson		541-8692	
Village Manager: Craig Anderson		459-2617	
Trustees			
Judy Abruscato	541-8783	Michael Horcher	541-3276
Dean Argiris	808-8418	Patrick Horcher	419-1956
Robert Heer	541-4274	Trevor Lehmann	541-6700



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March 21, 2001

The Lollypop Lane account has a balance of \$1,338.85 as of 12/31/00. The interest on this account year to date is \$34.68.

The Money market account has a balance of \$10,814.92 as of 2/28/01. Interest on this account year to date is \$48.79.

In the checking account is \$633.52 waiting to be transferred to Lollipop Lane or is the money going to purchase gingerbread houses?

The checking account balance as of 2/28/01 is 1,241.78.

The dinner and auction on February 28th is:

60 paid at \$7.00=	\$399.00
Auction Sales	\$447.60
Total	\$846.60
Expenses	
Wa-Pa-Ghetti's	\$340.00
Decorating	63.21
Total Profit	\$443.39

Min Book?

AMENDED AGREEMENT
BY AND BETWEEN
WHEELING PARK DISTRICT AND
WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

THIS AGREEMENT made this _____ day of _____, 1981
in amendment of the October 7, 1976 Agreement, by and between
WHEELING PARK DISTRICT, Cook and Lake Counties, Illinois, (referred
to herein as "Park District"), an Illinois unit of local govern-
ment, and WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY, Cook County, Illinois,
(referred to herein as "Society"), an Illinois not-for-profit
corporation.

W I T N E S S E T H :

WHEREAS, Society has determined that it is in the best
interests of the residents of the Village of Wheeling to preserve
those historical artifacts which it owns or will acquire and
which would be of lasting benefit to the residents of the Wheeling
Area; and

WHEREAS, Park District has determined that it is in the best
interests of the residents of the Wheeling Park District that certain
premises located within the boundaries of the Park District be
designated and operated as museums pursuant to the authority con-
ferred by Section 8-3 and 326 of the Park District Code; and

WHEREAS, under and by virtue of Section 10 of Article VII of
the Illinois Constitution of 1970, local government units within
the State of Illinois are authorized to enter into Interlocal

Agreements providing, among other things, for the exercise, combination or transfer of any power or function in any manner not prohibited by law or ordinance, and for the use of their credit, revenues, and other resources to pay costs related to intergovernmental activities; and

WHEREAS, the Park District desires to provide for the payment annually from the general revenues of the Park District of the cost of maintaining the museum properties, including but not limited to, the cost of all repairs, utilities, services, insurance on the artifacts and structures (including contents), and custodial services.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements hereinafter set forth, the parties hereto do agree as follows:

Section 1: Park District agrees:

(a) That it will acquire and maintain park district buildings and facilities of historical significance for use by the general public.

(b) That it will appropriate and levy needed funds for the operation and maintenance of sites which have been designated as museums.

(c) That it may, with Society approval, retain a staff person whose duties would be mutually agreed upon by the parties.

Section 2: Society agrees:

(a) That it will continue to raise funds to assist in the payment of expenses of the Society and will prepare and submit for approval to Park District's Board of Commissioners a budget for the fiscal year, January 1, to December 31.

(b) That it will provide the expertise necessary in determining buildings and historical material to be acquired by Park District and Society.

(c) That upon any dissolution of the Wheeling Historical Society, it will transfer title to its artifacts, assets and other personal property to the Park District.

Section 3: It is further agreed that a Liaison Board will be maintained consisting of three Society Members and three Park District Commissioners. Each party will select its Liaison Board Members within sixty (60) days of the execution of this Agreement. Liaison Board Members shall serve until their successors have been appointed.

The Board shall have the authority to choose a chairman and secretary and set times for quarterly meetings to be held in January, May, August and November of each year.

The Liaison Board shall develop and recommend to Park District and Society Boards policies to be adopted pertaining to the implementation of this agreement, which when approved shall be the policies governing the Liaison Board.

Section 4: The terms of this Agreement may be altered or amended by the consent of the parties hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by their proper officers duly authorized to execute the same.

WHEELING PARK DISTRICT

ATTEST:

Kate Phillips
Secretary

By: *Hugh Wilson*

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

ATTEST:

Dorothy Fisher
Secretary

By: *Shirley Muller*

J-A

The president noted at the previous meeting, a request for volunteers to keep the museum open for the Passport to Adventure Program is still incomplete. He went through the listing and added other members to complete the list. A copy will be sent to each of the members participating to help remind them of the date which they will sit at the museum. Discussion ensued. We will check with Trudy regarding holidays and more particulars on the program.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Election of Officers - Lonnie presented the slate of officers for the 1997-98 fiscal year as selected by the nominating committee which are as follows:

- PRES - *L. Haber* *Clairie Simpson*
- Vice President... *Bob Buerger*
- Treasurer..... *Dolly Hein*
- Secretary..... *Patti Hancock*
- Director..... *Donna Nystrom*
- DIC - - - - - Marge Allison*

Clairie Simpson
Linda Bell
Heather - Bell
Dir: Frank

99 items
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Nominations were also taken from the floor. There being no nominations, motion was made by Lonnie that the nominations be closed and the slate as presented, be elected by unanimous vote. The motion was seconded and carried by voice vote.

The president noted the new officers are as presented and will be installed at the May dinner. Frank advised for the new members of the board, that the meetings are the third Wednesday of the month and also there are no meetings held in the months of June, July and August.

2. Volunteers Needed - Frank advised the membership that Lorraine would also like to see Childerley open again and volunteers are needed there and also at the carriage house when the museum is open. A list will be sent around for your help and support.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. May Installation Dinner - Lonnie advised the installation dinner will be held at Chevy Chase on May 21st. Cash Bar will be held a 6:00 p.m. followed by dinner at 6:30 p.m. Dinner will consist of ribs, chicken and salad bar. She advised she does not know the price as yet. She thought it would probably be \$12 to \$13 dollars. The membership will then RSVP to Irene.

**WHEELING PARK DISTRICT
1999 - 2000
BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS**

ELECTED OFFICERS

President . . . Tom Webber

Vice President . . . Bill Mattes (10/19/99 resigned vice presidency & all committee assignments
Comr. Melamed was elected Vice President at 10/19/99 reg. mtg.)

APPOINTMENT TO COMMITTEES AND LIAISONS

COMMITTEE	CHAIRPERSON	MEMBER (S)
Buildings and Grounds Committee	Paul Philipp	Cheri Klumpp Dennis Drake
Finance Committee	Ken Kent	Bill Mattes Paul Philipp
Programs and Facilities Committee	Fran Melamed	Dennis Drake Bill Mattes
Historical Society Liaison	Cheri Klumpp	All Board Members
Intergovernmental and Community Relations	Bill Mattes	Fran Melamed Ken Kent
Board As A Whole	Tom Webber	All Board Members

APPOINTMENTS - ADVISORY TO BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

Attorney	Earl S. Ebers, Jr.
Treasurer	Thomas A. Busby
Secretary to Board of Park Commissioners	Karop T. Bavougian
Executive Director	Karop T. Bavougian
NWSRA Representative	Karop T. Bavougian

WHEELING PARK DISTRICT
BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS
1961 TO DATE

<p>1961 Arthur Aronson Ted Scanlon Arthur Brown Ralph Neubauer Audrae Duke Richard Ault 6/61 Roy Hammond 10/61 Michael Donzella 12/61</p>	<p>1975 Robert Ross William Nevenfeldt (Mv) Lorraine Lark 4 Hugh Wilson Frank Schnaitmann Doris Kerr 2/76</p>
<p>1963 Arthur Aronson Audrey Christianson Clayton Wieder Roy Hammond Richard Ault</p>	<p>1977 Lorraine Lark 2 Doris Kerr Frank Schnaitmann Shirley Mueller 6 Glenn Meier 6</p>
<p>1965 Joseph Harrison Audrey Christianson Clayton Wieder Richard Ault Bernard Erlin Harry Thill 3/65</p>	<p>1979 Lorraine Lark Died-9/80 Frank Schnaitmann Shirley Mueller 4 Glenn Meier 4 Edward Klocke 6</p>
<p>1967 Audrey Christianson Richard Ault Resigned Bernard Erlin Lorraine Lark Alf Wilson Robert Ross 9/61</p>	<p>1981 Shirley Mueller 2 Glenn Meier 2 Edward Klocke 4 Donald Lark 4A Russell Baker</p>
<p>1969 Robert Ross Bernard Erlin Lorraine Lark Alf Wilson Eugene Sackett Gus Nizzi 4/71</p>	<p>1983 Donald Lark 2 Edward Klocke 2 Russell Baker-Resigned Julia Robberson 6 Anthony Abruscato 6 Dennis Drake 7/84 A</p>
<p>1971 Eugene Sackett Robert Ross Gus Nizzi (Resigned) Lorraine Lark Bernard Erlin</p>	<p>1985 Donald Lark 6 Edward Klocke 6 Julia Robberson 4 Anthony Abruscato 4 James Gallagher 6</p>
<p>1973 Robert Ross Eugene Sackett Lorraine Lark Gus Nizzi (resigned) Frank Schnaitmann 10/73 Hugh Wilson</p>	<p>1987 James Gallagher 4 (D)89 Edward Klocke 4 Donald Lark 4 Julia Robberson 2 Anthony Abruscato 2</p>

In the years 1988 it was voted and approved by the Board, the six year term be cut to four years and the board would go from five members to seven members.

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	Donald Lark	2 E		Francine Melamed	2 E.
	Greg Klatecki	4 E		Paul Philipp	2 E.
	Thomas Webber	4 E		Kenneth Kent	2 E.
	Charles Briles	4 E		Dennis Drake	4 E
	Francine Melamed	4 E		Cheri Klumpp	4 E
	William D. Mattes	2 AP.		William Mattes	4 E
1991	Thomas Webber	2	2001	Tom Webber	4 E
	Greg Klatecki	2		Paul Philipp	4 E
	Ed Klocke	3 Ap.		Kenneth Kent	4 E
	Charles Briles	Resigned		Mike Kurgan	4 E
	William Mattes	4 E.		Dennis Drake	2 E
	Francine Melamed	2		Cheri Klumpp	2 E
	Dennis Drake	4 E.		William Mattes	2 E
	Robert Todd	4 E.	2003	Tom Webber	2 E
	Donald Lark	Did not Run		Paul Philipp	2 E
1993	Thomas Webber	4 E		Kenneth Kent	2 E
	Greg Klatecki	4 E		Mike Kurgan	2 E
	Francine Melamed	4 E		Cheri Klumpp	4 E
	Mark Parkinson	4 E		Jon Kolssak	4 E
	William Mattes	2 Apt.		Keith Pecka	4 E
	Robert Todd	2 Resigned	2005	Cheri Klumpp	2 E
	Dennis Drake	2 E		Jon Kolssak	2 E
	Cheri Klumpp	2 Apt.		Keith Pecka	2 E
1995	Thomas Webber	2 E			
	Greg Klatecki	2 E			
	Francine Melamed	2 E			
	Mark Parkinson	2 E			
	William Mattes	4 E			
	Dennis Drake	4 E			
	Cheri Klumpp	4 E			
1997	Thomas Webber	4 E			
	Greg Klatecki	Not Running			
	Francine Melamed	4 E			
	William Mattes	2 E			
	Dennis Drake	2 E			
	Cheri Klumpp	2 E			
	Mark Parkinson	Defeated			
	Paul G. Philipp	4 E			
	Kenneth R. Kent	4 E			

Wheeling Historical Society
Attendance Record 1999

NAME	DATES	2000												
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Abenstein, Bobbie														
Abruscato, Mario & Judy														
Allison, Don & Marge		✓											✓	
Bakker, Anna														
Barrie, Betty														
Becker, Melvin/Mabel														
Bingham, H. Douglas														
Bingham, John H.														
Brennan, Margaret														
Buerger, Bob & Eleanor		✓			✓									
Bumgarner, Herb & Peggy														
Cromy, Marilyn		✓	✓		✓		✓						✓	
Dean, Tina GARY COHN							✓	✓						✓
Dattilo, Sam & Irene														
Dibble, Ruth														
Forke, Margaret & Barbara			✓		✓		✓						✓	
Franta, Willie														
EAGAN, FRAN														
Galarza, Humberto & Barbara														
Haben, Lorraine		✓	✓		✓		✓						✓	
Hancock, Pat/ Wedge		✓	✓		✓		✓						✓	
Hartmann, Marge/Bob		✓	✓		✓		✓						✓	
Harris, Bert & LaVerne														
Hein, Dolly		✓	✓		✓		✓						✓	
Hiller, Elsie														
Horcher, Rudy & Barbara		✓												
Horcher, Syke & Ellie														
Issleb, Robert & Marylou														
Kastanis, George & Francine														
Koeppen, Shirley														
Kostrozowski, Grace														
Kostrozowski, Ken														
Krause, Walter & Roberta														

ANNUAL GAMBLET

LAME LORRIE

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
AGENDA
April 25, 2001

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society will be held on April 25, 2001 at 7:30 p.m. in the Chamber Center at 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

- I. ROLL CALL
- II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- III. ELECTION OF OFFICERS
- IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF:
March 28, 2001
- V. TREASURER'S REPORT..E.Simpson
- VI. CURATOR'S REPORT..L.Reading
- VII. LIAISON REPORT..Cheri Klumpp
- VIII. COMMITTEE REPORTS:
Membership .. Frank Schnaitmann
Social.. Lonnie Schnaitmann
Update- May Banquet
- IX. OLD BUSINESS:
 1. Update-Old Fashion Picnic
 2. Update- 4th of July
 - 3.
- X. NEW BUSINESS:
 - 1.
 - 2.
- XI. REFRESHMENTS;
Barb Forke/Cheri Llumpp
- XII. POT-O-GOLD
- XIII. ADJOURNMENT

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AGENDA
March 28, 2001

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society will be held on March 28, 2001 at 7:30 p.m. in the Chamber Center at 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

- I. ROLL CALL
- II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF:
January 24, 2001
- IV. TREASURER'S REPORT..E.Simpson
- V. CURATOR'S REPORT..L.Reading
- VI. LIAISON REPORT..Cheri Klumpp
- VII. COMMITTEE REPORTS:
Membership .. Frank Schnaitmann
Social.. Lonnie Schnaitmann -Banquet
- VIII OLD BUSINESS:
 1. February Auction Report
- IX. NEW BUSINESS:
 1. Presentation: For 2 Year Terms
Slate of Officers for 2001-2002
 2. Purchase of Projector and
Blue Print Cabinet
 3. Discussion - Old Settlers Picnic
 4. Discussion - 4th of July
- XI. REFRESHMENTS; Marilyn Chromy
Elaine Simpson
- XII. POT-O-GOLD
- XIII. ADJOURNMENT

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
FEBRUARY 28, 2001

The annual dinner and auction will be held on February 28, 2001 in the Chamber building at 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois.

The dinner will be held at 6:30 p.m. followed by a short meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society.

AGENDA

- I. Pledge of Allegiance
- II. Welcome of Guests
- III. Approval of Minutes of:
January 24, 2001
- IV. New Business:
 1. Appointment of Nominating
Committee
- V. Adjournment

WHITE ELEPHANT AUCTION

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
AGENDA

January 24, 2001

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society will be held on January 24, 2001 at 7:30 p.m. in the Chamber Center at 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

- I. ROLL CALL
- II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- III. WELCOME OF GUESTS
- IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF:
 - October 25, 2000
 - November 22, 2000
- V. TREASURER'S REPORT..E.Simpson
- VI. CURATOR'S REPORT..L.Reading
- VII. LIAISON REPORT..Cheri Klumpp
- VIII. COMMITTEE REPORTS:
 - Membership .. Frank Schnaitmann
 - Social.. Lonnie Schnaitmann
- IX. OLD BUSINESS:
 1. Lollipop Lane Report
 - 2.
- XI. NEW BUSINESS:
 1. February Auction
 2. Membership
- XII. PROGRAM:
 - REFRESHMENTS: Lorraine/Patti
 - POT O GOLD
- XIII. ADJOURNMENT

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

AGENDA

November 15, 2000

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society will be held on November 15, 2000 at 7:30 p.m. in the Chamber Community Center at 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois

- I. ROLL CALL
- II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- III. WELCOME OF GUESTS
- IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF:
 - October 25, 2000
- V. TREASURER'S REPORT.... E. Simpson
- VI. CURATOR'S REPORT..... L. Reading
- VII. LIASON REPORT..... Cheri Klumpp
- VIII. COMMITTEE REPORTS:
 - Membership..... Frank Schnaitmann
 - Social..... Lonnie Schnaitmann
- IX. OLD BUSINESS:
 - 1. Lollipop Lane
 - 2. Donation gifts for Lollipop Lane
 - 3. Plans for Wassail Bowl Party
- X. NEW BUSINESS:
 - 1. Program for January
- XI. PROGRAM: Making reindeer food
- XII. REFRESHMENTS:
 - POT O GOLD
- XIII. ADJOURNMENT

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
AGENDA
October 25, 2000

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society will be held on October 25, 2000 at 7:30 p.m. in the Chamber Center at 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

- I. ROLL CALL
- II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- III. WELCOME OF GUESTS
- IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF:
September 27, 2000
- V. TREASURER'S REPORT..E.Simpson
- VI. CURATOR'S REPORT..L.Reading
- VII. LIAISON REPORT..Cheri Klumpp
- VIII. COMMITTEE REPORTS:
Membership .. Frank Schnaitmann
Social.. Lonnie Schnaitmann
- IX. OLD BUSINESS:
 1. Report on Antique Club visit
 2. Lollipop Lane
- XI. NEW BUSINESS:
 1. Recovering of Carriage Seat
 2. Change in Meeting Date
- XII. PROGRAM: Halloween Party
REFRESHMENTS: Marilyn Chromy, Eleanor Buerger
Lorraine Haben
POT O GOLD
- XIII. ADJOURNMENT

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
AGENDA
September 27, 2000

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society will be held on September 27, 2000 at 7:30 p.m. in the Chamber Center at 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

- I. ROLL CALL
- II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- III. WELCOME OF GUESTS
- IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF:
April 26, 2000
- V. TREASURER'S REPORT..E.Simpson
- VI. CURATOR'S REPORT..L.Reading
- VII. LIAISON REPORT..Cheri Klumpp
- VIII. COMMITTEE REPORTS:
Membership .. Frank Schnaitmann
Social.. Lonnie Schnaitmann
- IX. OLD BUSINESS:
 1. Installation Dinner
 2. 4th of July
- XI. NEW BUSINESS:
 1. Antique Club
 2. Lollipop Lane
- XII. PROGRAM:
REFRESHMENTS: Dolly/Lonnie
POT O GOLD
- XIII. ADJOURNMENT

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
AGENDA
April 26, 2000

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society will be held on April 26, 2000 at 7:30 p.m. in the Chamber Center at 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

- I. ROLL CALL
- II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- III. WELCOME OF GUESTS
- IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF:
March 22, 2000
- V. TREASURER'S REPORT..E.Simpson
- VI. CURATOR'S REPORT..L.Reading
- VII. LIAISON REPORT..Cheri Klumpp
- VIII. COMMITTEE REPORTS:
Membership .. Frank Schnaitmann
Social.. Lonnie Schnaitmann
- IX. OLD BUSINESS:
 1. Election of Officers
 - 2.
- XI. NEW BUSINESS:
 1. Historical Web Site w/Library
 - 2.
- XII. PROGRAM:
REFRESHMENTS: Margaret, Barb Forke &
Lonnie Schnaitmann
POT O GOLD
- XIII. ADJOURNMENT

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
AGENDA
March 22, 2000

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society will be held on March 22, 2000 at 7:30 p.m. in the Chamber Center at 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

- I. ROLL CALL
- II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- III. WELCOME OF GUESTS
- IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF:
February 23, 2000
- V. TREASURER'S REPORT..E.Simpson
- VI. CURATOR'S REPORT..L.Reading
- VII. LIAISON REPORT..Cheri Klumpp
- VIII. COMMITTEE REPORTS:
Membership .. Frank Schnaitmann
Social.. Lonnie Schnaitmann
- IX. OLD BUSINESS:
 1. Auction & Potluck Dinner
 2. Nominating Committee - Slate of Officers
 3. Time Capsule
- XI. NEW BUSINESS:
 1. Installation Banquet
 2. 4th of July - Sharing Float w/Pavilion
- XII. PROGRAM:
REFRESHMENTS: Marilyn/ Cheri
POT O GOLD
- XIII. ADJOURNMENT



WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Cordially invites you to attend

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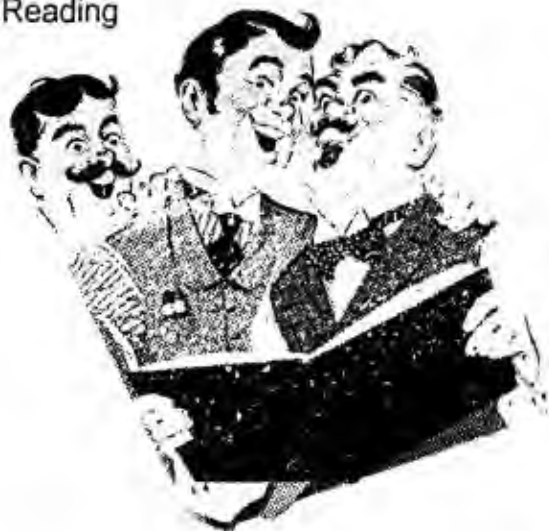
JULY 22, 2001

11:30AM - 4PM

CHAMBER COMMUNITY CENTER & PARK
251 N. WOLF ROAD
WHEELING, IL.

- Bring a picnic lunch; beverage and dessert will be provided by Historical Society
- Please bring your old photos of Wheeling. They will be exhibited, judged and prizes awarded.
- Old Fashion Sing Along
- You are invited to share your stories of "old times in Wheeling" if you so desire.
- If you know other "old settlers"(people that have lived in Wheeling for 25 years or more) who did not receive an invitation call Linda Reading 520-0125 for an invitation, or bring them along.
- Any questions, feel free to call 520-0125 Linda Reading

Sunday In The Park



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
MARCH 28, 2001

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on March 28, 2001 and was called to order at 7:45 p.m. by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President. There were 19 members in attendance. New member, Sheryl Grandt, was welcomed.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the January 24, 2001 Meeting was submitted for approval. Motion was made by Dr. Taylor to approve the minutes as presented, seconded by Fran Eagan. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Elaine Simpson gave the Treasurer's Report. Motion was made by Patty Hancock, seconded by Eleanor Buerger to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried.

CURATOR'S REPORT-Linda Reading

Linda Reading gave the highlights from the Curator's Report. (Copies of the report are available.) There is going to be an exhibit this summer at Indian Trails Library showing the life and history of Wheeling from 1900's - 1940's. The exhibit will be in a glass cabinet in the foyer of the Library. If anyone is interested in helping Linda work on this exhibit, please come to the Museum on Thursday a.m. - particularly April 20 when Chris from the Library will be there. Carolyn Nance from the Library's Children's Department called in conjunction with the exhibit and summer reading program; they would like the Society to do some kind of presentation/lecture. Linda thought perhaps the video that Lorraine Haben and Carolyn Kolssak made could be shown. There would also be a question and answer period. Please let Linda know if you are interested in participating. N.E.I.L. Meeting - Linda went to the Genealogy Research Workshop at the Newberry Library. She has genealogy forms which she will copy and make available at the next meeting. Maybe the members would like to complete and share and we will keep it on file. Linda commented that an extraordinary senior, Jennifer Lewellen, at Wheeling High School had achieved a perfect composite score on the ACT Test. Linda talked with Gerry Hunt who is a teacher at Mark Twain School. Linda has been working with her for about two years on a book (Gerry also has a CD-Rom) about Wheeling for the 2nd and 3rd Grade students. Gerry discussed possibly giving us the rights. She might also want to approach the Village. The book needs to be published/bound. There might be a possibility of having her come to the April Meeting. If she is not available, maybe the Society can review the book information. Donations for the Museum are coming in. Activities during the summertime discussed.

LIAISON REPORT-Cheri Klumpp

The Recreation Department's Annual Report—done very well. This has been a year of change for the Park District. Employees have transferred to different positions and left, but the Park District is in a recovery situation. The Parks are looking good and are proud of that. Husky Park by the Library is being renovated. Gary Cohen started a tree planting program (\$250.00 each tree). The trees ("Tunnel of Trees") will be in the area of the Aquatic Center and the Lake. Eventually there will be a seating area/benches along the sides. The Park District is looking into having a plaque inside where people who purchase a tree would have a remembrance name plate (possibly a plaque with tree branches and individual leaves that can be engraved). Reminder that Tuesday is Election Day, and there are 4 open Park District positions and 5 people running. Discussion regarding the polling place changes (from the Church to the Senior Towers). There was discussion regarding Denoyer Park. The Denoyers had collected stones from all over the world that were used in the chimney of the cabin, but due to a fire, only part of the chimney structure could be saved. A plaque in memory of the Denoyer's work with the Girl Scouts will be placed at the base of the structure.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership - Frank Schnaitmann reported that we have a new member, Sheryl Grandt.

Social - Lonnie Schnaitmann commented that everyone had a very good time at the Auction/Dinner in February. The Installation Banquet (buffet) May 23 will be at Chevy Chase. It will be \$20.00 a person. The price of the dinner has gone up and the Board decided to pay the gratuity. Invitations will be sent in the mail with a R.S.V.P. by May 20 to Eleanor Buerger. There will be musical entertainment. Lonnie advised that

Marilyn Chromy and Elaine Simpson brought the desserts for this evening. Cheri Klumpp and Barbara Forke will bring the desserts for the April meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

The February Auction/Dinner was a success and everyone had a good time.

NEW BUSINESS

Election of Officers- The Nominating Committee of Marilyn Chromy, Clare Rudolph and Barbara LaHay presented the slate of officers:

Vice President – Elaine Simpson

Secretary – Patti Hancock

Treasurer – Dolly Hein

Director – Barbara Forke

The slate was accepted. Nominations can be made from the floor. The election of officers will be at the April meeting.

Lorraine Haben and Linda Reading commented regarding a discussion at the Board Meeting. The slide projector was damaged in the flood and it was not worthwhile to have it repaired. The Board decided to give Linda permission to buy a new slide projector that can be used at our meetings and also taken to schools, etc. to show slides. Also gave permission to purchase a blueprint (map) case for our maps. Motion was made by Dolly Hein to purchase a slide projector and map case up to the amount of \$1,000.00. Dr. Taylor seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Old Settler's Picnic – A number of years ago the Society had Old Settler's Picnics and invited people who had lived in the village for at least 35 years. We do not have many long-time residents in the village now. There was discussion about having an "Old Fashioned Picnic" this summer. Lorraine Haben will contact the Park District to reserve the Park from 11:30 to 4:00 on July 22. Linda Reading will chair the Committee and will need help with flyers, programs, games, etc. (Lonnie, Elaine, Bill and Barbara also offered to help.) Linda will circulate a sign-up sheet. Bill Spangenberg suggested possibly getting information out through the High School (alumni). Linda thought people could perhaps bring their best historical pictures to show. It was decided to have people bring their own picnic and the Society would provide desserts and drinks and could possibly have the Park District's grill available. Motion was made by Fran Eagan to have an Old Fashioned Picnic on Sunday, July 22, from 11:30 to 4:00. Dr. Taylor seconded the motion. Motion carried.

July 4th Parade – 6:00 p.m.-Nancy from the Senior Center was at the Board Meeting. They would like the Society to again share their float. Discussion followed. Frank Schnaitmann suggested the Bicycle Built for Two on the trailer with two people dressed in vintage costumes. We could ask Mr. Stasek for the loan of a car to pull the trailer. It was decided to have our own float. Elaine Simpson will advise the Parade Committee- Judy Abruscato.

Dolly Hein was asked where the name Chevy Chase came from. No one had a definite answer. Dolly will try to contact someone in the Johnson family for the answer.

Lonnie and Patti related some comments from some of the children who have visited the Museum. It is an enjoyable experience. Shirley McConnell commented regarding the article in the newsletter about the Max the dog (the name in the article should be Walter Pieper.) The article was in our files.

POT-O-GOLD - Dr. Taylor won the Pot of Gold

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Dolly Hein, seconded by Dr. Taylor to adjourn the meeting at 8:40 p.m. Motion carried.

PROGRAM - We thank Dr. Taylor for the program he will be presenting. Dr. Taylor will be showing us some of his collection of pictures he has made from stamps he has collected. He still collects stamps for the Lions who use and distribute them.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Forke, Secretary

NOTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
FEBRUARY 28, 2001

A short meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on February 28, 2001 and was called to order at 7:25 p.m. by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Il. 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE;

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President. There were fifty-eight members and guests in attendance.

APPOINTMENT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE;

The only order of business was the appointment of a nominating committee for the coming election to be held in April. Offices to be filled are Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary and one Director.

The President then appointed a committee of three:
Marilyn Chromy, Shirley McConnell, Barbara LaHay

They are to bring the names of candidates to the meeting of March 28th. 2001.

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion was made by Pat Hancock, seconded by Linda Reading to adjourn the meeting. Carried by Voice Vote.

The annual dinner and white elephant auction was held. Syke Horcher, auctioneer, Lorraine Haben assisting.

A good time was had by all.

Pat Hancock
Member
Wheeling Historical Society

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PRESENTED BY THE
WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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FOR AUCTION.

"Remember...Your unused items
can be someone else's treasure."

EVERYONE WELCOME!!
BRING YOUR FRIENDS

The Wheeling Historical Society
is presenting it's Annual
Dinner and White Elephant Auction

WHEN: WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2001

WHERE: Old Presbyterian Church
Chamber of Commerce Pk.
251 N. Wolf Road

TIME: 6:00 p.m. Short Meeting
6:30 p.m. Dinner

Followed by our annual
auction.

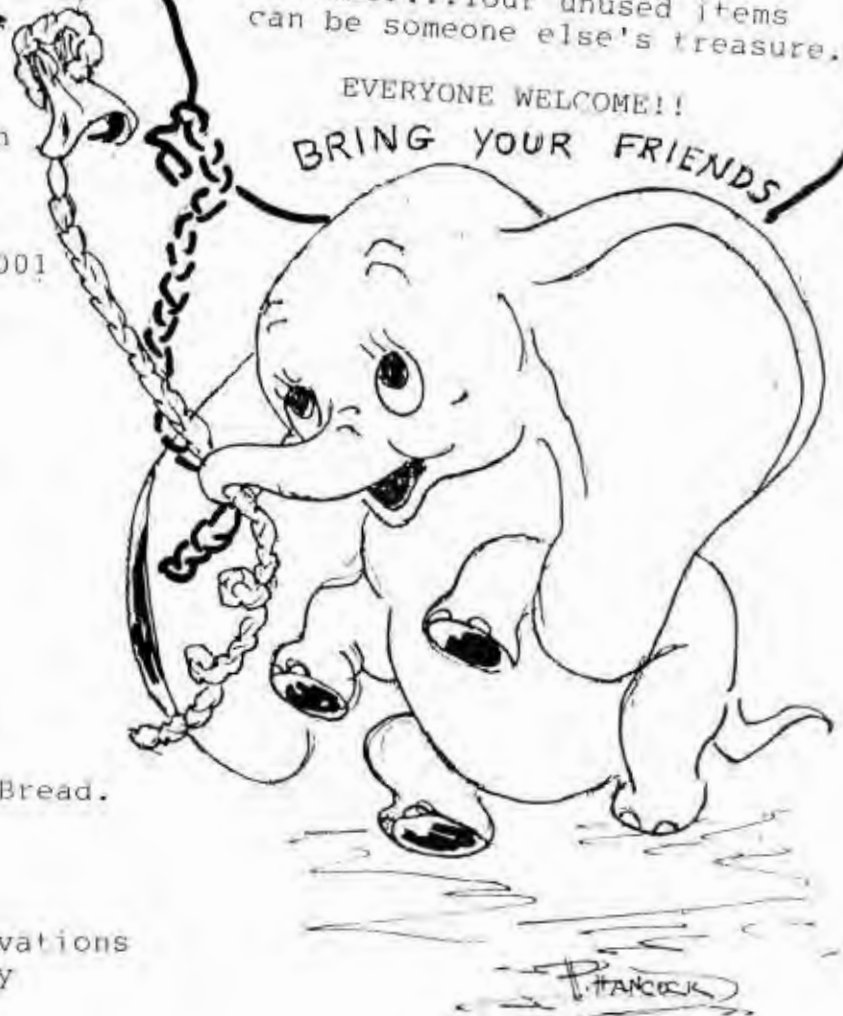
PRICE: \$7.00/PERSON..Dinner

Dinner will be provided by Wa-Pa
Ghetti's and will consist of
Chicken, Ribs, Salad and Garlic Bread.

Desserts will be provided by
Society members.

RESERVATIONS: Call in your reservations
to Eleanor Buerger at 537-1976 by
FEBRUARY 24th. Pay at the door.

NOTE: Once reservations are made, they
must be paid for.



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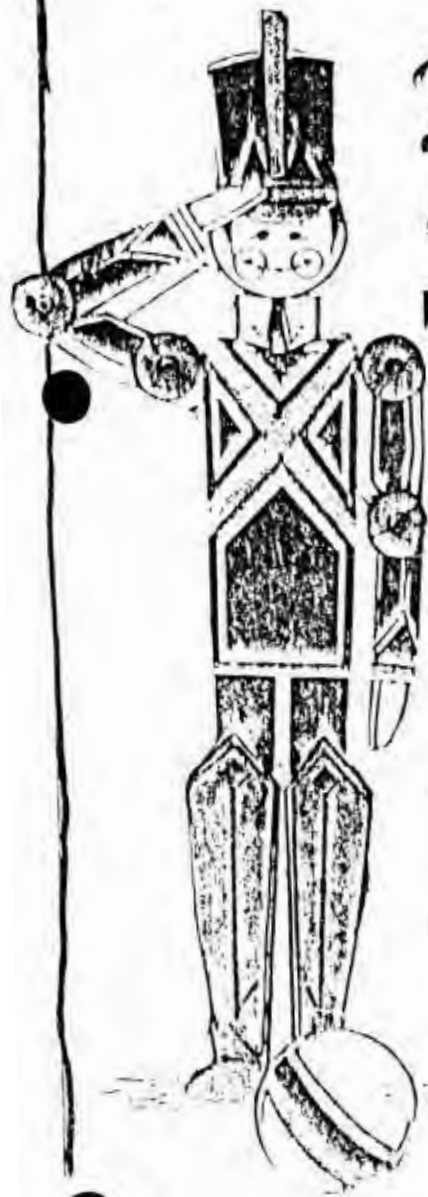
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LOLLIPOP LANE - DONATION REQUESTS

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Mr. Don Roth
Don Roths Restaurants
61 N. Milwaukee Ave.
Wheeling, Il. 60090 \$50.00

Mr. Ervin Wiemann
Hoyne Savings Bank
699 W. Dundee Road
Wheeling, Il. 60090 \$50.00

Mr. T. Altieri Commander
Post 66
700 Old McHenry Road
Wheeling, Il. 60090 \$50.00

Ms. Nancy Kiffel, Officer
Cole Taylor Bank
350 E. Dundee
Wheeling, Il. 60090 ----

President & Board
Wheeling Park District
333 W. Dundee Road
Wheeling, Il. 60090 \$500.00

Corus Bank
Judy Abruscato, Branch Mgr.
125 McHenry Road
Wheeling, Il. 60090 \$75.00

Mr. L. Kolssak
Kolssak Funeral Home
189 S. Milwaukee Ave.
Wheeling, Il. 60090 \$50.00

Century 21
Mr. Trevor Lehmann
404 W. Dundee Rd.
Wheeling, Il. 60090 \$100.00.

Mr. Paul Doetsch
% Century 21
404 W. Dundee Rd.
Wheeling, Illinois 60090 \$50

Smith & Sons Developers
968 So. Milwaukee Ave.
Wheeling, Il. 60090 ---

Mr. Gary Cohen
401 S. Milw. Ave.
Wheeling, Il. \$100.00

Knights of Columbus
% M. Chromy \$100.00

Sausers Bakery
1 Tray Cookies

Bill Stasek Cheverolet
700 W. Dundee Rd.
Wheeling, Il. 60090
Pictures
2 Stockings

\$1,125.00

LOLLIPOP LANE 2000

INCOME;

COOKIES	130 plates @ \$3.00	\$390.00
DONATIONS		45.00
CANDY	20 bags @ \$1.00	20.00
RAFFLE OF 2 CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS	@ \$1.00 ea.	260.00

\$715.00

EXPENSES:

GENERAL FUND 2000

Josphine Sigwalt

\$50.00

Masons

\$500.00

\$550.00

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
NOVEMBER 15, 2000

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on November 15, 2000 and was called to order at 7:40 p.m. by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President. There were 12 members in attendance. Lorraine Haben introduced guest, Trevor Lehmann.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of minutes were tabled until January.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer, Elaine Simpson, gave the Treasurer's Report. Motion was made by Frank Schnaitmann, seconded by Lonnie Schnaitmann to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried. Some donations were received, and Lorraine Haben will send thank you cards.

CURATOR'S REPORT

Linda Reading gave the Curator's Report for November. Some highlights: Received VCR tape on Jerry Orbach Show. Tape shared with Steve Carasso at the Park District. Check out a new web-site <http://www.museum.com>. This is a database for museums around the world.

Donations were received from Barbara LaHay (clothing & rug beater), Virginia Sorca (by Fran Eagan) (clothing); Lorraine Haben (clothing) and Clare Rudolph (3 boxes of picture frames). Thank you to everyone for your donations and for helping at the museum.

The museum is now closed on Sundays until March 2001. The next N.E.I.L. meeting is Jan. 13, 2001 at River Grove Historical Society. Do not know what the program is as yet. Cub Scout Field Trip 11/26. The son of retired nurse Elaine (Hipp) Scharringhausen contacted the Museum and will be getting copies of some historical pictures-1929-1955 approx. time period -to give to his mother for a Christmas present.

LIAISON REPORT

Cheri Klumpp reported that Steve Carasso did receive the Jerry Orbach tape. 120 people attended the Halloween Truck or Treat. Next year hope to have it bigger and better. Lollipop Lane is not listed in the Winter brochure. Web site has information. Lorraine commented that we need to find out deadlines for the Park District brochures to make sure information is included.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership - Frank Schnaitmann has no new information to report.

Social - Lonnie Schnaitmann advised that Eleanor Buerger and Cheri Klumpp brought the desserts for this evening. Thank you! Linda Reading and Elaine Simpson volunteered to bring the desserts for the January meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

Lollipop Lane - Frank Schnaitmann contacted the Village. Lollipop Lane information will be on the Village Marquee starting 11/27 for 2 weeks. Talked to Mr. Stasek who will pull the sleigh on an 18 ft flat bed. We need Santas. Lonnie has a list of some Santas. One of the Stasek employees will be a Santa for 2-3 nights. Mr. Stasek will be taking pictures at Lollipop Lane. Elaine Simpson ordered the lollipops. Lorraine Haben said that the new Brownie troop leader will have them do posters and will put them up. Linda Reading said Cole Taylor gave permission to put up flyer. Lorraine Haben commented regarding publicity. Trevor Lehmann said that Aurora left the Herald paper. Contact would now be Fred. Lonnie Schnaitmann said we have new wreaths for the windows. Anyone who would like the old wreaths can

have them. Lonnie said the Penguin display would be put up. Linda suggested putting the sleigh in the Carriage House window with possibly a light shining. Lorraine will call Solo to possibly donate plates—maybe Sam's Club. Calls for cookie donations will be made and cookies are requested by 10:00 am on Sat., Dec. 2. Discussion regarding "bought" cookies and homemade cookies for Lollipop Lane. Lollipop Lane set-up starts on Nov. 27 at 7:00 p.m.

Wassail Bowl – Discussed possibly having the Wassail Bowl the Saturday before we close Lollipop Lane. Dolly Hein would make the Wassail. We would have hors d'oeuvres.

Linda Reading said we now have covers for the chairs – less expensive ones.

NEW BUSINESS

Lorraine Haben and Linda Reading have been invited to North Northfield United Methodist Church in Northbrook to give a presentation – "Then and Now" to a luncheon group. Lorraine was contacted by a Northbrook High School classmate who is a member of the Church.

Lorraine Haben commented that we need ideas for programs at the meetings.

She asked everyone to think of a fund raiser for the Spring. Linda Reading commented that maybe we could have a Hat Show (Ladies Program). Pam Dorband suggested a tea/luncheon and knows of someone, Barbara Rollin, who does that.

The Program for this evening will be making reindeer food (oatmeal and sparkles) to give to the kids at Lollipop Lane.

POT O' GOLD

Marilyn Chromy won the Pot O' Gold.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Lonnie Schnaitmann, seconded by Linda Reading to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Forke, Secretary

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
OCTOBER 25, 2000

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on October 25, 2000 and was called to order at 7:45 p.m. by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President. There were 16 members in attendance. Welcomed the following guests – Ron Reading, Doris Hassler, John Aliprandi, Andy Klumpp, Aura from The Herald newspaper – and Dr. Taylor and Pam Dorband.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Minutes of September 27, 2000 were submitted for approval. Motion was made by Dolly Hein to approve the minutes; seconded by Fran Eagan. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer, Elaine Simpson gave the Treasurer's Report. Motion was made by Linda Reading, seconded by Fran Eagan to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried.

CURATOR'S REPORT

Linda Reading gave the highlights from the Curator's Report for October, 2000. Buggy seat has been upholstered by Universal Upholstering, Inc. in Dunhurst Shopping Center. It is back on the buggy and looks great. Sent museum location and phone number to Lydia Barnes Yellow Book.com for free ads on the web site. Holy Family building has been sold to Resurrection Hospital and will be remodeling the various rooms soon. Watch for more historical pictures in the Village Newsletter as Dale Kimmery has been gathering more pictures from our museum files. Library is going to finish up taking the cemetery pictures so this project can be completed. Donations to the Museum were received from Linda Reading, Lorraine Haben, AARP, Marilyn Chromy, and Rudy Horcher. The Antique Club of Wheeling took a tour of our Museum and Carriage House winding up with their meeting in the Old Church on October 16, 2000. Thanks to Patti and Wedge Hancock, Shirley McConnell, Dolly Hein and Lorraine Haben for helping host this event. The last Sunday for open hours at the Museum will be Oct. 29. We will be closed for the winter except for Thursday mornings. Will be brainstorming ideas for new exhibits to present in the Spring. If you have an idea, please let us know. Did anyone see the A&E cable program on Jerry Orbach? Did you see our posters on Chevy Chase Summer Theater? Notice that Wheeling is now on the TV channels weather maps. This is because of the Automated Surface Observation System installed at Palwaukee Airport. The Vision Calendars are here and the cost is \$5.00. A picture of Palwaukee Airport is in this calendar. There are historical pictures from all over the state. Discussion – possibly submit a picture from Lollipop Lane.

LIAISON REPORT

Cheri Klumpp reported that things are going well. Park District upcoming event – Halloween Truck or Treat. Cheri brought Trick or Treat bags – which are available for free.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership – Frank Schnaitmann reported that there are a few people who have not as yet paid their dues. We are looking for new members.

Social – Lonnie Schnaitmann thanks everyone for coming to the meeting and in Halloween costume.

Desserts for October Meeting – Marilyn Chromy, Lorraine Haben, Eleanor Buerger. Thank you!

Cheri Klumpp and Eleanor Buerger have volunteered to bring desserts for the November meeting.

The Program for November will be to make reindeer food (oatmeal and sparkles) to give to the kids at Lollipop Lane.

OLD BUSINESS

The Antique Club of Wheeling's visit to the Museum and Carriage House and their meeting in the Old Church on Oct. 16 was enjoyable.

Lollipop Lane - Mark Twain Troop will again make posters for Lollipop Lane. Cookie baking telephone calls - Shirley Koeppen/Irene Dattilo. We need Santas and Mrs. Claus'. Lonnie will contact the Village and Park to put Lollipop Lane on their signs. Dolly Hein and Patty Hancock went to the Park District meeting Tues. night. With Cheri's assistance, got \$500.00 from the Park District. Cheri Klumpp commented that the Park District appreciates all the work the Historical Society puts into Lollipop Lane and Lorraine said the Society appreciates all the help from the Park District. Cheri talked to Steve Carasso, the Park's public relations person regarding an article about Lollipop Lane. Lorraine asked whether we should think of possibly a corporate sponsor. Letters have been sent regarding Lollipop Lane to various companies/organizations, and thank you letters are being sent regarding any donations/help that have been given. Mr. Stasek is going to take pictures. Eleanor Buerger made a motion that \$300.00 be allotted for Lollipop Lane. Patty Hancock seconded the motion. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

The Carriage Seat has been reupholstered. The Carriage (In memory of the Thompsons) had been given to the Society by the Thompsons.

Lorraine Haben commented that the Board Meeting will be November 8 and because of Thanksgiving - the meeting date is November 15.

The Program this evening centers around Halloween - games, people in costume, and refreshments.

POT O' GOLD

Patty Hancock won the Pot O' Gold and donated the money to the Society.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Dolly Hein, seconded by Patty Hancock to adjourn the meeting at 8:25 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Forke, Secretary

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
SEPTEMBER 27, 2000

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on September 27, 2000 and was called to order at 7:45 p.m. by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President. There were 16 members in attendance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of April 26, 2000 were submitted for approval. Motion was made by Fran Eagan to approve the minutes; seconded by Linda Reading. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Treasurer's Report was given by Dolly Hein in Elaine Simpson's absence. Motion was made by Frank Schnaitmann, seconded by Fran Eagan to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried.

CURATOR'S REPORT

Linda Reading gave the highlights from the Curator's Reports for May & June and July & August. CBS called looking for artifacts/information on Jerry Orbach's performance at Chevy Chase Summer Stock Theater. Linda worked with Steve Carasso from the Park District and sent CBS Chevy Chase summer stock posters. Vision Calendar – Another picture has been accepted by the State Historical Society for the Vision calendar. Cost would be approximately \$5.00. Linda is ordering 12 initially. There were quite a few donations/artifacts. The Glenview Historical Society sent a centennial history book. Linda and Patti have written a letter to the various Wheeling School Principals informing them about museum tours being available this school year. Letters are also being sent to various government and businesses asking for donations of artifacts – especially 1950's to 1980's. Members please check your basements and attics for artifacts. Linda and Patti have also done some work around the outside of the Museum. Lorraine Haben commented that Linda and Patti have done a wonderful job. Cemetery Project – All the printed material has been scanned.

As a reminder – The Museum is open on Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. to noon. There are various projects that can be worked on. Linda thanks everyone who has worked to keep the Museum open. Barbara LaHay has been calling members for Museum sign-ups. Linda has various newsletters from other historical societies to view. Lorraine Haben went to Wheeling Nursery to get the 1962 plaque but the owner decided to keep it. Lorraine commented that she found attendance records at the Museum from 1907-1908 from the Tripp School that contained information on the Habens.

LIAISON REPORT

Cheri Klumpp commented that the letters going to the schools is a good idea. The Park District is looking for part-time help at the front desk. The Madrigals are coming back to Chevy Chase Thanksgiving weekend. There is going to be a New Year's Eve event at Chevy Chase. Summer camps have ended, and the fall programs are going well. There will be a "Tunnel of Trees" southeast of the Aquatic Center. Gary Cohn has contributed and donated money for this project. You can have a tree planted in memory of someone but there will not be individual plaques. A sitting area is also planned. Cheri will check on the lights in the parking lot. They were not on. The kitchen has not been cleaned up after others have used it. Cheri will also check on that.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership – Frank Schnaitmann said the dues are now due. He has a list of the members who have not paid as yet. Lorraine commented that unless member's dues are current, they would not receive the next copy of the newsletter. Individual dues are \$10.00; family membership – \$15.00. Frank spoke to Patti about Wheeling, W. Virginia Historical Society-M. Brennan. We will continue to send them our newsletters. We also receive theirs and are not members of their society. Frank asked everyone to try to get new members.

Social – Lonnie Schnaitmann advised that she and Dolly brought the desserts for this evening. Marilyn Chromy, Eleanor Buerger and Lorraine Haben have volunteered to bring desserts for the October meeting.

Lonnie has an idea for the next meeting in October – to motivate member's attendance. We could have a Halloween party and dress in some sort of costume. It could be a fun evening and members could bring guests. We could have games and prizes. We could possibly have pizza. Barbara Forke commented that she has certificates for Joe's Pizza. Others also have certificates and could give them to Barb. Eleanor Buerger made a motion, seconded by Dolly Hein that \$50.00 be allowed for entertainment/program costs for the October meeting. Motion carried.

Lorraine said the Annual Report for the State of Illinois including a list of the officers/directors has to be sent in along with a check for \$5.00. Frank Schnaitmann is handling.

Lorraine said she is saving pop-tops for the Ronald McDonald's House. The Brownie Troop from Mark Twain School is collecting them. Enough tops have been collected to send 2 children to camp. If anyone is interested, please save them and Lorraine will be happy to pick them up.

OLD BUSINESS

The Installation Banquet in May at Chevy Chase was a very nice event. The food and entertainment were very good. Clare Rudolph took some nice pictures.

The Society shared a float with the Pavilion for the July 4th Parade.

Lorraine commented that one of our members – Mabel Becker (Melvin Becker's wife) passed away. Condolences were sent to their family. Eleanor commented that Betty Forester passed away.

Lorraine said that Don Allison had an operation and is now at home. Lonnie had an operation and is back and doing well.

NEW BUSINESS

The Pavilion has started an antique club—people can have their articles appraised. Does anyone have a collection to talk about - Monday afternoons once a month. Suggested that they could come to the Museum. Lorraine will invite them.

Fund raiser discussion – Fashion show and tea – Vintage hat show. There is a hat collection at the Museum.

Lollipop Lane – Lonnie and Lorraine comments – Lorraine will get 25 containers (which are on sale at Kmart) to be used for Lollipop Lane storage. Linda said covers for the red chairs, can be purchased from a catalog. The week of November 27 – Decorate. Lollipop Lane opens December 2 and closes December 10. The times are 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 on weekends and 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. evenings. Spanish flyers were discussed but have not worked in the past.

Linda Reading questioned when did Lollipop Lane originate – It was thought 1967.

Frank Schnaitmann asked if we are going to have a Wassail Bowl. It was discussed having the Wassail Bowl at the end of Lollipop Lane.

Lorraine commented that the Society needs a publicity person – to get us in the newspapers more often. Linda has called the papers. Dolly spoke to Aurora from the Herald and commented that the Society is not covered well in the Herald. There now is a commitment for more publicity. Dolly said we could get on the regular calendar in the Herald. Pictures can be sent to the Herald. Shirley McConnell suggested composing letters to Mr. Paddock of the Herald.

POT O' GOLD

Shirley McConnell won the Pot O' Gold & part of the money donated back.

Thank you Shirley.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Eleanor Buerger, seconded by Linda Reading to adjourn the meeting at 9:00 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted, Barbara Forke, Secretary

Ed Warble

Wednesday, May 24

Chevy Chase CC



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
APRIL 26, 2000

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on April 26, 2000 and was called to order at 7:40 p.m. by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President.

There were 19 people in attendance. Cheri Klumpp, liaison of the Park District was present. The President introduced guests Bernadine Horcher and Barbara LaHay.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of March 22, 2000 were submitted for approval. Motion was made by Dolly Hein to approve the minutes; seconded by Patti Hancock. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer, Elaine Simpson gave the Treasurer's Report. Motion was made by Frank Schnaitmann, seconded by Eleanor Buerger to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried.

CURATOR'S REPORT

Linda Reading gave the Curator's Report for April. She has copies available. Important matters are sign-up sheets for Sundays from 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. at the Museum and field trips. May 9 – 3:45 p.m. Brownie Troop - The Brownies are doing badge work on the community and would like some stories of the first settlers of Wheeling. Invite anyone to come who would like to share stories. May 11 – Girl Scouts 5:30 –7:30 Would like to have the Carriage House open also. Possibly 48 women coming to Wheeling in June to see some historical sights in Wheeling. The Walking Tour of Wheeling is being updated – possibly adding some buildings from the 50's and 60's to the tour. Linda forwarded some material to Donald Theroux regarding Marshall Theroux, the past Wheeling Township Assessor. He was grateful for the information. The 94th Aero Squadron Restaurant is adding another period room. Linda invited everyone to come to the Railroad Exhibit and the military exhibit has been changed. Lorraine Haben thanked Linda and Patti for their hard work.

LIAISON REPORT

Cheri Klumpp said the Park District is getting ready for the summer camps and programs and then the opening of the Aquatic Center. The Park District has given the Society passes to use for prizes at the Installation Banquet.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership – Frank Schnaitmann reported that Barbara LaHay is re-joining the Society. Members will start renewing their memberships at the Installation Banquet in May.

Social – Lonnie Schnaitmann advised that Margaret and Barbara Forke and Lonnie Schnaitmann brought the desserts for this evening.

OLD BUSINESS

Election of Officers – Lonnie Schnaitmann reported Nominating Committee's Slate of Officers: Lorraine Haben – President; Marilyn Chromy – Director – 2 years; Frank Schnaitmann – Director – 2 years. Asked for any nominations from the floor. There were none. Linda Reading made a motion to accept the slate of officers and to close the nominations. Shirley McConnell seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Installation Banquet – Lorraine Haben commented that the Installation Banquet at Chevy Chase is open to guests. Lonnie Schnaitmann said there will be door prizes – split the deck – Pot O' Gold. The Park District has given the Society passes to use for prizes. The Society will accept/welcome donations for the raffle. Lorraine will go to some of the restaurants. She will have a letter introducing herself. This type of letter is needed for tax purposes. She anticipates nice gifts for the raffle. Dolly Hein contacted Ed Warble. He is a singer/entertainer and will be the entertainment for the evening. Cost - \$175.00. Dolly has seen him a number of times, and he is a good entertainer. At the Board Meeting it was decided that Dolly should use her own judgment getting good entertainment at a reasonable cost. Lorraine said that Shirley McConnell will be the installer, and we are very happy she has accepted. We have to have a minimum of 45 people at the banquet.

NEW BUSINESS

Historical Website with Indian Trails Library – Local History Digitization Project

Linda Reading introduced Chris Reed who is the Outreach Department Head at the Indian Trails Library. Indian Trails is part of the North Suburban Library System. About 2 years ago a request for a grant was written to help the individual libraries to start local digitization processes. They realized they can use the Web to preserve and disseminate information that people have interest in. As part of the project the Library is working with about 5 libraries in the North Shore area. Chris brought copies of the proposed Local History Digitization Project which was presented and discussed at the Historical Society's last Board Meeting. The Library could work with the Historical Society to do a project of this sort. It is important that the information is cataloged appropriately at the beginning. A smaller organization might not have access to more sophisticated computer equipment. The Library has the technical staff and a scanner. The Wheeling Cemetery project was proposed at the Board Meeting. A number of headstones are starting to deteriorate. The Society could take pictures and then work with the Library with the scanning so that this information would be available. The Library would like to start with one project taking it step by step. What would be the most important to preserve now and then when that is completed then we can work on another project. The Society's input is very valuable. There really is no cost to the Society other than taking pictures and the processing. The Library has the scanner and the technical staff and that is part of the commitment to the project. Pictures take up a lot of memory on the servers and the North Suburban Library System has a huge server.

Bill Spangenberg commented regarding the Wheeling Cemetery. It is thought that the Village of Wheeling owns/maintains the Cemetery and Mr. Kolssak (Kolssak Funeral Home) is in charge of it. The landscaping has been in the Village of Wheeling budget for a long time. B. Spangenberg said that the Village is now buying digital cameras for the police department, so rather than someone photographing the grave stones, having pictures developed and giving to the Library to scan, perhaps a digital camera could be used. Chris Reed asked whom to contact. Bill suggested perhaps he (as a Village Trustee) could bring it up at a Village Board Meeting to explaining the project (or ask the Police Chief). The next regular meeting is Monday, May 1 at 7:30 p.m. Chris Reed could also attend the meeting. She commented regarding permission to scan and take pictures in the cemetery. Lorraine Haben suggested that she could also contact L. Kolssak for more information on the cemetery.

Linda Reading commented that burial certificates and other information could also be scanned. If there are people who have photographs who want to share them but might be reluctant to loan them, Bill Spangenberg discussed the possibility of using the scanner and laptop computer. Elaine Simpson made the motion that the Wheeling Historical Society join with the Library in the History Digitization Project. Dolly Hein seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Linda Reading reminded everyone that the Museum is open on Thursdays from 9:00 – 12:00 for anyone who would like to help with any project. Lorraine Haben put together information on the Wheeling Nursery. She received some information and pictures of the Wheeling Nursery from Peggy Kruse Baumgartner. Lorraine is trying to contact the owners who purchased it from the Kruse family to see if they have any material. Shirley McConnell lives in the house that was formerly the Kruse house. Shirley commented that before the Kruse's bought the property it was the Murbach farm and they were one of the founding members of the Wheeling Presbyterian Church. Lorraine asked Shirley if she could put together some further facts. There was discussion on Childerly. Someone in the Haben family received more information on Childerly, which she forwarded to Lorraine. Shirley wondered if the Society ever received any information from Harold Glant (who lives in Highland Park). His father was a director at Childerly and Harold grew up there. The Society can follow up. Last year the first 2 children that were at Childerly stopped in Wheeling to visit with various people.

POT O' GOLD

Elaine Simpson won the Pot O Gold.

ADJOURMENT

Motion was made by Dolly Hein, seconded by Patti Hancock to adjourn the meeting at 8:35 p.m.
Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Forke
Secretary

CURATOR'S REPORT APRIL 2000

MUSEUM IS NOW OPEN FOR THE SUMMER. IF YOU HAVEN'T SIGNED THE VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE I WILL HAVE IT AT THE APRIL & MAY MEETINGS. PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU SIGN UP TO HELP AS IT IS A VERY ENJOYABLE AFTERNOON SPENT.

FIELD TRIPS:

GIRL SCOUT TROOP 697 MAY 11TH 5:30-7:30 pm
NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR MUSEUM & CARRIAGE HOUSE
THIS IS AN EVENING FIELD TRIP SO FOR THOSE WHO CAN'T HELP DURING THE DAY THIS IS THE TIME YOU COULD VOLUNTEER TO HELP.

REPORTS:

PRESENTED A 1957 BLUEPRINT COPY TO WONDER THRIFT STORE. THEY WERE VERY APPRECIATIVE AS THEY ARE DOING SOME REMODELING AND DIDN'T HAVE ANY PRINTS FROM WHICH TO WORK. OH APRIL 6TH WAS THE 70TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE TWINKIE, FOR ALL YOU TWINKIE LOVERS OUT THERE.

94TH AERO SOUARDRON RESTAURANT IS ADDING ANOTHER PERIOD ROOM. THE 8TH BOMBERS DIVISION?

RECEIVED AN E-MAIL FROM DONALD THEROUX WANTING SOME INFORMATION ON MARSHALL THEROUX, THE LATE ASSESSOR OF WHEELING TOWNSHIP. I WAS ABLE TO GATHER SOME FAMILY HISTORY AND ALSO TALKED WITH DOLORES STEPHAN, THE PRESENT ASSESSOR. SHE SAID SHE WOULD BE PLEASED TO SPEAK WITH MR. THEROUX. THEREFORE WAS ABLE TO GATHER MORE INFORMATION FOR OUR FILES ON WHEELING TOWNSHIP, AM MAKING A BOOKLET FOR OUR LIBRARY. SENT OFF THE REST OF THE INFO TO DONALD.

JIM CAMPBELL FROM MICHIGAN INQUIRED ABOUT DONALD PRINCIPE, A SALESMAN FOR AL MUNTZ RADIO/T.V. STORE BACK IN THE LATE 40'S TO 1955. ANYONE KNOWING DONALD PLEASE LET ME KNOW AS I HAVEN'T FOUND ANYTHING ON HIM YET. AL MUNTZ RADIO/T.V. WAS BOUGHT OUT BY RCA.

SOLD SOME COPIES OF THE FASSBENDER STORE TO THE MASONIC LODGE AS THEY WERE LOCATED ON THE UPPER FLOOR BEFORE THEY WENT TO THE OLD WELFIN STORE. AT 16 S. MILWAUKEE.

AM WORKING ON AN UPDATED VERSION OF THE WALKING TOUR OF WHEELING. HOPE TO HAVE IT DONE BY THIS SUMMER. SO MANY BUILDING ARE GONE NOW, BUT I AM ADDING SOME FROM THE 50' & 60'S. ANYONE INTERESTED IN HELPING LET ME KNOW.

RECEIVED SOME PICTURE OF G.S. SINGING GROVE, HALLOWEEN GROUP AND SCHOOL GROUP FROM PEGGY BAUMGARTNER BY WAY OF LORRAINE HABEN.

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
MARCH 22, 2000

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on March 22, 2000 and was called to order at 7:45 p.m. by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President. There were 11 members in attendance. Cheri Klumpp, liaison of the Park District, could not be at the meeting as she is leaving on a trip. (Also, Dolly Hein and Fran Eagan could not be present this evening due to other commitments.)

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of February 23, 2000 and January 26, 2000 were submitted for approval. Motion was made by Patti Hancock to approve the minutes; seconded by Lonnie Schnaitmann. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer, Elaine Simpson couldn't be present due to her husband undergoing some medical tests. We hope all is OK. Lorraine Haben read the Treasurer's Report. Motion was made by Linda Reading, seconded by Shirley McConnell to approve the Treasurer's report as submitted. Motion Carried.

CURATOR'S REPORT

Linda Reading gave the Curator's Reports – giving highlights of the February and March reports. She has copies available.

Linda received pictures of Mrs. Lillie Crane's homestead where St. Armand Court is today – in the Hollywood Ridge Subdivision. The house was torn down and the big dairy barn was burned down. She received a newsletter called Frontline, which covers educational information. Mirsada Kunica, Wheeling High School Graduate, won medals as part of Special Olympics track team. District 214 received the 1999 "What Parents Want" Award from School Match, the nation's largest school selection consulting firm.

Linda took some pictures of the old settler's markers to add to the cemetery book, which should be helpful for anyone looking for information.

Schoenbeck Road – Rudy and Syke Horcher gave Linda more information on Schoenbeck Road and how it got its name, so Linda gave the information to Ron Schoenbeck who is related in some way and gave him Rudy's phone number.

Marion Engelking-Several visitors dropped by the Museum on Thursday morning. One of the visitors was Marion Engelking who was looking for information on Charles Miller – Columbia Hotel & Tavern which was located on Milwaukee Avenue. Lorraine Haben and Linda were able to provide some pictures and Lorraine put down some genealogy-family tree names. M. Engelking bought calendars, cookbook and also left a donation. She was very pleased.

Some businesses in town are moving. Chicago Bagel is moving from Dundee & Schoenbeck to Milwaukee Ave., but the new building has not been completed as yet.

Taco Bell & KF C will be at the site of the Pizza Hut building. Linda & Patti went there to take some pictures.

Lorraine received some information from our sister society in Wheeling, WVA. It seems like the Wheeling Pottery mark is more likely to belong to their pottery company. They have a big industry. Linda asked Shirley McConnell if she could take a picture of the pottery mark and send it to the sister society in WVA.

The Mark Twain Brownie Troop will be coming to the Museum and Carriage House May 9 at 3:45pm. 48 women from Addison are coming to Wheeling in June for lunch at the 94th Aero Squadron and then will tour historical sights in Wheeling.

Wheeling Nursery is moving out/selling the land. They will not have plants this summer. The Western Wear and Garden Center will be selling their inventory until it is gone. The Showcase Gallery is open. Lorraine has put together an album on the Wheeling Nursery.

Virginia Meier has donated some nice pictures.

We had 24 No. Illinois Historical Calendars. We now have only 4 left.

Linda and Patti have been busy at the Museum and have changed the Military Exhibit. They are working on a new exhibit – The Wheeling Station-Railroad Exhibit.

Linda brought information from the societies from around the area.

Lorraine Haben mentioned that Des Plaines Historical Society is having a Fashions From the Past Fashion Show (vintage clothing and accessories and how they were made). The Exhibit is open Mon.-Thurs. 9-4 and Fri. 1-4. Anyone interested in going, please contact Lorraine Haben.

Lorraine Haben received information from Shirley Koeppen regarding the Wheeling Junior Women's Club (Booklets from the 10th, 11th and 12th years). They could be put in the Time Capsule or in the Museum. Lorraine is turning over the information to Linda. The Time Capsule is still an ongoing project – still requesting material. Linda has a list of the things that will be going into the Time Capsule.

There was discussion regarding coins. Bill Spangenberg commented that the Library has coin catalogs that are updated on a monthly basis.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership – Frank Schnaitmann said all our members are paid up for the rest of this year. We are asking that dues for the new membership year be paid up by September.

Social – Lonnie Schnaitmann advised that Marilyn Chromy brought the desserts for this evening. Margaret and Barbara Forke and Lonnie Schnaitmann volunteered to provide refreshments for April.

OLD BUSINESS

Nominating Committee – Lonnie Schnaitmann advised the following people are nominees:

Lorraine Haben – President Marilyn Chromy - Director

Frank Schnaitmann – Director Linda Reading – Curator

Nominations will also be taken from the floor at the April Meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

4th of July Float - Nancy at the Pavilion approached Lorraine Haben regarding the 4th of July Float and asked if the Historical Society wanted to share the float as we did last year. There was no cost to the Society last year as the Village paid. Lorraine Haben said yes and hopes that there are some members who can participate. The parade will be at 6:00 or 6:30 p.m. We have posters from last year that were from the Village. There is possibly room for 12 people on the Float.

Installation Banquet – Lonnie Schnaitmann commented that it will be at Chevy Chase in the Devonshire Room on May 24. Cocktails at 6:00 p.m.; Dinner at 7:00 p.m. Cost will be \$20.00 per person. We do have to have 45-50 people. If there is anyone outside the membership who would like to attend, please advise us so an invitation can be sent. Dolly Hein is handling the entertainment. We will have a nice raffle. Hopefully some of the restaurants will donate dinners.

Historian – Frank Schnaitmann made a suggestion that -- if she would accept it -- to have Shirley McConnell be appointed as historian. Shirley accepted – Thank you, Shirley. Betty Barrie is one of the historians. It was very nice to see Betty at our Dinner & Auction.

Shirley commented that she has been asked recently for information for 5 genealogies. Sarah Rockenbach and Shirley started elementary school together—in the schoolhouse that is now in the Sales Barn complex. S. Rockenbach asked Shirley things about the Redlinger family. She sent her a chart.

New Reporter-Linda Reading commented that there would be a new reporter from the Herald.

Lorraine Haben commented that all the cookbooks have been sold. We now would be in need of something else to sell – possibly a small cookbook. Patti Hancock commented that Clare Rudolph has a lot of recipes. Possibly she could head up a committee. We do have Diamond Jubilee books. We do have pencils.

Lorraine Haben said that Willie Franta was very happy about the picture of her in the March newsletter.

Patti Hancock asked if she could get a couple of copies of the Village Brochure giving an overview of the Village. Bill Spangenberg suggested that she call the Village Hall and tell them who she is and what she would want the booklets for and they would mail them to her. Linda thought possibly we could have some for visitors.

Shirley McConnell commented that she saw in the paper that the Lake County Museum is having a special display in April of the artists who made it big in the entertainment field. Shirley hoped that Jan Horvath (a singer who also tours Europe) who grew up in the Deerfield Road area in Riverwoods is included.

Linda Reading said the Chamber of Commerce received a letter from Donald Theroux who is looking for some information about his father's first cousin, Marshall Theroux. He was the property assessor for Wheeling Township. He died in 1980. Bill Spangenberg suggested contacting Dolores Steffen at the Wheeling Township who has been there for a number of years.

PROGRAM – Linda Reading has brought information/materials from other societies.

POT O' GOLD – Patti Hancock won the Pot O' Gold and has graciously donated it to the Society. Thank you, Patti. (Clare Rudolph won the Pot O' Gold at the Annual Dinner & Auction.)

ADJOURNMENT- Motion was made by Lonnie Schnaitmann, seconded by Eleanor Buerger to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Forke, Secretary

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
FEBRUARY 23, 2000

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on February 23, 2000 and was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by President Lorraine Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

L. Haben comments:

- Welcomed everyone to the Annual Dinner and Auction being held 2/23. Syke Horcher will be the Auctioneer.
- The Society is looking for new members.
- One of our pictures (the paving of Milwaukee Avenue) was included in the Northern Illinois Historical Calendar.
- The Museum will be open in March and we are asking for volunteers to sit in the Museum.
- The following positions will be open for election: President, 2 Directors, Curator. A Nominating Committee of Lonnie Schnaitmann, Eleanor Buerger, and Clare Rudolph was appointed.
- The Village is sponsoring a blood drive March 8 – 2:30-8:30.

Ajournment – Motion was made by Lonnie Schnaitmann, seconded by Marge Allison to adjourn the meeting at 7:35 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Forke Secretary

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
JANUARY 26, 2000

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on January 26, 2000 and was called to order at 7:45 p.m. by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President. There were 14 members in attendance. Commission Klumpp, liaison of the Park District was present.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting of November 17, 1999, were submitted for approval. Regarding Old Business-Lollipop Lane, Frank Schnaitmann corrected that regarding the picture taking/camera ideas, it was Bob Stasek not Bill Stasek. Motion was made by Linda Reading to approve the minutes, seconded by Marilyn Chromy. Motion carried. (The minutes of Nov. 17 were not sent out with the Newsletter but copies available at Jan. 26th meeting.)

TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer Elaine Simpson read the Treasurer's Report. Motion was made by Patti Hancock, seconded by Marge Allison to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried.

CURATOR'S REPORT

Linda Reading gave the Curator's Report. Thank you to everyone for helping keep the Museum open. Some visitors have left nice comments. Patti Hancock filled in on the Curator's Report by putting in the Newsletter. Linda met with the editor of the high school publication, Spokesman. Gave names for interviews. Patti and Linda will be changing the exhibits during the next couple of months (railroad, military). Linda talked to the Chamber of Commerce reference to a ceramic bowl which had a ceramic stamp - Wheeling Pottery Co., which might have been Belpulsi Studio but haven't been able to find anything that actually said it was called Wheeling Pottery. There are sign-up sheets for the Museum and also for recommendations for ideas for the time capsule. We have state calendars available for \$5.00 each. There are extra available. Received memorabilia from Charlotte Dolgopol about Hagerstrom Studio, which was on Milwaukee Avenue. Mr. Hagerstrom was a famous artist (metal, sculpture, ceramic, glass) and well known in the art deco world. He had studios in Evanston, Glenview, Chicago and Wheeling. Lorraine commented that he had a man from Germany, Rudi Bauer, working for him that did a lot of his sculpturing. Charlotte worked there for 22 years. Charlotte had previously given the Museum some information but have been unable to find it. If anyone knows anything about this, please advise. Linda is working with the person who will be writing articles for the Wheeling Village newsletter on the historical section. Linda asked if anyone would be interested in getting involved with the Passport Program. She does not have the time to devote to this because of her husband not being well. The Program gives an opportunity to work with the kids and is enjoyable. Last year Linda started the Program with an intro class with the Park District including the parents. Cheri commented that there is a new person in the Marketing at the Park District and might possibly have more information about the Passport Program. Possible further discussion/decision in February.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership: Frank Schnaitmann said one person paid past dues. Some others have been taken off the membership list. Patti Hancock will revise the membership list. Frank encourages more membership.

Social: Lorraine Haben and Elaine Simpson brought the desserts for this evening. Marilyn Chromy and Fran Eagan volunteered to provide refreshments for March.

Lonnie Schnaitmann advised there are two upcoming events: Wed., February 23 will be the Auction/Pot Luck Supper. Food will be from Wa-Pa-Ghetti's. The cost will be approximately \$7.00 or \$8.00. Lorraine Haben, Dolly Hein, Patti Hancock and Margaret Forke volunteered to bring cakes and jello. Dolly Hein made a motion to approve a \$50.00 budget for the Pot Luck Supper, seconded by Marge Allison. Motion carried. Invitations will be sent out.

Dolly Hein encouraged people to bring visitors and friends and also to consider bringing better items to the auction and suggested to possibly having a minimum bid for the better items. Lorraine Haben said letters were not sent to restaurants to ask for donations that could be auctioned off. May be that is something that could be done. Syke Horcher will be the auctioneer.

Wednesday, May 24, will be the Installation Banquet. Hopefully the Installation Banquet will be at Chevy Chase.

OLD BUSINESS

Lollipop Lane - Lonnie Schnaitmann thanked everyone for all their help with Lollipop Lane. The cookies were excellent. There were over 800 children. There are approximately 150 coloring books left. Donations were received. Some new lights will be needed for next year. Frank Schnaitmann commented that Bob Stasek bought the Santa wig/hair, the film, made prints and made photo album for last year and also this year. Thank you to B. Stasek. Lorraine thanked Lonnie Schnaitmann for the wonderful job on Lollipop Lane. Linda commented that some ornaments and some Diamond Jubilee books were sold during Lollipop Lane. The thank-you notes have been sent out - Staseks, the Village (for the signs).

Lorraine Haben advised that the Girl Scouts are planning to come to visit the Museum in April or May. At that time we will do something for them (maybe have ice cream.)

Dolly Hein commented that Sr. Pavilion attended an intergenerational get-together with 4th Graders and thanked the Society for giving suckers and books. The kids made thank-you cards. Some of the children went to Lollipop Lane.

NEW BUSINESS

- Lorraine reminded that anyone who would like to come to work in the Museum; it is open on Thursdays from 9:00 to 12:00.
- Northeastern Illinois Historical Society membership dues for 2000 are due. Frank Schnaitmann made a motion to pay the \$35.00 dues; seconded by Wedge Hancock. Motion carried. The meetings are held every other month. The next meeting will be in March. Linda Reading went to the last meeting in Lake Forest in their new museum. The program about the Chicago Fire was very interesting. We possibly could get speakers through Northeastern Ill. Historical Society.
- Nominating Committee will need to be appointed.
- Lorraine Haben received a letter Michael Noyle from the Village regarding an upcoming blood drive on March 8 from 2:30 to 8:00.

Cheri Klumpp commented that the Grand Opening for Chevy Chase was on Sunday. Proud of the renovations. Did a beautiful job. She encouraged people to see it if they haven't already. There are available dates open. There was a question regarding the Gable Room. There are no plans for it to be a restaurant. It is being used during golf season and can also be reserved.

Dolly Hein commented that last week an appraiser came to the Senior Center. Linda said this was the same person that was at the Northeastern Ill. Historical Society meeting in Highland Park. Lorraine Haben was at the Library where they also had an appraiser.

PROGRAM - Suggestions for Time Capsule - Sign-up sheets

POT'O'GOLD - Fran Eagan

ADJOURNMENT - Motion was made by Patti Hancock, seconded by Linda Reading to adjourn the meeting at 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Barbara Forke, Secretary

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
NOVEMBER 17, 1999

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on November 17, 1999 and was called to order at 7:45 p.m., by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President. There were fourteen members in attendance. Commissioner Klumpp, Liaison of the Park District, and her son Andy were also present. (Also, return guest, Fran Eagan).

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting of October 27, 1999, were submitted for approval. Motion was made by Dolly Hein, seconded by Linda Reading to approve the minutes as presented. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer Elaine Simpson read the Treasurer's Report in full. Motion was made by Frank Schnaitmann, seconded by Marilyn Chromy to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried.

CURATOR'S REPORT

Linda Reading gave the Curator's Report. The paving picture made the state calendar. The state calendars are for sale and if any one is interested, please sign up and Linda will pursue. There are still 1991 ornaments left over, which can also be sold for \$1.00 or \$2.00 along with the cookbooks for \$2.00 each during Lollipop Lane.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership: Frank Schnaitmann commented that there are still a few people who haven't paid their dues as yet. There are 77 members including spouses.

Social: Lonnie Schnaitmann advised that Cheri Klumpp and Marilyn Chromy brought the desserts for this evening. Lorraine Haben and Elaine Simpson volunteered to provide refreshments for January.

Public Relations and Publicity – No report

OLD BUSINESS

Lollipop Lane – Lorraine Haben has received some (donations) checks from businesses.

The Park District has put up their portion of the decorations. Our decorating to begin on Monday, Nov. 29 from 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. (Last year it took 2 days to decorate.)

The Girl Scouts called. They will be putting up signs. The Troop will be at Lollipop Lane on Dec. 9.

Elaine Simpson has the lollipops.

Thanks to Bill Stasek Chevrolet who will be taking pictures of each child. Bill Stasek has looked at a new camera and has some ideas for the picture taking. Mention of Lollipop Lane in dealership newsletter.

Lollipop Lane information will be on the Village sign. Dolly Hein will check with Judy Abruscato about making an announcement regarding Lollipop Lane during the Village Tree Lighting Ceremony. Also mention at AARP meeting. Information can also be faxed to the Tribune and also sent into Neal letter.

Thank you to Shirley Koeppen for making the phone calls for the cookies.

Wassail Bowl – Invitations have been sent out to the Village Board and the Park Board for the December 4th

Wassail Bowl. Motion was made by Dolly Hein, seconded by Linda Reading that a budget of \$200.00 be approved. Motion carried. Refreshments of cheese, meat, fruit were discussed. There will be a sign-up sheet for members who would like to bring desserts, etc. Linda Reading and Eleanor Buerger could bring their punch bowls.

NEW BUSINESS

Time capsule discussion. Linda Reading has a container – old popcorn can. The January Program will be discussion of the Time Capsule – suggestions as to what can be included: pictures, 1991 ornament, cookbook, \$2.00 bill, Susan B. Anthony silver dollar, Centennial Book, copy of the charter, current and first membership list. The February program will be the Annual Pot Luck Dinner and Auction.

Cheri Klumpp commented that Margaret, who was in charge of PR, is leaving the Park District. The Rec. Center (pool opening) addition should be completed mid December. December 3 is the opening at Chevy Chase. December 4 there will be a Craft Show there. Lorraine Haben commented there will be a Senior Luncheon/Dance at Chevy Chase on Dec. 15. Cheri said there are still some openings for the New Year's Eve party at Chevy Chase.

PROGRAM

Made "Reindeer" food for Lollipop Lane

POT 'O GOLD

Lorraine Haben.

ADJOURMENT

Motion was made by Lonnie Schnaitmann, seconded by Linda Reading to adjourn the meeting at 8:30 p.m.
Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara Forke
Secretary

ANNUAL REPORT

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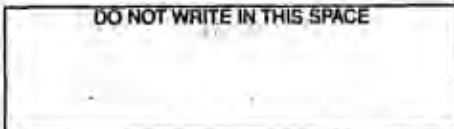
GENERAL NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATION ACT

FILE NO. *N 4589-081-3*

SECRETARY OF STATE OF ILLINOIS

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ANNUAL REPORT
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1.) CORPORATE NAME *WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY*
 REGISTERED AGENT *FRANK SCHNAITMANN*
 REGISTERED OFFICE
 CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE

Re sent 12-25-98

2.) NOTE: DO NOT ALTER ITEM 1.

Form NFP 105.10 must be filed in this office in order to change THE REGISTERED AGENT and/or REGISTERED OFFICE.

3.) The above corporation organized under the laws of the state of _____, pursuant to the provisions of "The General Not for Profit Corporation Act" of the State of Illinois, hereby makes the following report:

4.) THE NAMES AND RESPECTIVE RESIDENTIAL ADDRESSES OF ITS OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS ARE:

NAME	OFFICE	NUMBER & STREET	CITY	STATE	ZIP
<i>LORRAINE S. HABEN</i>	President	<i>608 OLD MCHENRY RD.</i>	<i>WHEELING</i>	<i>IL</i>	<i>60090</i>
<i>PATRICIA HANCOCK</i>	Secretary	<i>386 LESLIE CT</i>	<i>WHEELING</i>	<i>IL</i>	<i>60090</i>
<i>IDA HEIN</i>	Treasurer	<i>950 ELIZABETH CT</i>	<i>WHEELING</i>	<i>IL</i>	<i>60090</i>
<i>FRANK SCHNAITMANN</i>	Director	<i>291 N. 3rd ST.</i>	<i>WHEELING</i>	<i>IL</i>	<i>60090</i>
<i>MARJORIE ALLISON</i>	Director	<i>537 ISA DR.</i>	<i>WHEELING</i>	<i>IL</i>	<i>60090</i>
<i>ELAINE SIMPSON</i>	Director	<i>100 WILLIE</i>	<i>WHEELING</i>	<i>IL</i>	<i>60090</i>

NOTE: List all directors above or list them on an additional sheet: Illinois corporations must have THREE directors.

5.) The following is a brief statement of the character of the affairs which the corporation is actually conducting:
ACQUIRE AND PRESERVE HISTORICAL ARTIFACTS AND OPERATE HISTORICAL MUSEUM

6.) Is this corporation a CONDOMINIUM Association as established under the Condominium Property Act?

Yes No (CHECK ONE)

Is this corporation a COOPERATIVE HOUSING CORPORATION defined in Section 216 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954?

Yes No (CHECK ONE)

Is this a HOMEOWNER'S ASSOCIATION which administers A COMMON-INTEREST COMMUNITY AS DEFINED IN SUBSECTION (C) of Section 9-102 of the Code of Civil Procedure?

Yes No (CHECK ONE)

7.) If a foreign corporation, the address of its principal office in the state of its incorporation is:

(Number and Street)

(State or Country)

(Please read reverse side of this report before signing below)

8.) BY *Frank Schnaitmann* Director *12/11/98*
 (Authorized Officer's Signature) (Title) (Date)

Under the penalty of perjury and as an authorized officer, I declare that this annual report, pursuant to provisions of the General Not For Profit Corporation Act, has been examined by me and is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, correct, and complete.

ITEM 8 MUST BE SIGNED

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
OF OCTOBER 27, 1999

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on October 27, 1999 and was called to order at 7:48 p.m., by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 North Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President. There were fourteen members in attendance. Commissioner Klumpp, Liaison of the Park District was also present. Guest: Fran Egan.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The minutes of the meeting of September 22, 1999 were submitted for approval. Motion was made by Dolly Hein, seconded by Patti Hancock to approve the minutes as presented. Motion Carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Treasurer Simpson read the Treasurer's Report in full. She noted three checks in dues had been received and a \$100.00 donation was received from Gary Cohen for Lollipop Lane. Motion was made by Frank Schnaitmann, seconded by Dolly Hein to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried.

CURATOR'S REPORT:

Linda Reading could not be in attendance due to her husbands' illness. Lorraine Haben commented that there would be two reporters from the Wheeling Countryside at the museum on October 28th. Lorraine Haben and Bill Spangenberg were at the museum on October 24 and had nine vistor's to the museum. If weather permitting, Patti and Wedge will be at the museum on Sunday October 31st.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Membership... Frank welcomed Jean Lowery who has rejoined the society.

Social.....Lonnie advised that Eleanor Buerger brought the refreshments for this evening. Marilyn Chromy and Cheri Klumpp volunteered to provide refreshments for November. Elaine Simpson donated a Halloween ghost decoration to be given at the Pot O Gold.

Public Relations & Publicity.. No report.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Lollipop Lane- Lonnie reported this event will be held December 4th through December 12th. She discussed the possibility of giving away pencils. Dolly Hein advised 1000 coloring books have been ordered at the cost of \$500.00, and they will be delivered whenever the society is ready for delivery. Elaine Simpson advised she has ordered the lollipops which are the same size as last year but wrapped differently. The cost for 800 suckers is \$65.00.

Frank Schnaitmann advised he as completed an application for Lollipop Lane for the Village marquis and also will request the same at the Wheeling Park District. Elaine noted the society could also send in an application to have our meeting dates placed on the marquis. Lorraine noted there are no church services scheduled in the old church during Lollipop Lane.

Patti Hancock advised the letters regarding donations have been typed and are ready to send out to the local businesses, also the flyers are ready to be printed up. It was noted that some flyers are made up in Spanish so no children will be missed. Frank will distribute same. Dolly said she would take some flyers to the pavilion to be handed out. Cheri mentioned the placement of flyers at the Chevy Chase craft show and also at the park district recreation center.

Lonnie Schnaitmann requested a budget for Lollipop Lane. Motion was made by Dolly Hein, seconded by Eleanor Buerger to approve the amount of \$300.00. Motion Carried.

She advised we are planning to have a Millennium Tree this year. She noted at the meeting of November 17th we will be making raindeer food for Lollipop Lane.

Discussion ensued regarding a Wassail Bowl on December 4th.

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NEW BUSINESS:

1. Signs - Gary Cohn advised that he and Bill Spangenberg have requested and will be getting three signs from the Village of Wheeling made indicating the Wheeling Historical Museum. They have received permission from three property owners to have these signs placed on their property at Milwaukee and Strong, Dundee and Wolf and Strong and Wolf. When the signs are received, a thank letter should be sent to the Village of Wheeling. Thanks guys!

1. Park News- Cheri Klumpp said the Autumnfest was held a couple of weeks ago and discussion came up with the possibility of it being brought back to Chamber Park. It is the hope of the Society that this can be done.

She also noted that Chevy Chase renovation and construction is on schedule and looks good. January 23rd has been set for a open house. She also stated the News Year's Eve celebration tickets are on sale and are \$125.00/person. They have a new chef. Prime rib and champagne are on the menu.

She also advised the new pool and fitness center are coming along and are also looking good.

Both football teams took championship place. She state they had great coaches and that made it possible.

There are a couple of openings in the Park District. A Senior Accountant and a Recreation Coordinator are needed.

Cheri advised due to personal matters, Bill Mattes has stepped down and Fran Melamed has become Vice President at this time.

She also said they are trying to save the chimney of the Denoyer log cabin. Initial designs have been submitted.

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President Haben commented on trying to get new members in the society. She thanked everyone for coming to the meeting and stated she enjoys being President.

PROGRAM- To be presented at the adjournment of the meeting.

REFRESHMENTS:

Refreshments were provided by Eleanor Buerger.

POT O GOLD:

The Pot O Gold was won by Gary Cohen. He donated the pot of \$10.75 back to the society. Thank you Gary. Wedge won the ghost decoration donated by Elaine Simpson.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to come before the membership, motion was made by Lonnie Schnaitmann, seconded by Patti Hancock to adjourn the meeting at 8:15 p.m. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

PROGRAM: SHOW AND TELL

Lorraine Haben brought a Hair Wreath from the early 1900's that belonged to Emma Haben. Clare Rudolph brought her father's implements for re-soleing shoes. Wedge and Patti Hancock brought some of their Depression Glass collection and Gary Cohen brought and donated an insulator (Patent date of 1893) which was located on the Denoyer property.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara Forke
Secretary
Wheeling Historical Society

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
OF SEPTEMBER 22, 1999

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on September 22, 1999 and was called to order at 7:45 p.m., by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 North Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President. There were thirteen members in attendance. Commissioner Klumpp, Liaison of the Park District was also present.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The minutes of the meeting of April 28, 1999 and May 26, 1999 (Installation Dinner) were submitted for approval. Motion was made by Frank Schniatmann, seconded by Linda Reading to approve the minutes as presented. Motion Carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Treasurer Hein gave the Treasurer's Report including Money Market, Lollipop Lane Account and disbursements. Motion was made by Eleanor Buerger, seconded by Lonnie Schnaitmann to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried.

CURATOR'S REPORT:

Linda presented the Curator's Report for August 1999. She advised through the Passport Program, 40 children and 8 adults visited the museum this season. One cookbook was sold and we received donations totaling \$45.00. She listed the artifacts received from members and friends. Also pictures were submitted to the Illinois Historical Society of Illinois Visions calendar. She thanked everyone who helped keep the museum open this summer. A newsletter received from Wheeling West Virginia was received and made available for members to review.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Membership... Frank reported Bill and Sharon Spangenberg & Jean Lowery have become new members to the society. Welcome!!!

Social.....Lonnie advised that she and Dolly Hein provided refreshments for this evening. Marilyn Chromy and Eleanor Buerger volunteered to provide refreshments for October.

Public Relations & Publicity.. Discussion ensued to the possibility of placing an article in the newspaper with a picture of the Board.

OLD BUSINESS:

President Haben reported that the Constitution and By-Laws were again reviewed by Patti and herself. (Background..At a board meeting in July the Board and Directors reviewed and approved some minor changes in the Constitution and By-laws. These again were reviewed by Pat and Lorraine and are being submitted to the membership for review and approval. The changes were read and a motion was made by Linda Reading and seconded by Eleanor Buerger to approve the Comstitution and By-Laws as amended. Motion Carried.

NEW BUSINESS:

Membership Dues - Discussion ensued regarding increasing the membership dues. (Single from \$5.00 to \$10.00/year and Family \$8.00 to \$15.00/year). Motion was made by Frank Schnaitmann, seconded by Dolly Hein to increase the membership dues as presented. Motion carried.

Meeting Date Change - President Haben advised the November meeting will be moved up to Wednesday, November 17, 1999 and the Board meeting will be held on November 10, 1999 due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

Lollipop Lane - Lonnie advised that Lollipop Lane would be held December 4th through December 12th. Set up will start Nov. 29th, hours 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. finishing by December 3rd. The Co-Committee members are Lonnie, Frank and Eleanor.

She noted the following:

- .Lollipop Lane Hours are Weeknights 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.
- Weekends 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
- .Shirley Koeppen and Irene Dattilo will contact members regarding cookie sales.
- .Bill Stasek will be contracted to see whether they will have someone to again take pictures of the children with Santa and Mrs. Claus.

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- .Dolly to contact Tom Webber regarding coloring books.
- .Elaine Simpson will order suckers for the children.
- .Lorraine will look into pencils.
- .Lorraine will call the Park District regarding the barricade by the church building to make sure the gates will be open for Lollipop Lane.
- .It was discussed if information could be included in the Village newsletter and placed on the Village sign. It was noted a form needs to be completed and submitted to the Village.
- .Letters will be sent out regarding donations.

Lonnie recommended the society holding a Wassail Bowl for members and guests as done in the past. December 4 was picked as a possible date. She also advised there will be a need for more Santa's and Mrs. Claus and a need for a budget to work with.

Website - Linda Reading asked Cheri Klumpp to check if the Historical Society can be put on the Wheeling Park District Website? Cheri advised that as of now the park submits information to an outside company but there is a possibility in the future that the park will be doing this inhouse. Linda will submit material to Margaret at the Park District.

Publicity - Lorraine advised that an article appeared in the Daily Herald about generating interest in the Society and to encourage new membership.

NEW IDEAS & PROJECT SUGGESTIONS

Dolly Hein mentioned a Holiday Party given by the Park District on Thursday December 15th at Chevy Chase. This is an opportunity to see Chevy Chase with all the renovations that have been made. Cheri Klumpp mentioned that there was an article in the Herald about Chevy Chase.

Dolly mentioned AARP and possibly networking and have some one come and talk about the Historical Society.

Possible field trips were discussed, one being Naperville Settlement: Wilmot with lunch at the Stagecoach Stop and some of the N.E.I.L upcoming events.

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Program idea: Dolly went to the Northbrook Historical Fund Raiser in which they held a luncheon with an antique appraiser present. The fee for an appraisal was \$5.00 per item with a limit of two items.

PROGRAM- Linda brought some of the Historical Society's scrapbooks for members to review and reminisce.

REFRESHMENTS:

Refreshments were provided by Lonnie and Dolly.

POT O GOLD:

The Pot O Gold was won by Shirley McConnell and the two plants donated by Lonnie were won by Linda and Lorraine.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to come before the membership, motion was made by Dolly, seconded by Lonnie to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 p.m. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara Forke. Secretary
Wheeling Historical Society

NOTES OF THE INSTALLATION DINNER
OF THE WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
HELD MAY 26, 1999

The Annual Installation Dinner was held at 94th Aero Squadron Restaurant , 1070 S. Milwaukee Avenue, Wheeling Illinois. on May 26, 1999.

At 6:00 p.m. cocktails and appetisers were served in the Bar. We then proceeded to the Charlie Room for a delightful dinner buffet.

Following the dinner, President Haben introduced our Park Commissioners (President Webber & wife, Vice President Mattes, Commissioner Dennis Drake & wife and Liaison Commissioner Cheri Klumpp), and new members Bill and Sharon Spandenburg.

President Haben reviewed the past year's trials and tribulations and thanked the Park District for all their support and help. President Webber also spoke and thanked members of the society for their volunteer work.

The entertainment followed featuring Marvelous Marv. (A singer in his own right). Chances were sold and prizes were handed out. A good time was had by all.

Respectfully,

Patti Hancock, Secretary
Wheeling Historical Society

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
OF APRIL 28, 1999

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on April 28, 1999 and was called to order at 7:45 p.m. by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 North Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President. There were thirteen members in attendance. Commissioner Klumpp, Liaison of the Wheeling Park District was also present.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The minutes of the meeting of March 28, 1999 were submitted for approval. Motion was made by Frank Schnaitmann, seconded by Dolly Hein to approve the minutes as presented. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

TREASURER'S REPORT;

The Treasurer's Report was read in full. As of this date, there is a balance of \$607.33 in the checking account. Motion was made by Lonnie Schniatmann, seconded by Linda Reading to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

CURATOR'S REPORT:

Linda presented the Curator's Report. She gave a museum update stating we have gotten it back in order. Drapes have been cleaned and put up and everything has been cleaned dusted and put in place. She gave thanks to those who helped. She also advised the members of the project she has been working on with teacher, Gerri Hunt and mentioned the donations received lately.

We are still looking for volunteers to help with the Passport program and keeping the museum open on Sundays from 2-4 p.m. She asked for members to please sign up.

She has tours set up for May 20th and 27th which are Thursdays for the 6th graders from Holmes Middle School. Volunteers are needed for the 27th as she will be out of town. Dolly, Lorraine and Patti volunteered.

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She thanked the Park District for all their help in getting the museum ship-shape for the summer. They have been very helpful and we are grateful for their work.

She noted we will be hosting the N.E.I.L meeting on Saturday May 8th and the museum will open on Sunday, May 9th.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Membership- Frank Schnaitmann reported there are no new members.

Social- Lonnie Schnaitmann advised she and Elaine are providing the refreshments for this evening. No volunteers are needed for May.

Public Relations & Publicity- Elaine Simpson advised she talked with Jim Gerveski regarding publicity and they will meeting within the next couple of weeks.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Election of Officers- Lonnie presented the slate of officers for the ~~1999~~¹⁹⁹⁹-2001 which were selected by the Nominating Committee and will serve a two year term. They are as follows:

Vice President..Dolly Hein
Treasurer..Elaine Simpson
Secretary..Barbara Forke
Director..Marilyn Chromy
Director..Eleanor Buerger

President Haben and Director Schnaitmann have one year to serve.

Nominations were also taken from the floor. There being no nominations, motion was made by Linda Reading the nominations be closed and the slate as presented, be elected by unanimous vote. The motion was seconded by Clare Rudolph and carried by Voice Vote.

2. Installation Banquet- Lonnie advised she has checked with the 94th Aero Squadron Restaurant and if the

membership agrees, the Annual Installation Banquet will be held there on the 26th of May. It was suggested Cocktails at 6:00 p.m. (Cash Bar) Dinner at 7:00 p.m. The price per person would be \$13.00. Again, reservations must be made with Irene Datillo and all reservations must be paid for. The dinner buffet will consist of garden salad, three entrees: thin sliced prime rib Au Jus with cream sauce, baked salmon with red pepper sauce and chicken cashew stir fry. Accompaniments and dessert will also be included. Patti will sent the invitations. Entertainment was discussed. The members agreed to holding the banquet at 94th and that Dolly check with the gentleman we had last year. Lonnie requested a budget. Motion was made by Wedge Hancock, that Lonnie be given \$100.00 for center-pieces and prizes. Motion was seconded by Elaine Simpson. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

3. N.E.I.L Meeting- Linda advised the Wheeling Historical Society is hosting the N.E.I.L (Northeastern Illinois Historical Council meeting on May 8th at 9 a.m. It will be held in the Community Center and the presentation will be on websites and public relations. We will provide refreshments and tables will be set up. Volunteers will be needed. An invitation has been sent to Margaret Cesario Customer Service Manager of the Wheeling park district. The museum and carriage house will be open. All members are invited to attend.

NEW BUSINESS:

Cheri Klumpp advised the work on Chevy Chase is coming along very well. She had been out there Thursday with reporters from the Daily Herald and Countryside, who were also given a tour. She updated the members on the changes advised you can see where new installations are being made. She noted while work was being done in the Gable Room, they opened a wall to find a dumbwaiter which had been closed up containing newspapers, dated 1962. It is assumed the dumbwaiter ceased to be used at that time.

She also noted the new indoor pool is coming along and it is hope it will be open early next year.

She also advised at the last meeting of the park district, an ordinance was put into effect that all building belonging to the park district are smoke free, with the exception of Chevy Chase. President Haben advised she had received a letter and read it to the membership.

Cheri also noted the Park Board will remain the same for the next two years. Tom Webber was elected President with Bill Mattes as Vice President for the coming year.

NEW IDEAS & PROJECT SUGGESTIONS

1. Rededication of War Graves- Lorraine advised at the last Board meeting, Rudy requested the board to consider participating in rededicating some of the Civil War graves at our Wheeling Cemetery. Some of the markers have long been gone and he would like new ones put in and at the time this is done, a date be picked and a ceremony be held. He is working with another organization and is asking our members to be in attendance when the ceremony takes place. The board was in favor with his suggestion and asked the membership their feelings. Discussion ensued and since Rudy was not in attendance to clarify this, the subject was tabled.

PROGRAM

Linda will present some old movies of R. McIntyre from the 1950-60's. She introduced guest Robert Goette. His church group uses the Chamber Center on Sunday mornings.

REFRESHMENTS

Refreshments this evening are provided by Lonnie and Elaine.

POT O GOLD

The Pot O Gold was played.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the members, motion was made by Dolly Hein, seconded by Marilyn Chromy to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 p.m. Carried by Voice Vote.

Respectfully submitted,

Pat Hancock, Secretary
Wheeling Historical Society

Wheeling Historical Society
Notes of the Board Meeting
of April 21, 1999

The officers present: Lorraine Haben, Dolly Hein, Elaine Simpson, Rudy Horcher, Lonnie and Frank Schnaitmann, Linda Reading and Pat Hancock.

The agenda for the April 28th meeting was set up.

Lonnie reported she has contacted 94th Aero Squadron to hold our Installation Banquet. Tentatively Cocktails and O'duers would take place from 6- 7:00 p.m.; followed by buffet. Price is \$13.00/person. Since this does not include gratuity, Dolly suggested to charge the above amount to members with the gratuity paid by the Society. All agreed.

Discussion followed and motion was made by Lorraine, seconded by Patti that Dolly issue Linda a petty cash check for \$100.00. All agreed.

Linda request the society fill out an application for credit at Wolf Service. All agreed a request for credit up to \$500.00 be sent in.

Dioscussion ensued regarding the upcoming N.E.I.L meeting May 8th. Plans were made on serving and set up. Patti was asked to send a letter of invitation be sent to Gary Cohen since the program is Public Relations and Websites.

Linda advised of two tours coming up for the Holmes 6th grade students on May 20th and May 27th. She is unable to attend May 27th and volunteers are needed. Dolly, Rudy, Lorraine and Patti volunteered.

The board discussed raising the fee of the Diamond Jubilee Book from \$2 to \$5.00. All agreed.

Linda advised the "Wheeling Through the Years" book at the Library is in bad shape and is the society willing to let them make a copy of it since there are no more to be had. It was agreed by the board, the Library write a letter of request so permission can be granted but only to the library.

It was requested by Rudy that the society support a re-dedication of the war graves sometime in the future. So done.

Respectfully submitted,

Pat Hancock, Secretary

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
OF MARCH 24, 1999

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on March 24, 1999 and was called to order at 7:40 p.m., by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 North Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

The pledge of allegiance was led by Rudy Horcher. There were fourteen members in attendance. Commissioner Klump, Liaison of the Park District was also present.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The minutes of the meeting of January 27, 1999 and the minutes of February 25, 1999 were submitted for approval. Correction was made in the minutes of January 27th in sentence nine which reads "Linda Reading gave the Treasurer's Report", should read "Linda Reading gave the Curator's Report." Motion was made by Eleanor Buerger, seconded by Frank Schnaiatmann to approve the minutes as amended. Motion Carried by Voice Vote.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

The Treasurer's Report was read in full. She also reported the results of the auction and pot luck held in February. She advised there is \$645.32 in the checking account as of this date. Motion was made by Lonnie, seconded by Frank to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

CURATOR'S REPORT:

Linda gave the Curator's Report. She advised of the work being done by the park district maintenance crew in the renovation of the basement and also it was decided to paint the upstairs of the museum. She advised it is really looking good. Help will be needed upon completion of their work. Linda also advised of other happenings at the museum such as donations, artifacts and reports she has been working on.

Lorraine also noted nominations can be taken from the floor at that time.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. 4th of July Parade - Lorraine noted that anyone is invited to attend the board meetings. At the last meeting it was decided by the board to make the 4th of July float this year. Discussion ensued. She advised of the ideas presented and asked the membership to think about it. Discussion also ensued regarding saving the Forke House. She updated the membership on what has happened regarding this matter. Discussion ensued. She advised the society has neither the manpower nor monies to do anything.

POT O GOLD:

The Pot O Gold was won by Elaine Simpson.

REFRESHMENTS:

Refreshments were provided by Linda and Patti.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to come before the membership, motion was made by Lonnie, seconded by Wedge to adjourn the meeting at 8:40 p.m. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

Respectfully submitted,

Patti Hancock, Secretary
Wheeling Historical Society

She also attended the N.E.I.L. meeting which was held May 8th and attended two workshops, one on photography and the other on methods of dating vintage clothing. It was noted there was a \$20.00 fee to attend the workshops. Motion was made by Eleanor, seconded by Frank to reimburse Linda for the registration fee. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

She noted volunteers will be needed to keep the museum open on Sundays starting in May.

CORRESPONDENCE

1. Letter received from Illinois Association of Museums re: upcoming workshops.
2. Letter received from Village of Wheeling re: Brooms and Blooms invitation to help beautify village May 22, 1999.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership - No Report

Social - Lonnie advised the installation banquet will be held here at the Chamber Center. She will be looking into places to cater the event and hopefully she will have all the information at the April meeting. Lonnie and Elaine volunteered to provide refreshments at the April meeting.

Dolly noted with the N.E.I.L. meeting and banquet being held at the center, she brought up the matter of new curtains. Cheri advised if the society knows what they want, she would check with the board and also the possibility of using drapes from Chevy Chase. Following lengthy discussion, it was the decision to table this matter until another time.

Public Relations - No Report

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Presentation of Slate of Officers by Nominating Committee- On behalf of the nominating committee, Lonnie presented the slate of officers to be voted on at the April meeting, each to serve a two year term.

Vice President.. Dolly Hein
Treasurer.. Elaine Simpson
Secretary.. Barbara Forke
Director.. Eleanor Buerger
Director.. Marilyn Chrony

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
FEBRUARY 25, 1999

A short meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on February 25, 1999 at 6:30 p.m. in the Chamber Center at 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Il. 60090 followed by the annual potluck dinner and auction.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

The pledge of allegiance was led by the president. President Haben welcomed all the visitors and thanked them for coming.

NEW BUSINESS:

The Nominating Committee was appointed by President Haben consisting of Lonnie Schnaitmann, Linda Reading and Shirley McConnell. This committee was requested to canvas the membership for candidates for the offices of Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and two Directors. The Nominating Committee was then requested to submit the names of the candidates at our March 25th meeting.

A big thank you was given to Lonnie and her committee for this lovely evening. President Haben also thanked our auctionier Syke Horcher in advance.

Linda Reading gave a short report.

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting.

Notes by Lorraine Haben
President
Typed by P. Hancock, Sec.

MINUTES OF THE WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
Wednesday, January 27, 1999

Meeting called to order at 7:45 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Guest, Andy Klump was introduced.

Patti Hancock is in the hospital. Irene Datillo is also in the hospital.

Dolly Hein made a motion to approve the minutes of the last meeting. Marge Allison seconded the motion. All approved.

Dolly Hein gave the Treasurer's Report. Lonnie Schnaitman made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report. Marilyn Chromy seconded the motion. All approved.

Linda Reading gave the ^{CURATOR'S} Treasurer's Report. Museum was open 12/5 and 12/6 – Had 24 visitors on Sunday. Lorraine Haben helped decorate. Linda Reading made the tree skirt.

Cookbooks – Have 80 bound cookbooks – 49 were sold at Lollipop Lane. 31 left. Patti and Wedge Hancock bound the books.

Acquisitions – Artifacts from Chevy Chase – Wedge & Patti Hancock

Rudy Horcher – fan

Linda – Past location pictures of Wheeling Library

Website is on hold.

Funds were used for post office pictures, hangers, pictures.

Would appreciate help with inventory labeling on Thursday mornings.

Need dry cleaning bags.

Need information regarding the Chamber of Commerce pool and Wheeling Days.

Need metal shelving units.

Linda and G. Hunt from Mark Twain School are putting together a slide show – past and present.

Passport Programs this summer – Linda spoke to someone at the Park District. \$50.00 for 200 booklets.

Received information from the Pullman Foundation regarding a petition for requesting funds from government for rebuilding the Clock Tower. Petition available at the meeting for anyone interested in signing.

Library newsletter – Traveling Museum – Holocaust

Registration necessary – Have two tickets to preview this.

Thanks to Wedge Hancock for touch-up painting, Lorraine Haben for washing outfits, Tim from the Park District for basement projects, and Bev Rossman and Lorraine Haben for helping on Thursday mornings.

The February Museum Display – Night on the Town and Diamond Jubilee.

Linda Reading and Lorraine Haben attended the Neil Meeting in Palatine. (Victorian Wedding Display). There were approximately 20 curators and representatives from Des Plaines, Glenview, Arlington Heights, Palatine. It was a nice experience. Our Society will be the host for the May Neil Meeting. They will supply the speaker and we will supply refreshments.

Lonnie Schnaitman gave a report on Lollipop Lane. Thanks to everyone who helped – Santas, Mrs. Claus', cookie selling, people who decorated. Stasek Chevrolet took complimentary pictures of the children. There were 600 or 700 children. It was very nice. More donations were given this year after the cookies were sold. Lorraine Haben made a suggestion that possibly should start planning for Lollipop Lane in September. Cheri Klump suggested that maybe the Girl Scouts would like to bake cookies for Lollipop Lane. Frank Schnaitman said that Stasek Chevrolet will give the Society some pictures that they took during Lollipop Lane.

Thanks to Lonnie and Frank Schnaitman for all their work on Lollipop Lane.

Lorraine Haben said there were two boxes of extra coloring books. These coloring books are being given to pre-schools in Wheeling.

We can possibly pass out flyers to the pre-schools for the next Lollipop Lane.

The leftover lollipops were given to the Veterans hospital so veterans could give them to their visitors.

3 cases of crayons were donated by Carl Fabeszak. This was very much appreciated by the children and the Society.

For the February 24th meeting there will be the Auction and food catered by WaPaGhetti's. (Sausage, beef, salads – \$7.00 or \$8.00 a person) Please bring things for the Auction.

Need people to bring desserts and jello. The dinner is at 6:30 p.m.

It would be appreciated if anyone could come earlier to help set up chairs and tables.

Lorraine Haben mentioned that Chevy Chase will not be ready to have our Installation Banquet because of remodeling. Discussion followed as to possible places. The Museum was suggested for the Installation Banquet.

Lorraine Haben requested suggestions for new ideas and projects? Rudy Horcher had previously made a suggestion that something be done to save the cemeteries.

Frank Schnaitman said all members are paid up.

Visitors Jeri , (teacher from Mark Twain School) and her husband Jim Hunt were introduced.

A home movie from R. McIntyre was shown for the meeting program.

Pot of Gold – Linda Reading

Andy Klump and Marge Allison each won a bread.

Cherie Klump thanked everyone on behalf of the Park District who helped with Lollipop Lane.

Dolly Hein made a motion to adjourn. Marge Allison seconded the motion. All approved.

Respectfully,

Barb Forke, Acting Secretary

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
OF NOVEMBER 18,1998

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on November 18,1998 and was called to order at 7:40 p.m., by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 North Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President. There were ten members in attendance. Commissioner Klumpp, Liaison of the Park District was also present.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The minutes of the meeting of October 28, 1998 were submitted for approval. Motion was made by Dolly, seconded by Donna Nystrom to approve the minutes as presented. Motion Carried by Voice Vote.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

The Treasurer's Report was read in full. Treasurer Hein stated the balance as of October 28th 1998 was \$226.10. \$500.00 was transferred from the Money Market to cover expenses for Lollipop Lane. \$31.00 was received for membership dues which brought the balance to \$757.10. The debits were as follows: \$500.00 was allocated for Lollipop Lane and \$31.00 was expended for postage, artifacts and cleaning of vintage clothing, leaving a total balance of \$158.60 in the checking account.

Motion was made by Lonnie, seconded by Linda to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

CURATOR'S REPORT:

Linda advised we are getting the basement of the museum ready to be painted and cleaned. With the help of Wedge, Barbara Forke, Frank, Patti and herself, most of the artifacts have been transferred to the carriage house until the work is completed. She noted the park district has also painted the outside of the museum and will help set up Lollipop lane. She thanked park district staff for all their help and work.

She also advised we had two groups of scouts taking a tour in November, a Boy Scout troop on October 30, and a Girl Scout troop which did a lot of hands on at the museum. They had a great time and donated \$25.00 to the society. They planned to visit the cemetery so Linda gave them some background information on the cemetery and showed them how to make tombstone rubbings. They also volunteered to make posters for Lollipop Lane which will be a big help. This would become their community project.

Linda along with Bev Rossmann and Lorraine Haben, attended a lecture in St. Charles in which was given on the Potawatomi Indians, their culture, their ties to European settlers in the area, and how they migrated here.

Linda advised Patti has spoke to the Park District about using their binding machine and getting the cook books bound together for possible sale at Lollipop Lane.

Linda noted that she and Rudy have taken inventory at the carriage house.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Signs Update - Discussion ensued regarding signs and where they should be placed etc. Two different kinds were discussed. Informational signs which we would like placed on Dundee and Wolf Road indicating Wheeling Historical Museum and the other which the park district will be replacing. After lengthy discussion it was agreed this item would be tabled at this time.

Discussion ensued relative to the artifacts which were stored at Chevy Chase. Patti advised to her knowledge, everything has been brought over and stored either in the carriage house or in the garage behind the church.

2. Lollipop Lane Update - Lonnie advised we will start decorating the evening of November 30th through December 4th. We will be open th 5th through the 13th. The hours in the evenings are 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. and on weekends 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. We will meet at Granny's leave there with Santa and Mrs. Claus on the sled at 1:40 p.m. and arrive at the church at 2:00 p.m. The police and fire department will be in our parade and as many people as possible, we hope will participate. She also noted she has recived ornaments for the sports tree from Elaine

Simpson and Patti. We will be making reindeer food this evening. She noted Irene Dattilo and Shirley Koeppen will be handling the cookie calls. Santa's and Mrs. Claus are needed. Lorraine said she is also getting some fliers made up in Spanish and Patti will make the rest of the fliers.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Historical Book Update - Lorraine advised the members of the meeting between the board and Mr. Gerry Souter of the AVRILL GROUP, INC., and his wife. She told of their discussion about a book and she advised the sample of the one done for Arlington Heights was beautiful. Basically, she said we have to get the writers and they follow his criteria. He quoted a price of \$43,000 out of which he his fee would be \$15,000. He said most of the monies would come from sponsors which we would have to get. A book would sell for \$40.00. The Board felt this was too high a commitment for our society. Discussion ensued. Motion was made by Lonnie that the President be directed to call Mr. Souter and let him know we are not interested at this time. Seconded by Elaine. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

Lonnie advised she received a call from Alberta asking if the society was going to participate in the 4th of July parade. She said letters had been sent out and she has received no response. Patti stated we never received any letter. Discussion ensued. Linda made a motion that the Society participate in the 1999 4th of July parade. Seconded by Donna Nystrom. Carried by Voice Vote.

Linda advised the Village would like to know if they can use Santa and Mrs. Claus chairs and suits for the Festival of Lights on November 30th. Discussion ensued. It was agreed by the society board the village could pick up the chairs on Sunday before the festival began the use of the clothing.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

1. Membership Committee - Frank advised to date all membership dues has been paid, and a new membership list will be forthcoming. He also advised that Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and her mother (who donated the carriage which is in the Carriage House), have passed away this past year.

They have been members of the society for many years and will be missed. Condolences have been sent.

2. Social Committee- Lonnie noted she would need someone to serve in January. Patti and Dolly volunteered. February is pot luck. Donna and Linda said they would serve in March. Lorraine advised Elaine Simpson donated all the gifts on the table for the Pot-O-Gold.
3. Program - The program for the evening will be making reindeer food for Lollipop Lane.
4. Liaison Report - Commissioner Klumpp advised at the Wheeling Park District meeting Dolly, Patti and Wedge were in attendance. Dolly gave a nice little speech thanking the planning and maintenance people for all their help to the society. She also noted Dolly was there as always for Lollipop Lane and requested a \$300.00 donation be given this year. The board agreed. Cheri commended Dolly on a great job.

Lorraine also stated the maintenance men have been working at the chapel for two weeks putting on a new ceiling of the library which was destroyed by racoons. They seemed very appreciative of compliments given them. Today she was bugging the painters at the museum. It was her feelings that the comradery between the society, the park board and the maintenance crew has been terrific.

POT O GOLD:

The Pot O Gold was won by Lorraine Haben. The Santa was won by Donna, the candle holder was won by Wedge, cheese knives were won by Cheri and the rug was won by Vern. Thanks to Elaine for her donations.

REFRESHMENTS:

Refreshments were provided by Cheri Klumpp and Lonnie. They were delicious.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to come before the membership, motion was made by Linda Reading, seconded by Dolly Hein to adjourn the meeting at 8:40 p.m. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

Respectfully submitted,

Patti Hancock, Secretary
Wheeling Historical Society

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
OF October 28, 1998

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on October 28, 1998 and was called to order at 7:35 p.m., by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 North Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President. There were eighteen members in attendance. Commissioner Klumpp, Liaison of the Park District was in attendance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The minutes of the meeting of September 23, 1998 were submitted for approval. Motion was made by Lonnie, seconded by Eleanor Buerger to approve the minutes as presented. Motion Carried by Voice Vote.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

The Treasurer's Report was read in full. She stated the balance in the checking account as of September 23, 1998, is \$95.17. She has transferred \$637.93 from the Money Market Account. The \$95.17 plus the \$637.93 and the \$43.00 received from the sale of cook books and Jubilee books gives a total deposit of \$776.10. Disbursements were as follows: 4th of July float of \$450.00, Curator for artifact budget \$100.00, totaling \$550.00. The Checking Account balance as of this date is \$226.10. Motion was made by Grace Kostrezewski, seconded by Frank Schnaitmann to approved the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

CURATOR'S REPORT:

Linda advised most of her report was included in the newsletter. She noted the archiology exhibit has now been replaced by the Post Office Exhibit. The Web-Site has also been updated. A group of Girl Scouts will be touring the museum on Friday, October 30th. Anyone willing to help, please notify her. She also presented two sign up sheets

1) for volunteers at the museum on Sundays and 2) people to help packing artifacts in the basement of the museum to be moved to the Carriage House while renovation is going on in the museum basement.

She also noted at one time there was a display of model planes of which we have pictures. She was told the planes belonged to John Piazza and had been returned.

She noted on November 17th, in the evening, St Charles Park District is having a speaker on the Potawatomi Indians. Since this tribe existed in this area, she thought she would attend and anyone interested in going, please let her know. President Haben advised she would help on Friday with the girl scouts.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Curator Budget Pending- As agreed at the previous meeting, the Curator is given a budget of \$100.00 for the purchase of artifacts. If there is an artifact in a higher dollar amount, she will come before the board for a vote.
2. Signs - In the absence of Donna Nystrom, President Haben advised we would like to have two signs made up indicating "Wheeling Historical Museum." She noted we will check with Jiffy Lube and White Hen to see if they will allow signs to be placed on their property.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Lollipop Lane- Lonnie advised we will start to set up for Lollipop Lane November 30 - December 4th. It will run from December 5 through December 13th. Hours are Weekdays from 6:30-8.30 p.m. and Weekends 2 - 5:00 p.m. Irene and Shirley will take care of the calls regarding baking cookies to be sold at Lollipop Lane. Posters and fliers will need to be made. She asked that this year be dedicated to the memory of Bob Buerger, who was truly a real Santa. She requested a budget of \$500.00 to cover the cost of new decorations and items being replaced. Motion was made by Grace, seconded by Linda a budget of \$500.00 be given. Motion carried by VOICE VOTE. Lonnie advised A parade will be held as usual and she is looking for any sports ornaments for the sports tree. It was decided the november program will be lent to making deer food to give away at Lollipop Lane.

3.

2. Change of November Meeting Date - President Haben advised because of the Thanksgiving holiday, the November meeting will be moved to November 18, 1998 at 7:30 p.m. and the Board meeting will be moved back to November 11, 1998, 7:00 p.m.
3. Constitution and By-Laws - President Haben advised the membership the Rules and Revisions Committee (President and Board are updating and amending the Constitution and By-Laws. When finished they will be presented to the membership for approval.

President Haben asked if Commissioner Klumpp had anything from the Park? Cheri apologized for her absence but commended Vice President Webber for the information he made available to the Historical Society.

Cheri advised hopefully at the next meeting on Tuesday night, the contractors will be chosen for some of the trades and work can begin on the Chevy Chase renovation. Also the park district will go ahead with the addition to the recreation center and taxes will not be raised because of this project. At a special meeting which five commissioners were present, they were asked if there has been any negative feed back on this project. She stated to date, no one has received any but if anyone should hear to let them know. Lorraine asked when Chevy Chase would officially close? Cheri advised some of the demolition has already started in the Gable Room but January 3rd the whole facility will shut down.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

1. Membership Committee- Frank advised most members have paid but there are still a few we are uncertain of and notice has been sent out. Frank questioned when moving artifacts from the museum to the carriage house, if these items will be mixed with the items from Lollipop Lane already stored there? Linda advised they would be placed on the other side of the loft to avoid such a mix up.
2. Social Committee- Lorraine advised she, Barbara and Margaret Forke will be serving this evening. Also Grace, Ken and Todd surprised us by coming in from Roscoe Illinois and she also brought some goodies to serve. Cheri and Lonnie stated they would serve at the November meeting.

3. Public Relations and Publicity Committee- Elaine advised as part of this evenings program, we will brainstorm on public relations and how to recruit new members into the will be discussed.

President Haben advised she received a call from some writers who asked if the society would be interested in updating our history in a book as they have done for Arlington Heights Historical Society and are now working on a book for Northbrook Historical Society? She told him she would bring it before the membership for discussion. Discussion ensued. Following discussion, Linda suggested they be invited to attend a Board meeting and give a presentation along with examples, cost, etc, and if the Board felt it valid, they would again present it to the membership. This suggestion was agreed to by all.

PROGRAM - Brainstorming Publicity and Membership

In the absence of Donna Nystrom, Elaine described some of their ideas in order to get new members. She is working with the assistance Village Manager, to get information on TCI. She will also put fliers out at the various places such as the village hall, park, library, and etc. Suggestions from the floor were given to include information be put at the senior center and given to Social Studies teachers. As discussion ensued, many other avenues were discussed. It was agreed that no programs would be given in which an admission charge would be made, but Dolly Hein mentioned to have members bring a guest to a meeting and give a presentation to try to interest them in to joining the society. It was noted that publicity should be given to the news papers. The committee stated they would take all ideas into consideration.

POT O GOLD:

The Pot O Gold was won by Barb Forke. One plant was won by Elaine Simpson and the other by Lorraine Haben.

REFRESHMENTS:

Refreshments were provided by Lorraine, Barbara and Margaret Forke, and also Grace Kostrezewski.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to come before the membership, motion was made by Frank Schnaitmann, seconded by Ken Kostrezewski to adjourn the meeting at 8:40 p.m. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

Respectfully submitted,

Patti Hancock, Secretary
Wheeling Historical Society

DUES

Wheeling Historical Society
Dues

NAME	DATES	2000	2001	2002		
Abenstein, Bobbie						
Abruscato, Mario & Judy		2.00	15.00			
? Allison, Don & Marge		15.00				
Bakker, Anna/Henrietta						
Barrie, Betty		Life				
X Becker, Melvin/Mabel		8.00				
• Bingham, H. Douglas CAPT.		10.00	10.00			
Bingham, John H.		Life				
Brennan, Margaret		5.00				
Buerger, Eleanor	1999	AH				
• Bumgarner, Herb & Peggy 8.00		8.00	15.00	1		
Buevger JR. Robert/LINDA		8.00	15.00			
Chromy, Marilyn / LEO		8.00	15.00			
? Cohn, Gary		10.00				
DORLAND, PAM		10.00	10.00			
Dean, Tina		10.00	10.00			
Dattilo, Sam & Irene		AH	10.00			
• DiCosola, Lindsey (Strong)						
? Dibble, Ruth		10.00	10.00			
? DiCosola, Lindsey (Strong)						
EAGAN, FRAN		5.00	10.00	-	10.00	
Forke, Margaret & Barbara		8.00	15.00			
Franta, Willie		AH				
GRANDT, SHERYL			10.00			
Galarza, Humberto & Barbara						
? HARRIS, GERT/LAVERNE		8.00				
Haben, Lorraine		5.00	10.00			
Hancock, Pat		8.00	15.00			
Hartmann, Marge/Bob		8.00	15.00			
Hein, Dolly		5.00	10.00			
Horcher, Rudy & Barbara		8.00	15.00			
Horcher, Syke & Ellie		8.00	15.00			
OK Issleb, Robert & Marylou		8.00				
KROCKE RANDY		5.00				
Koeppen, Shirley		AH				
Kostrozowski, Grace/Ken		8.00	15.00			
Krause, Walter & Roberta		8.00	15.00			

NAME	DATES	2000	2001	2002	2003
Lord, Richard		5.00			
Lorenz, Tom & Kathy		8.00	15.00		10.00
LOWERY, JEAN		5.00	10.00		10.00
LAMAY, BARB			10.00		
Mueller, Ed & Shirley	H				
McConnell, Shirley			10.00		
McIntyre, Barbara	AH				
Nystrom, Vern/Donna					
Paisley, Donald S.	H				
• Philipp, Roberta/Paul		15.00	15.00		
Reading, Linda		5.00	10.00		
Rockenbach, Robert & Soney	Life				
Rossmann, Beverly		5.00	10.00		
• Roubus, Frank & Helen		8.00	15.00		
Rudolph, Clare		5.00	10.00		
Schnaitmann, Frank & Lonnie		8.00	15.00		
Shanley, Joan		10.00	10.00		
Sigwalt, Adeline	Life				
Simpson, Bill/Elaine	8.00 Life		15.00		
Spangenberg, Wm/Sharon		8.00	15.00		
Stieber, August & Jill		8.00	15.00		
TAYLOR, DR IAN <small>WOLFSPEN</small>			10.00		
Trunda, Gertrude	Life				
Weinstock, Sandy		10.00 20.00	10.00		

440.00

Liaison
Cheri Klumpp

Commissioner Wheeling Park District

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
MEMBERSHIP LIST

Feb. 3, 2000
Update

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>PHONE</u>
Abruscato, Mario/Judy ²	125 W. Wayne W. 60090	541-8783
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Barrie, Betty (L) ¹	8 R. Kroepil 179 George W.	537-0013
Bumgarner, Herb/Peggy	7749 SW Afton Ln. Durham Or. 97224	503-968-2571
Becker, Mabel	122 S. Plum Grove Rd. Pal.	60067
Bingham, H. Douglas Capt.	1335 Cypress Trace Rd. Melbourne, Fl. 32940	407-255-7925
Bingham, John (L)	29295 Darrell Rd. McHenry Il. 60050	815-526-5063
Brennan, Margaret	136 N. 19th St. Wheeling, West Virginia 26003	304-277-2241
Buerger, Eleanor (H) ¹	712 N. Green Dr. W. 60090	537-1976
Buerger, Bob/Linda	1435 Gas Light Dr. Algonquin Il. 60102	658-5433
Chromy, Marilyn ²	55 Willow Trail W. 60090	537-5714
Cohn, Gary	401 S. Milwaukee #240 W.	777-4567
Dattilo, Sam/Irene (H) ¹	403 Raupp Blvd. BG. 60089	537-0686
Dean, Tina	489 McHenry Rd. W. 60090	541-7001
Dibble, Ruth	13070 W. 28th St. Zion 60099	
Eagan, Fran	475 Plum Creek Dr. W.	541-2044
^{15 PD} Forke, Margaret/Barb ²	46 E. Center St. W. 60090	537-0398
Franta, Willie (AH)	329 Surrey Rd. W. 60090	537-8193
^{10 PD} Gaben, Lorraine ³	608 McHenry Rd. W. 60090	537-0654
^{15 PD} Hancock, Pat/Wedge ²	386 S. Leslie Ln. W. 60090	537-1450
Harris, Laverne/Bert	8109 W. Balmoral, Norwood Pk. 60656	457-0461
^{15 PD} Hartmann, Bob/Marge	48 Wille Wheeling, Il.	537-0656
^{10 PD} Hein, Ida (Dolly) ³	950 Elizabeth Ct. W. 60090	342-9752
^{15 PD} Horcher, Rudy/Barb ²	363 Greenview Crystal Lake Il. 60014	(815) 444-9262
^{18 PD} Horcher, Syke/Ellice ¹	600 McHenry Rd. W. 60090	537-2323
Issleb, Bob/Marylou	291 N. 6th St. W. 60090	537-2017
Koeppen, Shirley (AH)	1000 Waukegan Apt. C-305 Northbrook, Il. 60062	847-509-8368

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Kostrezewski, Grace/ Ken	4855 Rollingsford Ln. Roscoe, Il. 61073	815-623-3454
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<i>\$15</i> Krause, Walter/Bobby	58 W. Jeffrey, W.60090	537-0224
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Lord Dick	66 W. Manchester Dr. W.60090	537-2172
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<i>10 PD</i> Lorenz, Tom/Kathy <i>2</i>	459 Longtree; W.60090	537-1976
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<i>10 PD</i> Lowery, Jean <i>10 PD</i> <i>2</i> <i>10 PD</i> <i>2</i> <i>10 PD</i> <i>2</i> <i>10 PD</i> <i>2</i>	25 Oakwood Dr. Prospect H.60070	537-7254
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Mueller, Ed/Shirley (H)	4555 S. Mission Rd. #311 Tucson, Az. 85714	602-888-7277
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<i>10 PD</i> McConnell, Shirley	191 E. Center St. W.60090	537-0524
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McIntyre, Barbara (AH)	557 Old McHenry Rd. #106 W. 60090	215-5783
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Paisley, Donald (H)	David Paisley, 314 Kingsbury Dr. Arlington Hgts.60040	
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Philipp, Roberta/Paul <i>2</i>	119 Berkshire Wheeling, Il.	
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Rockenbach, Roger/	290 County Rd. 901	
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Soney (L)	Midway, Ark. 72651	715-798-3767
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Rossmann, Beverly	1005 Woodland Dr.W.60090	537-2371
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Roubus, Frank/Helen	915 Vera Ln.W.60090 (<i>KATSIROUBAS</i>)	537-8170
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<i>\$10</i> Rudolph, Clare <i>1</i>	223 E. Center St.W.60090	537-0531
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Schanley, Joan	1355 N. Sandburg Ter.#2804 Chicago, Il. 60610	312-440-0882
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Sigwalt, Adeline (L)	3810 N.Ridgeway Av.Chgo, Il. 60618	312-478-5567
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Weinstock, Sandy	301 LakeShore Dr.# 302 Lake Park,Fl.	
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Pat Armitage, WPD <i>1</i>	333 W. Dundee W. 60090 (Sec)	
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Holiday Greetings

December 29, 1997

Mrs Hancock:

How nice of you to write the note and send the photos.

Will share them with our membership.

We've been having a lovely holiday here. The big thing is the Festival of Lights downtown and at Aglibay Park - really quite lovely.

Always enjoy receiving your meeting notes. All the best in 1998 -

Margaret Deema



Dear Patti

Sorry I did not enclose our phone #., but here it is 815-623-3454.

I sent a new address card to Frank & Lonnie with instructions how to get here. Its a nice ride for some week end and we have plenty of room. Say hi to everyone from us and you all come on out.

Miss you all
Grace, Ken & Todd



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Jeffrey Murray
Museum Curator
Deep Mental Museum
Sunday, November 9

You are invited
to an
Open House
for you

Please help welcome the Suffolk Place
Park District's newly hired Museum
Coordinator to the community.

This open house will be held at the
Loup Memorial Museum, 901 Susan
Lane, Sunday, November 9 from 1:00 to
4:00 p.m.

Refreshments will be served.

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Wheeling Historical Society



251 N. Wolf Road (in Chamber Park)
Post Office Box 3 • Wheeling, Illinois 60090

July 16, 2001

Bill Stasek Chevrolet Inc.
Bill and Bob Stasek
700 W. Dundee Rd.
Wheeling, Il. 60090

Gentlemen:

On behalf of the Wheeling Historical Society membership, I would like to thank you for the loan of a truck and flatbed for our float on the 4th of July.

It made the fourth of July special to the Historical Society and we couldn't have had done it without your support and help.

You do so much for our community, we cannot thank you enough.

Sincerely,

Lorraine Haben
Lorraine Haben, President
Wheeling Historical Society

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June 1, 2001

Sarah Jalandoon
284 Six Street
Wheeling, Il. 60090

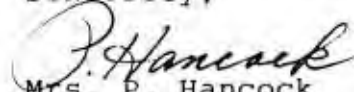
Dear Sarah:

Just received your letter and we are happy to send you some information on our museum and history of Wheeling.

The flier of the Historical Society has information on each of our buildings and the booklet has much history and pictures from the past.

We have other interesting exhibits at the museum and we are open on Sundays from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and would welcome you and your relatives to come and spend time with us.

Sincerely,



Mrs. P. Hancock
Secretary

Wheeling Historical Society

Sarah Palander
887 Six Street
Wheeling, W. Va. 60090

Wheeling Historical Museum
251 N. Wall Rd.
Wheeling, W. Va. 60090

Enclosure:

If possible, I would like some free brochures or pamphlets concerning some information on the Wheeling Historical Museum. Since I am asking my relatives around, I thought this museum would be an excellent place to visit. Thank you very much. I greatly appreciate this.

Very truly yours,

Sarah Palander

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Harper's Weekly
June 30, 1866



Ruth Page
From the *Burzel*
Dance Collection,
c. 1918



Louis Hennepin
Detail of Great
Lakes from his
"Carte D'un Tra
Grand Parc," 1724

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January/February 2001

North Eastern Illinois Historical Council

N.E.IL GENERAL MEETING

January 13, 2001

9:00 AM

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Program: Mr. Paul Shanks of Recherche in Skokie will be on hand to address our conservation and restoration problems. He has asked that those attending bring articles/projects that can be discussed.

If you have a specific problem, recurring situation or topic of special interest, please contact Ginny Anderson at 847/441-6191 in advance of the meeting so Mr. Shanks will be prepared to answer these questions.

N.E.IL GENERAL MEETING
NOVEMBER 11, 2000
NILES HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The November 11, 2000 general meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by president Denise Limburg.

Those members in attendance were; Arlington Hts, H.S., Schaumburg H.S., Glenview H.S., Irving Park H.S., Libertyville - Mundelein H.S., Park Ridge H.S., Schiller Park H.S., Norwood Park H. S., Niles H. S. Kenilworth H.S. Palatine H.S. Northbrook H.S.

Jim Milius motioned the September 9, 2000 minutes be approved as written in the newsletter. Second, Carol Berry. Motion passed.

Rich Lang gave the treasurer's report which indicated a balance of \$2,996.54 on October 31, 2000. Report attached.

Denise announced the deadline for January newsletter - December 1, 2000.

The only committee report was from program chair, Ginny Anderson. January 13, 2001 general meeting will feature Paul Shank on conservation., at the river Grove H.S.

You are invited to bring a conservation problem to the meeting.

March meeting a genealogy workshop, May at Navy Pier in Chicago to see the stain glass exhibit.

Denise reminded everyone to please get your brochure information sent in.

Ginny Anderson, chair of nominating committee, reported on the 2001 election for President and Rec. Secretary. Nominations were put before the members - President Denise Limburg, Secretary, Marilyn Pedersen. Being no other nominations from the floor Jim Milius moved the nominated slate become the elected slate, seconded by Dean Larson.

Being no other business, meeting adjourned at 9:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

Marilyn Pedersen
recording secretary

NOVEMBER MEETING HOSTED BY NILES HISTORICAL SOCIETY

N.E.I.L.'s last general meeting for 2000 was held in the spacious facilities of the Niles Historical Society. Delegates were welcomed by Marilyn Brumbach, Niles Historical Society President and N.E.I.L. Historian and Marge Berles, Board Member. A selection of homemade pastries and other bakery had been prepared for our enjoyment by the Historical Society's members. Our meeting was held in the second floor meeting room where we were surrounded by exhibits of mannequins in 1920/1930 attire in settings reflecting furnishings and artifacts of the period. One case was filled with musical instruments of a by-gone era and another case displayed playbills and photos of the "stars" of yesteryear. The room was filled with delightful nostalgia.

Before the meeting, Marilyn Brumbach welcomed our members and paid a special tribute to the late Helen Horath, a very generous supporter of the Niles Historical Society. From Helen's Estate, furnishings have been donated to their collection. The business meeting and election of Officers followed. Officers will be installed in January, 2001.

The guest speaker for the day was author and lecturer Richard C. Lindberg. Mr. Lindberg, both an historian and journalist, was born and raised in Chicago, the city he most often writes about. His eleven books all deal with aspects of Chicago's history, politics, crime, ethnicity and sport. He is currently Marketing Director for Search International, Inc., a private investigation and research firm headquartered in the Chicago suburbs.

He is a member of the Chicago Crime Commission, the Chicago Press Veterans, Illinois Academy of Criminology and Vice-President of the Society of Midland Authors. With these credentials, he was well qualified to speak on Chicagoland's crime history. He based his slide presentation on two of his books. The first was "To Serve and Collect" (1991) regarding Chicago politics and police corruption from the Lager Beer Riot to the Summerdale Scandal 1855-1960. The second was his most recent (1999) "Return to the Scene of the Crime," a guide to infamous places in Chicago.

When we think of high crimes and misdemeanors, we do not have to travel to Washington, D.C. We think of the Capone Era, the Roaring Twenties and the Wide Open City of Mayor "Big Bill Thompson." But long before this much publicized period and long after it, the marriage of Chicago's Civil Authority and the crime bosses was an accepted fact. The thin veneer of respectability barely hid the cesspool of corruption. By meticulous research, Mr. Lindberg was able to discover and photograph many of the buildings which housed these seamy operations. Today, trendy condominiums are rising in areas which were once the environs of a more earthy nature. It is not so easy today to "hide" corruption but even in the age of instant replay, we find judges, police officers and civil servants caught with their hands in the till. "All power corrupts and absolute power corrupts absolutely" to quote Lord Acton.

Following Mr. Lindberg's gripping presentation, we were invited to tour the other exhibits on the second floor and to go to the third floor to see an exhibit of bridal photography in the turn-of-the-century apartment completely restored by members of the Niles Historical Society. There we found the mannequins attired in their bridal finery, wedding photos of Niles' residents and period photography equipment poised to catch their images for posterity. Despite the seamy side of Chicago politics, life of the "ordinary citizen" had its beautiful moments caught by the camera to live on forever.

James Milius, N.E.I.L. Membership Chair

The Illinois Association of Museums Annual Conference held in Mundelein on October 25-27 was a big success! N.E.IL members Libertyville-Mundelein Historical Society, Highland Park Historical Society, and the Lake County Discovery Museum hosted events. Lynne Mickle Givens, Des Plaines Historical Museum; Joan Evanich, Winnetka Historical Society; Katherine Hamilton-Smith, Hans Gill, Andrew Osborne, and Nan Buckardt, Lake County Discovery Museum were presenters.

Congratulations to award winners: Non-Competitive Award Category - Education Programs Award of Excellence - Arlington Heights Historical Museum for *Irish Fest 1999*; Exhibits Award of Excellence - Lake County Discovery Museum for *A Matter of Life and Death*; Promotional/Informational Materials Award of Excellence - Arlington Heights Historical Museum for *Museum Brochure*; Special Projects Award of Excellence - Des Plaines Historical Society for "*A Summer Wedding*"; Competitive Awards - Curator of the Year - Katherine Hamilton-Smith, Lake County Discovery Museum; Professional of the Year - Joy Matthiessen, Des Plaines Historical Society.

MEMBERS IN THE NEWS

Back on July 3rd, the Chicago Tribune featured a front page article on the postcard collection of John High which has a new home at the Lake County Discovery Museum in Wauconda. Mr. High built his collection, worth more than \$1 million - over 30 years as he traveled as a Broadway actor. The collection which is so large Mr. High couldn't give an exact number of cards includes rare woven silks from the 1800's, copper-windowed postcards, and puzzle postcards popular in the early 1900's. Most of his postcards were made before World War I. By arrangement, the museum will feature a changing and permanent exhibit of his collection. Of course it was a perfect fit, as the Lake County Discovery Museum already is home to the Curt Teich Archives which contain over a million postcard illustrations.

The Daily Herald featured an article on Autumn Fest at the Volkening Farm in the Spring Valley Nature Sanctuary in Schaumburg. The cooking and milking demonstrations along with other interactive displays and demonstrations as well as the music gave everyone a glimpse of what harvest time was like in the late 1800's.

NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT -

This may be one of the shortest newsletters in recent memory, but perhaps not the easiest to produce. I had a horrible cold for over a week and Pat got snowed in!

Our January program featuring Paul Shanks should be very helpful and informative. I hope to see a great turnout! Be brave - we know that historically the second Saturday in January has produced some "interesting" weather, but come and join us and bring your conservation/restoration projects for Mr. Shanks to discuss.

We are still planning a genealogy workshop for March 10th, but details are not quite firm, yet. You will receive a separate information packet as soon as they are.

You will also notice that there is no calendar of upcoming events in this issue. I know it is quiet this time of year as we all regroup from our holiday events. But, please forward any information on your late winter and spring events as it becomes available. A new calendar will be sent out prior to the next newsletter.

Last comment, those that have not returned information for the brochure will be receiving a reminder call in the near future. We need to proceed quickly so we will all have a new inventory of brochures before the spring/summer tourist season begins.

Denise

NEXT NEWSLETTER DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 1ST!!!!

c/o Palatine Historical Society, P.O. Box 134, Palatine, IL 60078 - - Fax 847/934-0605

The Lake Forest-Lake Bluff Historical Society is looking for a part-time Collections Manager.

Duties include: Processing collections acquisitions, supervising collections volunteers, instituting a storage management system, and assisting visitors with research.

Requirements: Experience in collections care and management, ability to work independently, initiative, attention to detail. Salary based on experience.

Hours: Tuesday through Thursday 9:00 to 4:30

Contact: Janice Hack, Executive Director
Lake Forest-Lake Bluff Historical Society
361 East Westminster
Lake Forest, IL 60045
Phone 847/234-5253, Fax 847/234-5236

Meetings are held the second Saturday of January, March, May, July, September, and November at various locations.

Board meetings are held in the alternating months. For information, please call Denise Limburg.

Membership Available to organizations or individuals involved with local historical research and education, including historical societies, museums, cultural entities, libraries, academic institutions, genealogical societies, civic organizations, and governmental bodies primarily serving the counties of Cook and Lake. Initiation fee, \$15, payable once. Dues \$35 yearly.

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W. Hancock
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Dear W. Hancock:

Thank you for attending the Sixth Annual Palwaukee Municipal Airport Open House. We sincerely hope you enjoyed your visit as much as we enjoyed having you.

Each year, our Open House is a cooperative effort between the Airport Commissioners, the Federal Aviation Administration, our own administrative / maintenance staffs of the Airport, the City of Prospect Heights, the Village of Wheeling, the local area Police and Fire Departments, the Civil Air Patrol, as well as the various aviation organizations and other businesses operating on the Airport.

We would appreciate any comments you may have which would assist us in the planning of next year's event. If you have any additional questions regarding our Airport, please do not hesitate to contact us anytime. Again, thank you for attending and we hope to see you next year!

Sincerely,

Fred E. Stewart, Jr.
Airport Manager

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Wheeling Historical Society

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September 28, 2000

Mr. Christopher Willeford, Principal
Jack London middle School
1001 W. Dundee Road
Wheeling, Il. 60090

Dear Mr. Willeford:

The Wheeling Historical Society will be available to conduct tours of the Wheeling Historical Museum located in Chamber Park starting September 14, 2000 and throughout the school year.

The museum, Wheeling's first village hall, presents changing exhibits on life in the community since the village was settled in 1834. It's archives include photographs, village records, genealogical data and tape recorded recollections of old times. Nearby, is an 1892 carriage house with a carriage buggy, 1895 fire pumper blacksmith tools and farm implements.

If any of your teachers would like to take their students on a tour, reservations can be made by calling 520-0125 M-T-W-F or the museum at 537-3119 on Thursdays from 9 a.m. to noon. Our museum is handicap accessible if needed and each building can handle groups of 25 students at a time.

It would be appreciated if this information could be passed on to your teachers.

Historically yours,

Linda Reading, Curator
Wheeling Historical Museum

LR/ph



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The Wheeling Historical Society was founded in August of 1965 as a result of hardwork and encouragement of the Wheeling Women's Club. The Society members are all volunteers giving much of their time and energy to assure future generations a recorded history of their community.

Since the museum is the main function of the Society, every one was encouraged at that time to locate and offer any and all memorabilia dealing with Wheeling's past. Antiques, utensils, furniture, photographs, books, magazines, newspapers, club records, advertising material in fact anything whatsoever that could be identified with early Wheeling was needed. That was 1965.

Today we are again asking help for memorabilia from the Village, Park District, Library, School Districts, Post Office, Police Dept., Fire Dept., businesses and residents of the village. There have been many changes since 1965 and we hope you will check your attics, basements, archives etc and will have something to offer your museum.

The Society meets on the fourth Wednesday of the month Sept. through May. Visitors are encouraged to attend these meetings, which start at 7:30 p.m. in the ~~Chamber~~ ^{Church} Building located in Chamber Park. We are always looking for volunteers and new members in our Society. If you would like to join us, or have any memorabilia to give us, please call any of the following: Linda Reading 520-0125, Pat Hancock 537-1450, or Lorraine Haben 537-0654 and arrangements can be made for pick up.

Historically yours,

Lorraine Haben, President
Wheeling Historical Society



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August, 2000

[Signature]

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Linda Reading. Curator
Wheeling Historical Museum

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8-17-00

July 27, 2000

Dear N.E. IL Member,

As you read in the last newsletter, it is time to reprint the "Up From the Prairie" brochure. Our limited supplies are quickly dwindling.

As you can imagine, it takes a little time and coordination to put all these details together. So, I am asking that each member organization review their previous text, make any necessary changes and forward them to me as soon as possible. The Board has also concluded that using photographs in lieu of line drawings will give the new brochure a fresh new look. No other format changes are being planned as the size, shape, and layout all seem to be effective.

Please fill out and return the form at the bottom of the page. I ask that you also give an estimation of your usage so we can determine the number of copies to be printed. If you share your brochures with your library, village, park, or chamber of commerce, please include them in your total count.

Denise Limburg

Name of Organization: WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Contact Person: LINDA READING 520-0125

No changes are required to previous text

Text updates are attached

Photo of facility/logo attached

We currently do not have a photo of our facility or logo

Approximate annual distribution

Return to: Palatine Historical Society, P.O. Box 134, Palatine, IL 60078-0134

The Wheeling Historical Society was founded in August of 1965 as a result of hardwork and encouragement of the Wheeling Women's Club. The Society members are all volunteers giving much of their time and energy to assure future generations a recorded history of their community.

Since the museum is the main function of the Society, every one was encouraged at that time to locate and offer any and all memorabilia dealing with Wheeling's past. Antiques, utensils, furniture, photographs, books, magazines, newspapers, club records, advertising material in fact anything whatsoever that could be identified with early Wheeling was needed. That was 1965.

Today we are again asking help for memorabilia from the Village, Park District, Library, School Districts, Post Office, Police Dept., Fire Dept., businesses and residents of the village. There have been many changes since 1965 and we hope you will check your attics, basements, archives etc and will have something to offer your museum.

The Society meets on the fourth Wednesday of the month Sept. through June. Visitors are encouraged to attend these meetings, which start at 7:30 p.m. in the Chamber Building located in Chamber Park. We are always looking for volunteers and new members in our Society. If you would like to join us, or have any memorabilia to give us please call any of the following: Lorraine Haben 537-0654 Linda Reading 520-0125, Pat Hancock 537-1450.

LH/ph



251 North Wolf Road • Wheeling, Illinois 60090

NEWSLETTER OF WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY



*Message
From The
President*

Dear Members and Friends:

Happy Springtime! Our society is planning several things for the near future.

First of course, is our Installation inner at Chevy Chase, May 23rd. We wish you "out of towners" could be here with us. It's always a very nice evening. Don't forget to make your reservations. Call Eleanor Berger at 537-1976.

We are planning a small float for the 4th of July Parade (which is at 6 p.m.) featuring our Bicycle built for Two.

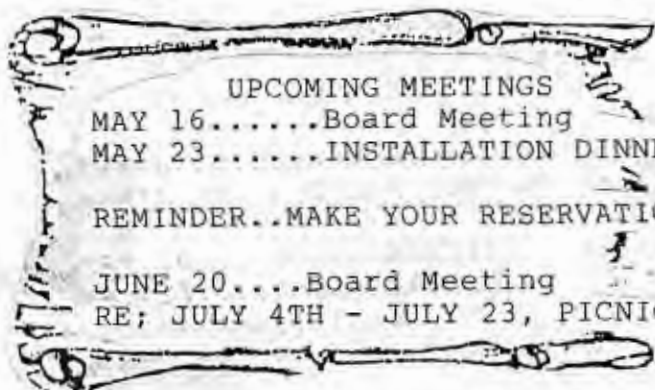
July 22 at 11:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. will be our "Old Fashion Picnic". It's been about ten years since we've had this event and want to try it again. If any of you know someone who would be interested, we'll gladly send them a flier. Call Linda 520-0125 or Patti 537-1450.

We would like to send our condolences to the Don Allison family. He will be greatly missed. Marge Allison has just gone through by-pass surgery. Our thoughts and hearts are with her and we wish she is up and with us soon.

I want to thank you sincerely for the flower and cards sent to me when I was ill. Made me feel real special.

Sincerely,

Lorraine Haben
President



UPCOMING MEETINGS

MAY 16.....Board Meeting
MAY 23.....INSTALLATION DINNER

REMINDER..MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS

JUNE 20....Board Meeting
RE; JULY 4TH - JULY 23, PICNIC

MAY 1928

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27	28	29	30	31		

The dates fall on the same days but notice the year!!



We would like to thank all those who have helped us open the museum on Sundays from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. It's greatly appreciated.

We have been doing inventory on items received and Linda with help from Eleanor, has been gathering material for the exhibit to be presented at the library in June through August. She is still looking for help with transportation, and set-up the last week of May. Call her at 520-0125.

A BIT OF HISTORY



WHEELING

The modernization and progressive improvement of Wheeling as a home place really began in 1945 when the Village administration under Mayor Arthur A. Ortegel took office. Under his active and enlightened administration, better roads were built, the lighting and water systems were improved, the police and fire departments were modernized with new equipment. As a result, many new and important business enterprises were attracted to Wheeling.

The Chief of Police at that time was Chief Harold A. Mackh. People really liked Chief Mackh even those to whom he must give traffic tickets.

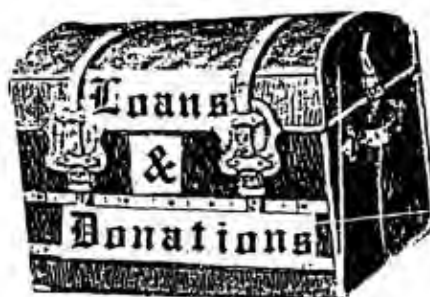
With his capable assistants; Officers Lawrence Beck and John Wick, Chief Mackh was giving Wheeling a thoroughly efficient twenty-four hour a day police administration.

The fire department at that time was run by Fire Chief E. Gieseke and a force of eighteen men.

The Wheeling Board of Trustees were Earl Johnson, Donald Welfin, Fred Cargill, Adeline Schneider, Clerk; Hon. Arthur Ortegel, Mayor; Charles Wooster, Attorney; Lewis Holtje, Treasurer; Charles Balling Edward Geiseke and Theodore Peiper.

With all the progress and modernization, the village lost none of its' charm. Wheeling was indeed a friendly place.

Taken from the National Police and Public Safety Reporter
John Elmore - Director



The following items have been received on behalf of Dick Lord. Thanks to his children.

A 1887 Bonnet, a bamboo fishing pole and early 1900 bonnet.

Received from Shirley McConnell 1 pr. pot holders, folder containing information on the old Presbyterian Church.

Received from Barb LaHay 15 snap shots of old buildings and the distruction of other old businesses making way for new.

Thank you all for your donations.



May 1, 1931 Charles Goetz succeeds in infusing nitrous oxide into aerosol shaving cream.

May 16, The Zippo lighter sparks consumer interest in 1932.

May 18, 1933 the soft drink 7-Up appears as the refreshing un-cola.

May 22, 1936 Life Magazine hits the news stands.

Board of Park Commissioners

2001



Tom Webber
President



Kenneth Kent



Cheri Klump



Bill Mattes



Paul Philipp



Dennis Drake



Mike Kurgan



**PORTRAITS
FROM THE PAST**

In 1986 Barb Forke and her mother Margaret proudly recall the heritage of their family which was one of Wheeling's first and dates back to 1873 when John Forke and his wife purchased a 100 acre farm.

Barb has served the as Secretary and now serves as a Director to the society. She and her her mother are long time members. Thank you both for all you have done.



*Cook's
Kitchen*

ORANGE PEACH CAKE

- 1 Box Duncan Hines Orange Cake Mix
 - 1 Can Peach Pie Filling - Cut Up
 - 1/2 Cup Sour Cream
 - 2 Eggs
- Mix with fork and whip with fork 1 minute. Put in ungreased jelly roll pan. Bake at 350 for 25-35 minutes.

- Frosting**
- 1 Package (3 Oz.) Instant Vanilla Pudding
 - 1 (8 Oz.) Softened Cream Cheese
 - 1 (20 Oz.) Can Crushed Pineapple
 - 1 (9 Oz.) Cool Whip (Fold In)
- Mix all of these ingredients and frost when cake is cool. Refrigerate cake.

We of the Wheeling Historical Society would like to WELCOME our new (and Old) members of the Park District Board. We wish them well in the coming years.

*Poet's
Corner
Dear Friend*

Because you are my friend, I see
Life in a different way,
And joy I had not hoped to know,
Adds sparkle to each day.
A long forgotten memory
Arises from the past,
Of all we are allowed to keep
And things that never last.

But seasons come and seasons go,
And we remain a part
Of all the true nobility
We carry in our heart.
A friend to understand and care,
That's how it ought to be
And so I pray the road you walk
...is wide enough for me.

Grace E. Easley



WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Cordially invites you to attend

AN OLD-FASHION PICNIC

JULY 22, 2001

11:30AM - 4PM

CHAMBER COMMUNITY CENTER & PARK
251 N. WOLF ROAD
WHEELING. IL.

- Bring a picnic lunch; beverage and dessert will be provided by Historical Society
- Please bring your old photos of Wheeling. They will be exhibited, judged and prizes awarded.
- Entertainment will be provided.
- You are invited to share your stories of "old times in Wheeling" if you so desire.
- If you know other "old settlers" (people that have lived in Wheeling for 25 years or more) who did not receive an invitation call Linda Reading 520-0125 for an invitation, or bring them along.
- Any questions, feel free to call 520-0125 Linda Reading

AN OLD-FASHIONED ELEGANT PICNIC FOR 8

Meat pâté or terrine
Glazed roast pheasant*
Green bean salad
with dill vinaigrette
Eggs stuffed with
chicken liver mousse*
Parker House rolls*
Cheese and fruit
Explosion orange cake*

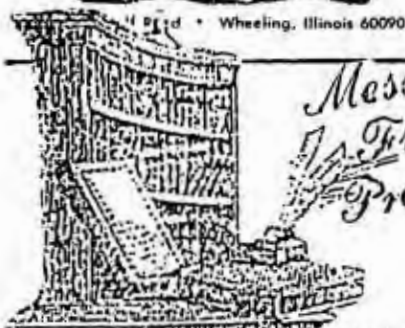
AN OLD-FASHIONED SIMPLE PICNIC FOR 8

Relish platter with radishes,
carrots, celery, corn relish
and chow-chow*
Egg salad and
ham salad sandwiches
Alice's hot potato salad*
Cheese and fruit
Rhubarb cobbler*



NEWSLETTER APRIL 01 NO. 6

NEWSLETTER OF WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY



Message From The President

Dear Members and Friends:

I sincerely hope you all had a wonderful Easter or Passover holiday.

Our March meeting was really a good one. Many things were discussed or decided upon.

The February buffet and auction brought us a \$443.00 profit and we again thank those who participated.

The Nominating Committee presented their slate of officers for the April election.

Vice President..Elaine Simpson
Treasurer..Dolly Hein
Secretary..Patti Hancock
Director// Barbara Forke

It was decided to purchase a much needed slide projector and a map cabinet & stand.

We were invited by Nancy Jansen of the Pavillion to again share their float, but it was decided we would try one of our own. It was suggested we use our "bicycle built for two" on a small flat bed. Help will be needed. It shouldn't be too hard as the parade is at 6 p.m. so we have most of the day to get ready.

Our installation banquet will be held May 23rd at Chevy Chase in the Devonshire Room..6 p.m. cocktails and 7 p.m. dinner. \$20.00/ person. Great buffet and musical entertainment. If anyone would like to donate a prize for the raffle, it would be appreciated. Bring a friend, we always have a good time.

We are in the planning stage for an "Old Fashion Picnic" July 22 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. It use to be called "Old Settlers Picnic" but hasn't be held for about 9 years. It will be open all, especially to former Wheelingnites and members. Bring your lunch and the Society will furnish desserts, coffee and lemonade. Maybe we can get a lot of new people to come and then become involved with the Society.

If you know any old timers, let us know and we will contact them.

Dr. Taylor entertained us with a talk and display of his pictures, boxes and wastebasket decorated entirely with stamps. It was very interesting to learn a little about stamping. Doc collects stamps for the Lions Club projects. If you wish to donate some stamps, bring them to the meetings or mail them to the Society.

Until next time.

Sincerely,

Lorraine Haben, President

NAMES in the NEWS

The Wheeling Historical Society would like to congratulate our member JUDY ABRUSCATO for receiving the Illinois Women of Achievement Award for the Village of Wheeling from the Illinois House of Representatives on March 19th.

CURATOR'S REPORT

Our presentation program for the Indian Trails Library program will be July 31, 2001 at 1-2 p.m. We will be showing the video "Celebrate Tomorrow with Yesterdays Memories" and Shirley McConnell will be helping me with a Q and A. time. We would also like to have anyone wanting to help with a hands-on table with some artifacts from the video or museum.

Our museum exhibit at the library's exhibit case is on-going and Eleanor Buerger is helping me assemble some pictures and artifacts. I do need people to help with labeling, framing, transport and set-up the last week in May. This exhibit will run from June through August.

I have sent a copy of Forbach's Relic House (what years were they there?) to David Iglor owner of Hangouts at 322 N. Milwaukee Avenue. He is requesting history on the house. Anyone with information, please let me know. I have a person by the name of A. Kokocus living there in 1966-67.

Linda Reading, Curator
520-0125



We would like to thank for park district maintenance crew for fixing the sump pump in the museum. A new sash lock has been put on the front window. Thanks guys.

We are as usual, framing pictures, doing inventory and research. Help is always appreciated if you have time on Thursdays, from 9- noon.

A BIT OF HISTORY



Back in Time.....
April Fools Day History

Charles the 9th of France declared during his reign, that New Year's Day would be Jan. 1st instead of March 25th.

He was only 13 years old so the Traditionalists were up in arms about the change of date.

As time moved on, the Progressionalists started to ridicule the Traditionalists about celebrating New Years' Day on March 25th through April 1st.

Therefore a new tradition was started: If you were still celebrating New Years on April 1st, you were an April Fool.

NOTE;
Traditionalists celebrated New Years March 25 - April 1st.

Progressionalists celebrated New Years January 1st.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

APRIL 18..BOARD MEETING
APRIL 25..REGULAR MEETING

MAY 16....BOARD MEETING
MAY 23....INSTALLATION DINNER
Chevy Chase



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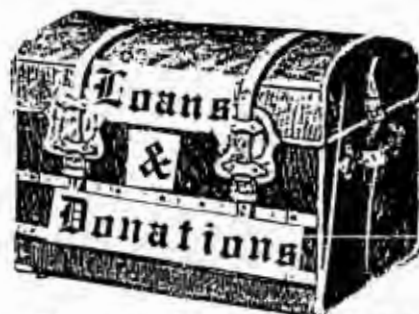
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PORTRAITS FROM THE PAST

This month the our "Portraits from the Past" presents a more recent picture, the Historical Society's Board of the past few years who have done an excellent job in keeping our society going. We would like to commend all of you, Lorraine, Elaine, Dolly, Barb and the Directors (not pictured) Frank, Eleanor and Marilyn for your time, service and loyalty to our historical society. Thank you all.

A very special thankyou to Curator, Linda Reading for her dedication, time and exemplary work at the museum. It wouldn't be done without her. Thanks Lin.



The following donations have been made on behalf of past member, Dick Lord. 1 pretzel cutter w/box and receipt book, 2 crock bowls. 1 beaded coin purse, 1 alum folding drinking cup, 1 sm. crock 1 small Christmas tin w/handles 1 am enameled tray, 1 canoe paddle 1 jello mold, 1 old screwdriver w/ wooden handle and 6 pieces of old silverware.

Received from W. Hancock, 1 nail puller w/ wooden handle, 1 knife (I.P. Hyde-Southbridge, Mass.) w wooden handle. 1 large indian dream catcher.

Received from Marilyn Chromy, 1 1950 40 cup coffee pot w/wooden legs.


Received from Wheeling Historical Society, 2 brown mini crock pots 5 small spice jars w/ glass tops and 1 cast iron nutcracker (man figure) w/red wood base.



HOUSEHOLD HINTS

A discarded clothes hamper makes a good storage place for rubbers, overshoes and boots. It is ventilated and you can paint it to go with the decor on your porch or in the hall.

Instead of buying white shelf paper, line your shelves with heavy freezer wrap with the waxed side up. It can be wiped off with a damp cloth and out-ware's regular shelf paper.



Poet's
Corner

The Great Artist

His canvas is the whole wide world,
The brush, His mighty hand,
His palette made up beautifully -
He's the Teacher in command.
His clouds are white and billowy
With a hint of pink and gray,
He paints each slender blade of grass
To make a perfect day.
The flowers are carefully tinted
In shades of red and blue.
The water added, so to match
The sky of azure hue.
Surely such a picture
Could only have been planned
And brought before our very eyes
By God's artistic hand!

Susan Walter

TRIVIA

April, 1921 Potato chips are the latest craze for snackers.

April 1, 1924 Popsicles were some of the kids favorites.

April 3, 1926, Hershey's Syrup hits the market.

April 6, 1926 Q-Tips cotton swabs were introduced.

April 12, 1927 the first Oscar was awarded by the newly founded Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences.

April 18, 1927 Wonder Bread was introduced.

April 24, 1929 the Yo-Yo came into being.



Cook's
Kitchen

PHILADELPHIA® 3-Step White Chocolate Cheesecake

2 pkg. (8 oz. each)
PHILADELPHIA® Cream
Cheese, softened
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 tsp. vanilla
2 eggs

4 squares BAKER'S® Premium
White Baking Chocolate,
chopped, divided, or 2/3 cup
white chocolate chips, divided
1 ready-to-use chocolate flavor
crumb crust (6 oz. or 9 in.)

MIX cream cheese, sugar, and vanilla with electric mixer until well blended. Add eggs; mix until blended. Stir in 1/3 cup of the white chocolate.

POUR into crust. Sprinkle with remaining white chocolate.

BAKE at 350°F for 35 minutes or until center is almost set. Cool. Refrigerate 3 hours or overnight. Makes 8 servings.

Did You KNOW?

Sandy Altieri discovered a pamphlet in the Chicago Historical Society Library written October 4, 1830 in Wheeling West Virginia. It described a utopian, future working men's community based on equal rights and opportunities to be located in Illinois and named "Wheeling, Ill."

RESEARCHED BY: Barbara McIntyre
November, 1984



NEWSLETTER *Mar. 01* NO. 5

NEWSLETTER OF WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY



*Message
From The
President*

Dear Members and Friends:

Happy Springtime!! Fifty-seven members and friends had a wonderful time at our February 28th buffet dinner and auction. It was rewarding to see so many new faces...let's hope they support us at future events.

Food by Wa-pa-getti's was as usual, very good. Our members supplied all the delicious salads and desserts.

Syke Horcher did a great job as our auctioneer and jokester with his crazy jokes to make us all laugh. Lonnie used a St. Patricks decor of green and white. Auction items were everything from a stained glass window, a Goodwrench truck, canned jelly to a ceramic pig. All fun!

A very short meeting was held. A letter from the village about the blood and bone marrow drive was read. A nominating committee of three was appointed those being: Marilyn Chromy, Chairperson; Clare Rudolph and Barbara LaHay. Positions are open for Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and one Director. If anyone is interested, please give Marilyn a call at 537-5714. A slate will be presented at the March 28th meeting.

Eleanor Buerger and I had the honor of opening the museum for the 2001 season on March 4th. We had quite a few visitors, thanks to the articles in the Herald. Old timers and new folks came. It is always an interesting two hours. Please be sure to sign up for your turn. Linda always schedules a new person with one of our veteran members.

Hoping to see you at the March meeting.

Lorraine Haben, President



A new exhibit on Summer activities in the good old days is now ready. The Fire Department exhibit has been moved and redone to a different case over by the sewing machine. The museum opened on March 4, 2001 with Lorraine Haben and Eleanor Buerger as volunteers. The sign-up sheet will be passed around at all meetings so please look for it and volunteer to help some Sundays from 2-4 p.m.

The Park District maintenance crew has replaced the old boards and painted the benches on the porch of the museum so we will no longer get slivers... They look great and many thanks to the park district crews!!!

Linda & Patti

CURATOR'S REPORT

Lynne Valentine call for information on concrete silos in Wheeling and who built them during the 1920's-1940's. She is doing some research on a family in Schaumburg and two brothers were mentioned that they had built the family's silo, but couldn't remember the name. Anyone with information please let me know.

Our website has been submitted to hotrate.com and given **** 4 stars for our bi-lingual site. One opinion was: we have a charming small town museum and the 1st local historical society that is bi-lingual.

We will be participating in the Indian Trails Library exhibits on Wheeling's past history in pictures and artifacts in June July and August.

The museum will be showing the life and history of our town from 1900's - 1940's. Watch for it this summer!!

I would like to thank everyone who has volunteered for this spring and summer. We are getting known and we would like to keep the museum and carriage house open as much as possible.

I will be attending a Genealogy Research Workshop at the Newberry Library on Saturday, March 24th. from 9 to 12 noon. The fee is \$20.00 and I would like to thank the society for paying my fee.

Other events being held are:

March 19 at 7 p.m. the Prospect Heights Library is presenting a one woman play entitled: "Civil War Women" performed by Sandra R. Hansen

Palatine Historical Society is holding a Victorian Tea April 21, 22, 28 and 29th. Admission is \$5 a person. Two seatings daily: noon and 3 p.m. Call 991-6460 for tickets.

Palatine is also having a Cemetery Walk, Sunday May 20th 1-4p.m. Hillside cemetery.

Linda Reading
Curator



LOANS & DONATIONS

One old school picture and a picture of homes on Willie Ave. across from the old school in 1928 with a group of dancers in the foreground received from Virginia Meier.

One children's book which belonged to Virginia Port received from Lorraine Haben.

Six miniature cast iron fire engines, 1 Motorola cell phone 1990's received from Linda Reading.

Two ladies swim suits 1960 & 1970's and 1 old cell phone 1980's received from Pat Hancock.

On loan from Craig Sappington we have on exhibit 1 English riding helmet, 1 riding crop and 1 pr. English riding boots.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

March 21..Board Meeting
March 28..Regular Meeting
A Slate of officers
will be presented.

TRIVIA

The name of the Soo Line Railroad before it became the Sault St. Marie was The Illinois Wisconsin Railroad.

Wheeling's first funeral director was Frank Forke.

The Village of Wheeling financed its corporation in 1894 by licensing taverns at \$500 per year.



HOUSEHOLD HINTS

✓ **Revarnishing** with a small soft lint-free cloth is twice as fast as using a brush. You can rub in any direction, and the varnish goes into the wood better. There will be no splatters and no brushes to clean out. Throw the rag away if it gets too dirty. Use rubber gloves or clean your hands with paint remover.

✓ **Use a coffeepot brush** to clean your sewing machine. It will be long enough to poke into even the farthest recesses and narrow enough to fit into those thousand-and-one crevices where lint clings.

✓ **Put whole cloves** in pockets of woolen coats or in bags with sweaters when storing for the off-season. They prevent moth damage and leave a spicy aroma. Also place them in dresser drawers with socks and everyday work clothes.



Sandy Altieri

PORTRAITS FROM THE PAST

This month we would like to thank and commend Sandy (Altieri) Weinstock for her service to the Wheeling Historical Museum from 1986 to 1988. During those two years she brought the historical society into public view from its former forgotten existence. She would promote new features and keep up viewers' interests with new exhibits.

Sandy now lives in Florida but is still a member of our society. Thanks again Sandy!



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-W.H.S. Constitution-



Cook's Kitchen

COCONUT CUSTARD PIE

1 9-inch unbaked pastry crust
2½ cups milk
½ cup Domino® Granulated Sugar
3 eggs

1½ teaspoons vanilla extract
½ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon ground nutmeg
1 cup shredded coconut
Sweetened whipped cream

In bowl, combine milk, sugar, eggs, vanilla, salt and nutmeg. Beat well to blend. Sprinkle coconut into pastry shell. Pour egg mixture over coconut. Bake at 425°F. for 20-25 minutes or until knife inserted in center comes out clean. Cool. Serve garnished with whipped cream.
Yield: one 9-inch pie.

A BIT OF HISTORY



A DOG RETURNS HOME

By Palmer Keil
November 22, 1982

In February 1934, former Wheeling Village Trustee and Fire Chief Walter Piefer, died of severe burns received in saving his garage building on North Milwaukee Avenue when his tow truck caught on fire. One of his prize possessions was a beautiful German-Shepard Dog, named Max, who was a constant companion of August Piefer, Walter's father, and they both could be seen riding around town in a model A Ford.

Nine months after Walter Piefer's death, Max disappeared. Many attempts were made to find this pet, or his body, but all to no avail.

Three years later a Tri-City Taxi stopped at the Piefer residence and the driver explained to Mrs. August

Max checked over the house and the people and showed he was glad to be home by lying at the feet of August Piefer perfectly content. From there on the people of Wheeling could again see August and Max riding around just like in former years.

No reason was ever found why the dog was taken, or by whom, or why he eventually was returned.



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS: Doc Taylor
Pam Dorband
Cheryl Grandt
Bill Hein Family
Dean & Marian Argiris

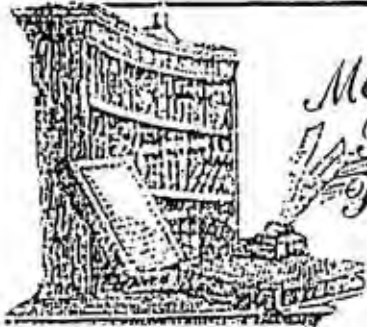


NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY NO 4 - 01

251 North Wolf Road • Wheeling, Illinois 60090

NEWSLETTER OF WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY



*Message
From The
President*

Dear Members and Friends:

Seems as I just finished writing a newsletter article! Please someone make time slow down!!

I'm happy to report we have some new members...Dean and Marian Argiris, and the Wm. Hein Family. WELCOME!! Now if we could register a couple of members each month, we could really do things.

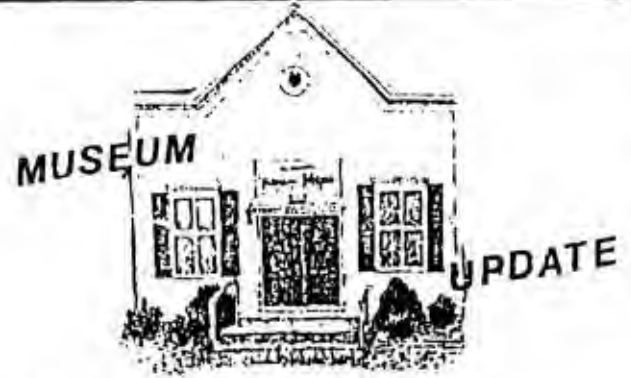
Please remember and get ready for our dinner and auction on Wednesday, February 28th, starting at 6:00 p.m. a short meeting will be held, then dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. followed by our annual auction. The fee for dinner is \$7.00 /person. Food will be provided by Wa-Pa-Ghetti's (which is always great). Desserts and jello salads will be made by society members.

We need articles to auction; nicknacks dishes, pictures and whatever. Our auctioneer, (Syke) will do a great job as always! To make reservations, call Eleanor at 537-1976. R.S.V.P. by Saturday, February 24th.

Tickets can be paid for at the door, but once the reservations are made, and one cannot attend, they still have to be paid for.

Bring your friends, its always a fun time.

Until next time,
Lorraine Haben
President



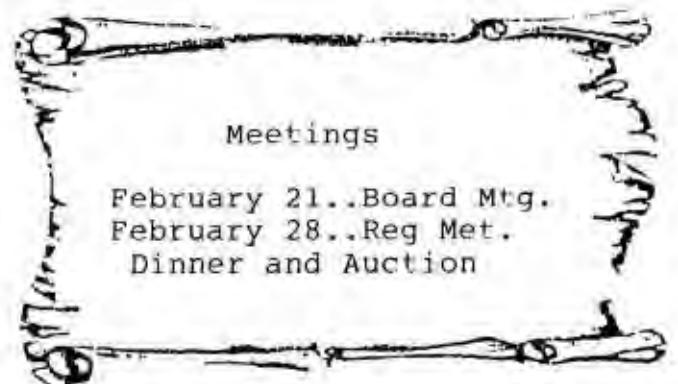
The Park District maintenance team has fixed the chimney brick on the museum, the kitchen roof shingles and inspected the rain gutters for winter damage.

Thank you guys for all you do.

We still have need for volunteers to sit at the museum on Sundays from 2 to 4 p.m. We will be asked for the months of April, May and through the summer. A signup sheet will be presented at each of our meetings.

We are still inventorying donations as they are received.

We will be in the process of changing exhibits in two of the cabinets. Help is always needed on Thursday mornings at the museum...9-noon. If you can help, call Linda at 520-0125.



Meetings

February 21..Board Mtg.
February 28..Reg Met.
Dinner and Auction



PORTRAITS FROM THE PAST

This month we would like to pay a debt of gratitude to former President and presently still a member of the Wheeling Historical Society, SHIRLEY MUELLER. Pictured above in 1978, she is sorting artifacts in the museum which was located at 84 Milwaukee Avenue.

Her involvement with the society, park and village helped to bring about where the museum is presently located today. Still a member of the society she now resides in Tucson Arizona. Those of us who remember, say thank you for your efforts Shirley.



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Did You? KNOW?

Feb 4, 1909, the NAACP was founded in New York

Feb.7, 1910, the electric washing machine was introduced.

Feb, 1910, the importance of vitamins is demonstrated with the isolation of Vitamin B1.

Feb.10, 1910 the Boy Scouts of America would founded.

Feb 1912, consumers are introduced to a creme-filled chocolate cookie called OREO.

Feb.17, 1911, Carrier invented the air conditioner.

Feb.22, 1912 the Girl Scouts of America was founded. (the original name was "Girl Guides"

Feb.1913 the crossword puzzle was created by Arthur Wynne, editor of the New York World newspaper.

Feb 1914, the national observance of Mother's Day was established by President Woodrow Wilson.



DONATIONS

One miniature set of 6 cast iron fire engines and one motorola cell phone received from Linda Reading.

Two ladies swim suits from the 60's and 70's donated by P. Hancock

Two pictures received from Virginia Meier. (1 old school picture and another picture of 3 homes on Willie Street across from the old school.

One Children's Book received from Lorraine Haben.

A BIT OF HISTORY



In the year 1978, the Wheeling Park District sought a special use permit and zoning variation to allow the transfer of the Wheeling Historical Museum from 84 S. Milwaukee Avenue to Chamber of Commerce Park.

The village at that time agreed to spend \$3,500 in federal revenue sharing funds to move the building.

The museum building, erected in 1897, served as the Wheeling Village Hall. The Historical Society officials asked that the building be moved to the new site as they were concerned about the future of the structure because of plans to widen Milwaukee Avenue.

The village which owned the building had agreed to sell the museum to the park district for a nominal fee. The historical society had leased the building for \$1.00/year since 1966. The deed of the museum was transferred to the park district once the move was completed.



HOUSEHOLD HINTS

✓ **Instead of buying** white shelf paper, line your shelves with heavy freezer wrap, with the waxed side up. It can be wiped off with a damp cloth and outwears regular shelf paper.

✓ **In your bathroom drawer**, keep those odds and ends of hair pins, clips, rubber bands, etc. in a plastic silverware tray.

✓ **To separate two glasses** that are stuck together, put the bottom glass in warm water and pour cold water in the top glass. The two will pull apart easily without breaking.

✓ **Sharpen a dull pair** of scissors easily by cutting through several thicknesses of aluminum foil.

TRIVIA

Sauganash was the Indian name of Billy Caldwell.

Otto Orlowski built and operated the Polish Village in the 1930's.

The outhouse of Vetruvius Lodge, Masonic Lodge 81 of Wheeling went traveling every Halloween.

Sportsmart was the name of the last location of the Wheeling Jewel store. (Now try and find either).

Dr. Larson was the doctor that built the first and only hospital in Wheeling.



Cook's
Kitchen

CHEESECAKE COOKIES

1/3 Cup Brown Sugar	1/4 Cup Sugar
1 Cup Flour	1/3 Cup Melted Butter
1 Teaspoon Vanilla	8 Oz. Cream Cheese
1 Egg	
1 Tablespoon Lemon Juice	
2 Tablespoons Cream or Milk	

Mix brown sugar, sugar, flour in bowl. Stir in melted butter, blend until crumbly. Reserve 1/2 cup of this mixture. Press remainder into 8" greased square pan. Bake at 350 for 12-15 minutes. Add egg, lemon juice, cream, vanilla and cream cheese. Mix well and pour on baked crust. Sprinkle with reserved crumbs on top. Bake 20-25 minutes at 350 oven. Cool. Serve



Poet's
Corner

HUMILITY

I asked God for strength,
that I might achieve —
I was made weak,
that I might learn humbly to obey.

I asked for help
that I might do greater things —
I was given infirmity,
that I might do better things.

I asked for riches,
that I might be happy —
I was given poverty,
that I might be wise.

I asked for all things,
that I might enjoy life —
I was given life,
that I might enjoy all things.

I got nothing that I asked for —
but everything I had hoped for.

Despite myself,
my prayers were answered.


I am, among all men,
most richly blessed.

An Anonymous Soldier
of the Confederacy

Thinking of You!

To some of our friends that
we have not seen lately!

Don & Marge Allison
Betty Barrie
Irene & Sam Dattilo
Willie Franta



A cheery reminder
That all through the day
Warm thoughts and
good wishes,
Are going your way.

YESTERDAY

1899

The company moves to Detroit, changes its name to Olds Motor Works and builds the first factory designed exclusively to build automobiles.



TODAY

2000

Oldsmobile announces that it will phase out the line.

1997

Oldsmobile celebrates its 100th birthday.





Message From The President

Dear Members and Friends:

A happy, healthy new year to you from the Board members of our society. It doesn't seem possible but another year has gone by swiftly.

In looking back, it was a very good year for us as a Society. We worked on new things at the museum and added a few new members. We had a fun auction, a great time at the installation of officers at Chevy Chase, took part in the 4th of July parade and had a 1929 picture of Palwaukee Airfield published in the 2001 Illinois State Historical Society calendar.

Lollipop Lane was very successful this year. With the wonderful support given to us by the Wheeling Park District, Stasek Chevrolet and the other businesses and organizations of our community, we were able to add new lights, ornaments and a new exhibit. The cookies were sold out in four days. There were many people to thank especially those who participated as Mr. & Mrs. Claus. I wish to personally thank Frank and Lonnie and their committee, Eleanor Berger, Laverne and Bert Harris Shirley Koeppen and all their elves for a job well done.

So far we have presented Mark Twain School with 2 1/2 shoe boxes filled with pop tops for which they sincerely thanked us. Please keep saving the pop tops. They are collected for the Ronald McDonald program of sending ill children to summer camp. A collection jar will be brought to our regular meetings.

Our society received an unexpected and generous monetary gift from the D.C. Creiger Lodge #81AF and AM (Masons) to be used for the museum. Our sincere thank you.

Linda and I were invited to give a talk about "Wheeling, Then and Now" at the North Northfield Church on December 21st. This was a first for us and turned out quite well.

Now we start planning for our Feb. auction. Please look around your homes for good or funny items that can be auctioned. Reuseable jelly jars are need so Clare Rudolph can make her wonderful strawberry/rubarb jam for the auction. Bring them to the January 24th meeting. Remember this is one of our FUND RAISERS. It will be held February 21st - 6:00 buffet. You will be notified about reservations. Ask your friends to come with you, this is always a fun night.

Thanking you for your support,
I remain,

Lorraine Haben, President

Rakittke, daughter of Mr. Belpulsi for any information she can send us on her father's studio.

We received the plastic covers for the two chairs used by Mr. & Mrs. Claus.

We had a request to buy a copy of "Wheeling Through the Years" book. We will put her on a waiting list. Anyone wanting to sell or donate a copy to the museum, let me know.

Frank Scharringhausen and I assembled an album from copies of 19 pictures of Wheeling in 1926 - 1955 for his mother. She lived on Wolf Road next to the Clesen family as a young girl and is now 74. Hope she enjoys the album.

There still are four 2001 Vision calendars left. Price is \$5.00.

Patti and I are in the process of assembling new exhibits for the museum and this will include a set-up for viewing VCR tapes upstairs in February. Help is always needed just give me a call.

The N.E.I.L. meeting was held by the River Grove Historical Society on January 13th.

The museum will be opening in March so we will have a sign-up sheet available for volunteering to sit on Sundays 2-4 p.m at the next few meetings.

Sincerely
Linda Reading

Milwaukee Avenue was completed in Wheeling.

The Hartmann House building became the Spagheti Factory prior to the present owners which now call it the Crabhouse.

Betty Berrie was the chief operator for the telephone company when it began dial service in 1958.

Kristoff's restaurant became Wenzlaff's restaruant which then became Tien Tsin before it was demolished to make way for the renovation on Milwaukee Avenue.

Our neighboring town of Arlington Heights was known as "West Wheeling" until 1854.

Haggerstrom Studio behind the former John Schminke house was torn down May 8, 1985. The John Schminke house is now Don Roths Restaurant.



Kodak introduces the no-fuss pre-loaded Brownie Camera in January of 1900.

January 1902 Nabisco created animal crackers - for kids of all ages.

January 6, 1903, the first World Series baseball game is played. Boston beat Pittsburgh five games to three.

The first mechanical plan-flight place near Kittyhawk, N.C. by Wilbur & Orville Wright Dec. 17, 1903

The first sets of Crayola Crayons are manufactured by Binney & Smith on Jan. 10, 1903.

The ice cream cone was created at the 1904 St. Louis World's fair.

LOANS & DONATIONS



We received three boxes of picture frames from Clare Rudolph which will be put to good use.

From Dolly Hein, we received one raccoon fur hat w/box.

Reading Electric, Inc. donated a fax machine for use at the museum and a VCR for recording activities.



HOUSEHOLD HINTS

In order for your floors not to get scratched from chairs sliding back and forth, cut little pieces of carpet and glue them to the bottoms of the chair legs.

Use worn pillowcases as dust covers for clothing stored on hangers in a closet. Cut a small hole in the center of the seam and slip it over the hook.

To store dresser scarves wrinkle free, place them on a hanger that has a cardboard roll across the bottom. A rolled magazine securely taped will serve the same purpose.



The earth has its music for those who will listen;
Its bright variations forever abound.
With all of the wonders that God has bequeathed us,
There's nothing that thrills like the magic of sound.

Reginald Holmes



CHOCOLATE CHERRY THUMBPRINTS

- 2 Cups (12 Ounce Pkg) Nestle Toll House Semi-Sweet Chocolate Morsels, divided
- 1 3/4 Cups quick or old fashioned Oats
- 1 1/2 Cups all-purpose flour
- 1/4 Cup Nestle Toll House Baking Cocoa
- 1 Tea. baking powder
- 1/4 Tea. salt (Optional)
- 3/4 Cup granulated sugar
- 2/3 Cup butter or margarine, softened
- 2 eggs
- 1 Tea. Vanilla extract
- 2 Cups (two 10-ounce jars) maraschino cherries, drained and patted dry.

Microwave 1 cup morsels in small, microwave-safe bowl on HIGH (100%) power for 1 minute; stir. Microwave at additional 10- to 20-second intervals, stirring until smooth. Cool to room temperature. Combine oats, flour, cocoa, baking powder and salt in medium bowl. Beat granulated sugar, butter, eggs and vanilla in large mixer bowl until smooth. Beat in melted chocolate. Stir in oat mixture. Cover; chill dough for 1 hour. Shape dough into 1-inch balls. Place 2 inches apart on ungreased baking sheet. Press deep centers with thumb. Place maraschino cherry into each center.

Bake in preheated 350°F oven 10 to 12 minutes or until set. Let stand 2 minutes; remove to wire racks to cool completely. Melt remaining morsels as above; drizzle over cookies. Makes 4 dozen.



PORTRAITS FROM THE PAST

In the early 1950's Civil Defense members Director Robert Buerger, Peter Egan, A.R. McIntyre, Ronald Bruhn and Coordinator Robert Lovett (not shown) were employees of Illinois Bell assigned to Civil Defense Emergency Utilities.

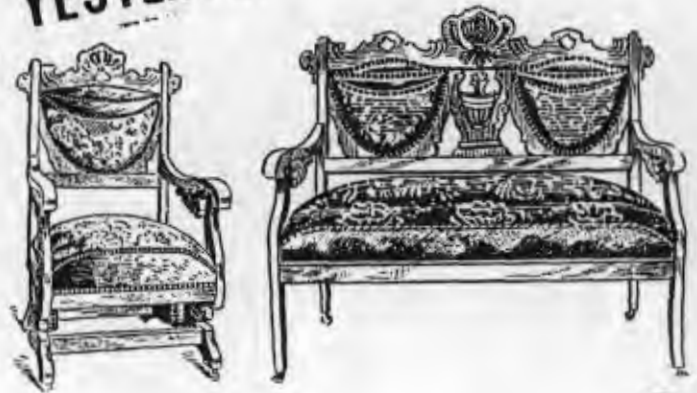
These men served their village and country in more ways than one. Mr. McIntyre (former Mayor of Wheeling), Mr. Egan and Bruhn, (former Village Board Members) Mr. Robert Buerger served his village in many ways. He was a former President of the Wheeling Historical Society, served his country in the Naval Service and was always there when anyone needed him.

In memory of these gentlemen, we want to thank them for all they have done for the betterment of our village and country.

UPCOMING MEETINGS
 January 17..Board Meeting
 January 24..Regular Meeting

REMEMBER
 White Elephant Sale
 & Dinner in February

YESTERDAY



TODAY



I can only please one person per day.
 Today is not you day.
 Tomorrow doesn't look good either.



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NEWSLETTER OF WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY



Message From The President

Dear Members and Friends:

Happy Fall! Such wonderful weather with the leaves turning colors and warm days..soon it will be leaf raking time. No more of that for me. I mentioned I moved but didn't give an address. I'm still in Wheeling, but on the south side.. 1093 Creekside Ct.. a little known Condo development called "Lake of the Winds." Thank you for all the best wishes on my new home.

The Society is becoming known outside of our area. We hosted an Antique Club on October 16th with all three of our buildings open.

On November 21st, Linda and I have been invited to speak at the North Northfield Church the topic being "Then and Now." I'm sure this will be interesting. The more people that know about us, the better.

Our October 25th meeting will include a Halloween party. Come in costume. There will be games, prizes and good food, etc. Come join us as we try something different. Bring a friend.

I wish to thank all of the Sunday Museum volunteers. It was a good summer with many visitors.

The Girl Scout Troop that helped us during Lollipop Lane, is collecting the pop tops from cans for a very good cause. If you have any, please let me know at 398-1679. So far, we have given them three shoeboxes full.

We are also getting ready for Lollipop Lane which will be held December 2nd through December 10th. Setup will take place the week before. We are hoping there will be a new display on loan to us that is just great. We will be needing help and don't forget the cookies.

One more bit of information... Marvin (Syke) and Ellie Horcher have moved to 80 Dole, Crystal Lake, Il. 60014.

Hoping to see a lot of you on October 25th at 7:30 p.m.

I remain,

Lorraine Haben
President



Discussion was brought up at the Board meeting that the carriage seat needed to be reupholstered. Upon polling the Board members, it was agreed this should be done.

At this time the seat is being upholstered by Universal Upholstering Inc. in Dunhurst Shopping Center. The material is a velveteen, and color "Tobasco."

We received a letter form Sandra Bottcher requesting information regarding a "Wheeler & Wilson #9 sewing machine." Since we have found no information, We referred her to Chicago's Historical Society or the Il. State Historical Society in Springfield.

Linda has sent the museum location and phone number to Lydia Barnes Yellow Book.com for free ads on the web site.

Watch for more historical pictures in the Village newsletter as Dale Kimmerly has been gathering more pictures from our museum files.

The last Sunday for the museum open hours is October 29, 2000. We will be closed for the winter except for Thursday mornings. We will be brainstorming ideas for new exhibits to present in Spring. If you have any ideas...let us know.

We are always looking for artifacts from our residents. This helps with the changing of exhibits. Check you closets, basements, attics and garages and give us a call for items from the 40's to the 70's.

The Vision Calendars for 2001 are here and the cost is \$5.00. They will be on sale at the October meeting. The picture of Palwaukee Airport we sent in was chosen for August.

Linda Reading
Curator



LOANS & DONATIONS

Below is a list of donations recently received from the following members and for which we are very grateful:

Linda Reading: 1950's Ice Pick
Lorraine Haben: 1950's red & white porcelain table.
1 Red Diamond Jubilee Dress
1950's paintscreen map on linen.
AARP: Two drawer file cabinet
Marilyn Chromy: 1979 Wheeling High School Yearbook
3 Books by G.T. Kimmins.
Rudy Horcher: List of Civil War veterans buried at Wheeling Cemetery.



PORTRAITS FROM THE PAST

We would like to pay tribute to Rudy Horcher. Rudy has been with the Wheeling Historical Society for many years and has acted as the curator for the Carriage House. Much of the displays and artifacts in the Carriage house are from the Horcher's farm.

Rudy is very dedicated to paying tribute to our fallen service men from all wars and took his time to place flags on each of the graves in the Wheeling Cemetery for many years.

He was always willing to lend a hand when asked. Thank you Rudy for all you have done and the time given.



Cook's Kitchen

RIBBON SALAD

- 1 (3 oz) pkg of Lemon, Lime and Raspberry Gelatins
- 3 Cups boiling water
- 1 Cup miniature or diced marshmallows
- 1 1/2 Cups cold water (see note about ice cubes)
- 2 (3 oz) pkgs cream cheeze, softened
- 1/2 Cu mayonnaise
- 1 Cup whipped cream (dream whip)
- 1 (1 lb.4 1/2 oz) can crushed pineapple (not drained)

Make middle section first. Dissolve lemon jello in 1 cup boiling water. Stir marshmallows into hot jello mixture. Add cream cheese; beat until blended. Chill until slightly thickened. Then blend in mayonnaise, whipped cream and crushed pineapple. Chill until very thick. Meanwhile, mix the lime and raspberry jellos, using 1 cup of boiling water and 3/4 cup cold water. Chill until set, but not firm.

NOTE: Instead of that, I make up the lime and raspberry when the center mixture is about firm, using the quick set method of boiling water and ice cubes. These gelatin mixtures should not be completely firm or the layers will not adhere to each other. About ten minutes will give the right consistency.) Layer the three colors.

Recipe from Betty Klump
Cheri Klump's mother-in-law

Did You? KNOW!

IT HAPPENED IN OCTOBER....

- 1967..Amana introduces an innovative appliance for the home the microwave oven.
- 1968..The water bed is introduced
- 1969..The vaccine for Rubella is developed.
- 1970..Hamburger Helper first appears on the market shelves.
- 1970..Participants clean up on the first Earth Day.
- 1972..Bounce fabric softner sheets are introduced.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

- October 18..Board Meeting
- October 25..Reg Meeting and Halloween Party
- November 8..Board Meeting
- November 15..Reg. Meeting



October

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November

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Dear Friends:

There will be no Newsletter in November as I'm headen west. Will be back in time for Lollipop Lane.

No matter how you vote, be sure to vote in November. IT'S YOUR RIGHT AND PRIVILEGE

PATTI



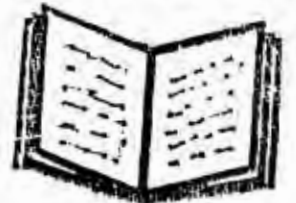
BEWARE!!!!!!

Of post cards offering your family history for about \$30.

(All families get the same book except for a list of names and addresses of some people with the same surname as yours.)

BEWARE!!!! BEWARE!!!

Of chain letters... suggesting you send money to 5 names provided in the letter and you will get untold riches. Throw them away. It's not true and you lose in the end.



A BIT OF HISTORY

The first president of the Wheeling Historical Society was MERLE WILLIS.

In 1978 the name of the old Union Hotel changed to KISSES.

Until 1917, the language that was predominant at the Wheeling Community Church Presbyterian Church was GERMAN.

Wheeling's first library was located BEHIND THE UNION HOTEL.

The name Feehanville referred to MARYVILLE, FOUNDED BY ARCHBISHOP PATRICK FEEHAN IN 1883.

In 1955 the Chief of Police was SYKE HORCHER.

In 1833 the first permanent settler of Wheeling was GEORGE STRONG.

Senility Prayer

God grant me the senility
To forget the people
I never liked anyway...
The good fortune
To run into the ones I do...
And the eyesight
To tell the difference!



LIFE AFTER SIXTY



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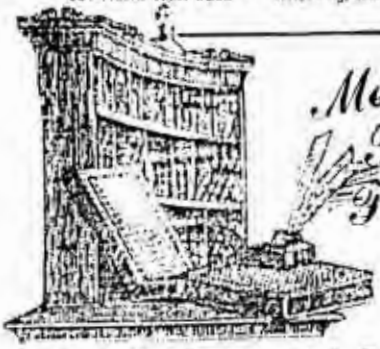
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NEWSLETTER

SEPT. 2000 No. 1

NEWSLETTER OF WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY



Message From The President

Dear Members and Friends:

Where did the summer go?? Weather was great and I sincerely hope all of you enjoyed yourselves whether on a trip or at home. Personally, it's been a hard time. Selling my home after 50 years has been quite an experience.

Time to get back to our meetings and plans for this 2000-01 year. Still doesn't seem quite right to write 2000.

We definitely must recruit new members. All organizations have this problem, but for us it's critical. Talk to your friends..we always have a good time.

Remember our Sunday Museum in your fall plans. Two (2) hours on a Sunday is not a long time to volunteer and it's always interesting.

I'm sad to write that Edward Klocke passed away very suddenly this summer. He and Alberta were members for many years and one of our Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus duos since we started Lollipop Lane. Our sincere sympathy to the Klocke family.

September 27th at 7:30 p.m. will be our regular meeting time at the Chamber building. Come and bring ideas. Hope to see many of you there.

Sincerely,
Lorraine Haben
President



A digital program on the cemetery has been started. All printed material has been scanned at the library. We are still waiting to hear how the digital pictures of the gravemarkers is developing.

Patti has developed several picture albums on our banquets and museum. and we have purchase some tools for the museum work bench.

Patti and I cleaned out the window wells and covers and trimmed the bushes around the building. We also planted some irises by the front entrance.

I have worked with Steve Carasso from the park district on Chevy Chase Summer Stock Theatre in the 1950's. A packet of artifacts were copied and sent off to CBS at their request.

A draft letter has been written to the school principals in District #21 regarding tours for the students. and another a letter requesting artifacts from the various government agencies. They will both be submitted to the Board of the Historical Society for approval.

Pictures have been submitted for the 2001 calendar and one again has been chosen. They will be on sale as soon as we receive them.

Many thanks to all volunteers who have served on Sundays during this summer.

Sincerely,
Linda Reading
Curator

IT ALL HAPPENED IN SEPTEMBER!!!



**Did You
KNOW?**

September 1, 1959, Alaska and Hawaii are added as the 48th and 50th states of the nation.

September 5, 1961, President Kennedy approves the formation of the Peace Corps.

September 21, 1963, Lasers are first used for delicate eye surgery.

September 25, 1964, GI Joe is introduced by Hasbro and still remains in the top ten list of toys.

September 28, 1965, the Frisbee is found flying in backyards, college campuses parks across the country.

In 1960, the first felt tip marker is introduced by Pentel.

In 1961, the Squibb Company introduces the electric toothbrush.

In 1963, Tab Cola first appears as America's foremost diet drink.

In 1964, Pop Tarts are introduced by Kellogg's - the age of convenience food is upon us!!!

In 1967, the first SUPER BOWL game is played in Los Angeles (The Green Bay Packers beat the Kansas City Chiefs, 35-10)

In 1963, the Touch-Tone phone is introduced allowing phone calls to be placed faster and more accurate.

In 1963, Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. delivers his (I have a Dream) speech from the Lincoln Memorial.

PORTRAITS FROM THE PAST

We would like to pay tribute to Mrs. Betty Berrie, long time member of the Wheeling Historical Society and served as curator of the Wheeling Historical museum.

She was the daughter of an early telephone operator and she was not only responsible for calls but also dispatched fire fighters and police, summoned doctors, blew the and 9 p.m. teen curfew whistles and even accepted payment of telephone bills.

Many thanks for all you have done Betty.

Taken from Seltzer Kaufmann Marketing Inc. Calendar.

Poet's
Corner



KINDNESS

KINDNESS IN WORDS CREATES CONFIDENCE,
KINDNESS IN THINKING CREATES PROFOUNDNESS,
KINDNESS IN GIVING CREATES LOVE.

Lao-Tse



A TOUCH OF HISTORY.....

Initiated by the Wheeling Jr. Women's Club, a Historical Society Steering Committee was formed in June 1965. The Committee consisted of 12 interested people in our community who wished to see a Historical Society formed. The purpose of such an organization was to be the discovery, preservation and dissemination of knowledge about the history of the community of Wheeling.

In July the constitution and by-laws were prepared and a nominating committee was appointed. On August 25, 1965 the group prepared a charter, the constitution and by-laws were adopted and the following officers were elected: President, Merle Willes Vice President, Marshall Balling; Secretary, Dorothy Forke and Treasurer Lucille Schneider. The Directors are: Mrs. John Koeppen, Mrs. James K. Wieder and Curator Mrs. Hazel Willes. Thus was the beginning of Wheeling's organization to preserve its history.

Get Well Wishes

Many happy thoughts
Are being sent your way
With wishes you'll
continue to
feel better every day.



Lonnie Schnaitmann

Marge Allison



Cook's Kitchen

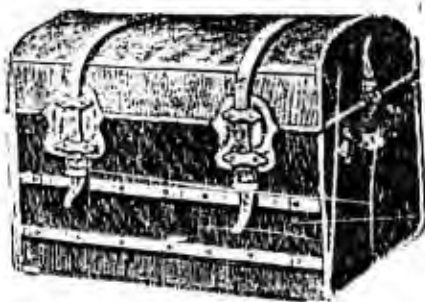
DUMP CAKE

- 2 Large Cans crushed pineapple
- 2 Large Cans cherry pie filling
- 1 Package Yellow Cake Mix
- 1 1/4 stick butter
- 1 1/2 chopped nuts
- 1 1/2 cup shredded coconut

Grease 9 x 13 pan. Pour in drained pineapple, top with cherry pie filling. Crumble dry cake mix and chopped nuts over mixture. Add coconut. Cut butter on top. Bake 1 hour at 350 degrees. Serve with cool whip.

Submitted by Irene Dattilo

Artifacts



We would like to thank the following for artifacts we received.

Virginia Meier, Wheeling Park District.
Dolly Hein, Kirk L. Malick, Linda Reading, Don and Marge Allison, Lorraine Haben, Patti and Wedge Hancock.

Your donations are greatly accepted. A list of items is found in the Curators Report.

DUES! DUES!

LAST MINUTE REMINDER THAT DUES WAS DUE IN MAY FOR 2000-2001 FISCAL YEAR.

Payment can be made at the September Meeting or mailed in with the enclosed Renewal Application

enclosed Renewal Application

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE, _____

PHONE _____ ZIP _____

CHECK ONE:

FAMILY MEMBERSHIP \$15.00

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP \$10.00

Checks are made payable to
Wheeling Historical Society
P.O. Box 3
Wheeling, W. Va. 26090



HELP IS STILL NEEDED AT THE MUSEUM ON SUNDAYS FROM 2:00 TO 4:00 P.M.



PLEASE CALL LINDA READING AT 520-0553 or PATTI AT 537-1450 TO VOLUNTEER.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

September 20..Board Meeting

September 27..Regular Meeting



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NEWSLETTER MAY 00 NO. 7

NEWSLETTER OF WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY



Message From The President

Dear Members and Friends:

It doesn't seem possible that 2 years have passed since I first became your President of the Society. I believe we have made great progress. We have reached out to more people via our Website and person to person, exchanging ideas and information. Since Wheeling has become such an diversified community, we have visitors from all cultures visiting our museum. I, of course, haven't done this alone! All my board members and members in general have all contributed a great deal of ideas and time. Thank you to all of you.

Our May 24th Installation dinner was a great success. Village and Park officials, visitors and members, all had a good time. The Chevy Chase Club House staff did a fabulous job setting up and preparing all that beautiful tasty food. The entertainment Ed Warble had songs and jokes to please all of us. Our Wheeling merchants were very generous with 23 gifts for our raffle. The Pot-O-Gold was quite heavy and won by Mrs. Argiris. Commissioner Klumpp of the Park District and our Liaison won the 50-50 and generously donated her share back to the society.

It was a great evening and my sincere thanks to all who made it possible.

My next term begins, I and the board hope to keep up the good work we've done and go forward! Getting new members is high on our agenda. There must be young people out there who would enjoy learning about and keeping track of the past.

Mark you Calendar.....
The next regular meeting of the society will be held Wednesday, September 27th 7:30 p.m. at Chamber Church.

Sincerely,

Lorraine Haben



Brownie #189 from Mark Tawin visited the museum and had a great time. Pictures were taken of the girls in the buggy and on the porch of the museum. They thanked us for helping them earn their "Listening to the past" badge. Thankyou to Lorraine and Clare for helping out.

Girl Scout Troop #697 visited the museum on May 11th and really enjoyed learning about their town. Thanks to Wedge, Patti and my husband Ron for helping out.

Gerri Hunt gave us a copy of her "Snapshots of a Community" book about Wheeling. Anyone wanting to help edit it, let me know, as Gerri is giving us the copyrights to use this as a fundraiser.

I will be working with the Police Dept. and Chris Reading, Head of Outreach at the library on taking pictures and recording the grave markers at the Wheeling cemetery.

A big thank you to all our members who have helped keep the museum open on Sundays since March. There is still need for volunteers for July, August, September and October. Just let me know. Thanks.

Meanwhile, Patti and I are at the museum on Thursday mornings, 9:00 to noon and anyone with some free time..we could sure use you.

Linda Reading



LOANS & DONATIONS

Received a picture of Harrison Supply Store which was located 260 S. Milwaukee Ave from Jo Scribano the owners wife.

Received a tribute to Dorothy Balling Flentge by her son Robert from Shirley McConnell.

Received a copy of a letter w/envelope from Bill Spangenberg which was mailed at the Wheeling Postoffice in 1838 or 1898 from Merrill Pearson to his father Major Isaac Pearson in Haverhill, N.H. Merrill settled on a farm in Wheeling and gave his father an account of of regarding the farm.

The Pavilion donated a box of Restaurant Cook Books for us to sell.

Received a dress form donated by Eleanor Buerger.

Another dressform was purchased by the Society for \$10 at the Fair given by the Pavilion.

A 48 star flag which was on loan from Henry Inselberg, was returned at his request. Another 48 star flag is on display in our military case.



*To let you know you're
thought of every day and
always in a very special way*





PORTRAITS FROM THE PAST,

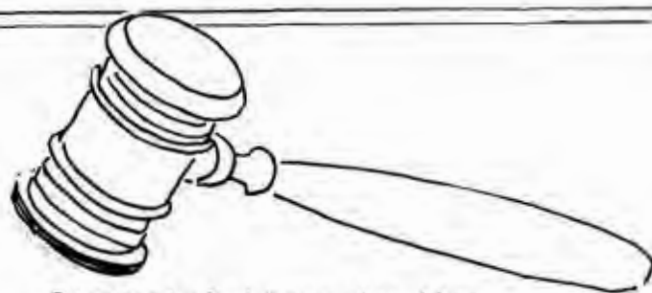
A tribute to Irene and Sam Dattilo long time members of the Wheeling Historical Society who were always there when called upon. In the above picture, they were working at the Brat and Beer Fest at Chevy Chase, held in 1970's. Sam loaned the society his antique car for the parades and Irene still handles the telephone for special events. We want to say thank you both for all you have contributed to the society and community through the years.



Cook's Kitchen

A Tasty Desert

One angle food cake cut in half. Spread strawberries or raspberries on bottom half. Top with cool whip. Replace top layer and frost with with cool whip. Sprinkle top with crushed nuts. Yummie!!!!



Congratulations to the
Board of 2000 - 2001

Lorraine Haben..President
Dolly Hein.....Vice President
Elaine Simpson..Treasurer
Barbara Forke...Secretary
Frank Schnaiatmann.Director
Marilyn Chromy.....Director
Eleanor Buerger....Director

Our thanks to:
Linda Reading...Curator
Shirley McConnell, Betty Berrie
..Historical Consultants



TIME MARCHES ON..

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HISTORY OF WHEELING

Andreas...History of Cook County (1884)
Continued...

In 1837 a survey of the lands in this town was made, and as it was known that the boundaries of the various claims already taken could not correspond with the section lines that would be run, the settlers, by mutual consent, selected S.M. Salisbury to purchase all the land they had claimed, with the understanding that he should re-deed each one's individual claim to him, as nearly as practicable, being at the same time governed by the section lines as run by the survey. This plan was carried out to the satisfaction of all concerned.

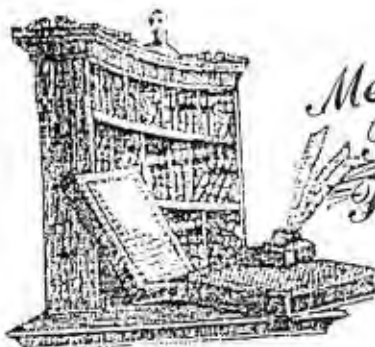
From the time elections became necessary to 1850, when the town was organized, the territory embraced within its limits, together with a part of Maine and Northfield, was known as Wheeling Precinct. The place of voting was at Wilcox's tavern, situated on the Milwaukee road near where it crosses the DesPlaines River. After the organization of the town elections were held at the village of Wheeling.

The town was organized, as were the others in the county, April 2, 1850. The meeting was held "at the house lately kept by James Parker in the town of "Wheeling." William H. Dunton was chosen Moderator, Egbert Van Vlack, Clerk, and George Fullagar, Assistant Clerk. The election resulted in; the choice of the following officers, each receiving the vote appended to his name: Supervisor, S.M. Salisbury, 106: Clerk, Lewis Peet, 96: Assessor, Ira Millard, 100: Collector, D.B. Briggs, 100: Commissioners of Highways, Ira Snow, 100: W.H. Dunton, 171: Andrew Luce, 99: Constables, D.B. Briggs, 122: S.D.W. Miller, 98. A pound was provided for, to be as near the center of the town as practicable, and Myron Thornton was appointed Pound-Master.

Three hundred dollars was voted to be raised for the support of the poor, for building a pound and for the incidental expenses of the township, but no tax was ever been levied for the support of the poor in Wheeling, nor was a pound provided at that time. Three hundred dollars was raised for road and bridge purposes. Fences were required to be built four feet high. The total number of votes cast at this election was 191, as certified by Lewis Peet, Town Clerk, indicating a population of about 750. The Commissioners of Highways met April 19, and divided the town into six road districts. Their second action was to vacate a road running north and south from the Rand road to the Dundee road, between Sections 7 and 8, and 17 and 18. This action was taken May 4, on the petition of ten citizens, dated April 19. The board of appointment, consisting of S.M. Salisbury, Supervisor, Lewis Peet, Clerk, William Scoville, Justice of the Peace, and Joel F. Hawks, Justice of the Peace, met May 4 at the house of George Strong and appointed Lysander Miller Overseer of Highways for District No. 1; Richard Adams for Nr. 2; Ira Snow for No 3; George Strong for No. 4; Stephen Lamb for No.5, and James Dunton for No. 6.

On the 13th of March, 1851, the Commissioners divided the town into nine districts each two miles square. The first highway fund, received by the Commissioners of Highways previously to March 25, 1851, was \$260. At that time it was reported that in five of the road districts there had been performed five hundred and ninety-seven days' work, and in one other district one hundred and one.

"The Andreas goes on to mention the following elections of Supervisors, Clerks, Assessors, Collectors, Commissioners of Highways, Justices of Peace, Constables, Overseers of the Poor, and Trustees of the Schools." (Anyone interested in the names, they can be found at the museum.)



*Message
From The
President*

Dear Friends and Members:

Another month has flown by so swiftly. The weather certainly can't make up it's mind to settle down. A very warm March, then April with flowers blooming through the ice and snow.

At our April 26th meeting the election of officers will take place. Members nominated are:

President..Lorraine Haben
Director (2 Yr).Marilyn Chromy
Director (2 Yr).Frank Schnaitmann

Nominations from the floor will also be taken. Come and help elect our new officers.

We will again be sharing a 4th of July float with the Wheeling Senior Center unless someone comes up with a better idea.

May 24th will be the Installation Dinner. It will be held in the Devonshire Room at Chevy Chase. A fabulous buffet and entertainment are on the menu. All are welcome, but reservations are a must.

Hope to see many of you at the meeting of April 26th ..7:30 p.m.

Sincerely,

Lorraine Haben
President



The military exhibit was changed the beginning of the month. We have also put in a train exhibit which replaced the post office exhibit.

The clothes, books, etc; relating to Lollipop Lane have been moved to the carriage house for storage since the closet is overflowing.

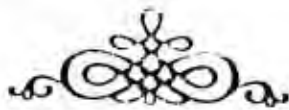
We have spent time framing some more old pictures for display.

A field trip is scheduled for May 11. Volunteers are needed for the museum and carriage house. The trip is scheduled for 5:30 p.m.- 7:30 p.m. so for those of you who cannot sit on a Sunday, maybe you can help this evening. Please let me know. Another opening will be held in June for 48 women from Addison. Help will also be needed.

Thanks to: Marilyn Chromy, Lorraine Haben, Lonnie and Frank Schnaitmann, and Shirley McConnell and Eleanor Buerger for sitting at the museum since it has opened. The museum will be closed April 16 (Palm Sunday) and April 23rd (Easter).

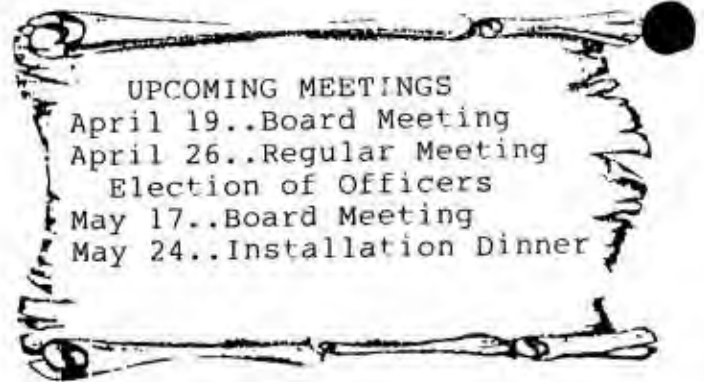
Linda Reading
Curator





PORTRAITS FROM THE PAST

In the September 15, 1966 edition of the Independent Newspaper, a tribute was given to our long time member Shirley Koeppen for her contribution to the community. She was President of the Wheeling Women's Club and had served in past years on the Village's Public Relations and as Chairman of the Community Relations Commissions. She was also instrumental in the formation of the Society along with other members of the Women's Club. She still helps with our cookie sales at our annual Lollipop Lane. With this we say thanks Shirley for all you have done in the past and present.



UPCOMING MEETINGS

April 19..Board Meeting
 April 26..Regular Meeting
 Election of Officers
 May 17..Board Meeting
 May 24..Installation Dinner



HISTORY OF WHEELING
 Andreas..History of Cook
 County (1884)

continued....

Mr. Strong, however, having set his heart upon this claim, and knowing that the treaty would be ratified a short time, decided to make the venture, and on Monday, September 2, took possession of his claim.

At this time his nearest neighbor to the northward was Captain Wright, who was said to be the only one between him and Waukegan; and to the southward his nearest neighbor was either General Peet or Captian Talcott---probably the former, who moved unto the claim where his son, A.W. Peet, now resides, in December of the same year. Soon after moving into the Sweet shanty, it was surrounded by about a dozen Indians whose intention was to drive off Mr. Strong. He, however, was not to be driven off easily. Going outside, he had quite a fight with them, knocking one of them flat upon the ground.

He was immediately surrounded by the others, who with uplifted tomahawks and drawn knives threatened him with instant death. His escape is attributable only to his showing no signs of fear. The treaty was soon afterward ratified, and settlers came on in considerable numbers.

Timothy Titcomb almost immediately afterward settled just north of Mr. Strong, on Section 13, but soon sold out to Myron Dimmick, who staid, however, only three or four years. William B. Clay and his two sons, John B. and D.H. Clay settled on Section 12, S.M. Salisbury on Section 2, James Mackey and his brother on Section 24, Christian Stryker on Section 12. These among others, came in 1834, the last in December.

Peter Gebhardt came in January, 1835, remained about six years, and sold out to Henry Miller. Israel Martin also came about this time, but after a short residence, moved to Palatine. Joseph Filkins, who had made his claim in 1834, built his cabin and moved his family into it in 1835. Matthew Chivel came in February, 1835, during which year eighteen log houses at least were raised. In March, 1836, William H. Dunton moved into the town and has ever since been a continuous resident. In 1837 Ephraim and Charles Morrison settled on Section 11 or 12; Russell Wheeler and Charles Daniels opened a store where the village of Wheeling is located, which they kept four or five years, and sold to Joel L. McDuffy.

In 1838 a Mr. Shepard, or Shepherd, started a blacksmith shop, and Asher G. Skinner arrived and settled on Section 12. Daniel Martin came in 1839. By this time there were about two hundred inhabitants in the town. After the ratification of the Indian treaty the principal cause of excitement for the first few years white men occupied this territory was claim-jumping, and if no one was killed for this crime, it was probably

because the rightful possessors were so thoroughly united and organized as to be fully conscious of their strength and fully assured of success in the defense of their rights, as claim-jumpers usually had to fight single-handed.

A committee consisting of seven citizens, belonging to Wheeling, was appointed to decide on questions of rightful ownership in all cases of claim-jumping. This was the Inferior Court. Besides this, a Superior Court, or Court of Appeal, was appointed, consisting of three citizens, S.M. Salisbury, George Strong, and Joseph Filkins, before which any case might be carried if the decision of the Inferior Court caused dissatisfaction, but the decision of the Superior Court was final.

The most serious difficulty the settlers of Wheeling were connected with was the ejecting of a claim-jumper from a claim just north of the present boundary of their town in Lake County, in which case the claimant was assisted by two female members of his family feigning sickness. A physician, summoned for the purpose, examined the "sick" women and pronounced them in perfect health, and on the strength of his report the women were carried out of doors on their beds by the Wheeling vigilantes, and the house pulled down. This was about the last of the difficulties of this kind.

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- 8 cups Golden Grahams® cereal (one 13-oz box)
- 1½ cups Nestlé® Toll House® Milk Chocolate Morsels*
- 6 cups miniature marshmallows (one 10-oz bag)
- 5 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- ¼ cup light corn syrup, optional

MELT 5 cups marshmallows (save 1 cup for later), Nestlé® Morsels, butter and corn syrup in 3-quart saucepan over low heat, stirring occasionally. Remove from heat. Stir in vanilla. Butter rectangular pan, 13"x9"x2".

POUR Golden Grahams® cereal into a large bowl. Pour marshmallow mixture over cereal; stir until evenly coated. Stir in remaining marshmallows.

PRESS mixture into pan with buttered back of spoon. Cool at least 1 hour or until firm. Cut into 24 bars. Store loosely covered at room temperature.

Did you know?????

April 1..American kids are lapping up popcycles by 1924.

April 3...Hershey's Syrup hits the market in 1926.

April 6.. Q-Tips cotton swabs are introduced.

April 12. 1927, the Oscar is awarded by the newly founded Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences.

April 18. Wonder Bread is introduced in 1927 - its the best thing since sliced loaves.

April 24. The Yo-Yo is introduced in 1929.



Where there is love,
The heart is light!
Where there is love,
The day is bright!

- Helen Steiner Rice-

Dorothy Flentge a former member of the Wheeling Historical Society (1975-1989) has passed on. Our condolences have been sent to the family.

SCATTERED THOUGHTS

You're getting old when getting lucky means you find your car in the parking lot.

You're getting old when you're sitting in a rocker and you can't get it started.

You're getting old when your wife gives up sex for lent, and you don't know till the 4th of July.

You're getting old when you wake up with that morning after feeling, and you didn't do anything the night before.

You're getting old when you stop buying green bananas.



HELP IS STILL NEEDED AT THE MUSEUM ON SUNDAYS FROM 2:00 TO 4:00 P.M. IN THE MONTHS OF AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER.

PLEASE CALL LINDA READING AT 520-0553 or PATTI AT 537-1450 VOLUNTEER.



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*Message
From The
President*

Wheeling
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Dear Members and Friends

Happy Springtime!! A sincere thank you to all who attended our annual "Pot Luck" and Auction. We had a very good time. Syke, as our auctionaire, told jokes and made buying items fun. The food was delicious and plenty. Desserts, as usual, calorie free were made by volunteers. Lonnie and her helpers did a great job. We missed some regulars, but enjoyed the newcomers. All this and we made some money too!

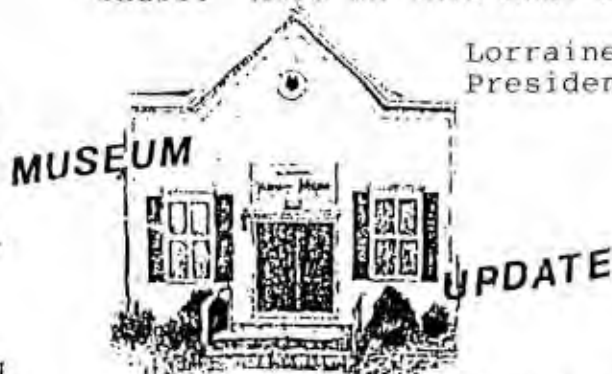
Another old time business is closing up shop. This summer will be the last for the Wheeling Nursery, its Western Store and the Showcase. Peggy Kruse Bumgarner (now in Durham Oregon, has sent us pictures dating back to 1925 when her father began raising beautiful roses at the Wheeling Nursery. We are compiling all the pictures into a small collage. Thanks Peg.

Lonnie Schnaitmann, Claire Rudolph and Eleanor Buerger were appointed to be our nominating committee. They will present a slate of officers at our April meeting, at which time a President and two Directors will be elected. Nominations will also be taken from the floor. A Curator, an Assistant Curator and Historical Consultant will be appointed by the new President.

The constitution of our Society makes it obligatory that the museum be open March through mid-November. Holidays, the museum is closed. There needs to be two persons present. Please make plans to sign up for just two (2) hours on a Sunday. A few of us can't do it alone. Any new member will be accompanied by an older member (in experience, not years). Bring a friend.

Plans are underway for the Installation Banquet on May 24th. Mark your calendars. Hopefully, we can have it at our beautiful renovated Chevy Chase. More on this next month.

Lorraine Haben
President



It has been decided that the Passport Program this year is cancelled. Cheri and I decided we would reconsider the program earlier next year. We need a volunteer from the Society to work with the Park District.

Patti and I have been framing and hanging new pictures.

The military display has been completed with memorabilia from WW II. IF you get a chance, we would like you to see it.

We will be changing the Post Office display next.

Spring cleaning is in process in time for the March opening.

Linda Reading
Curator



PORTRAITS FROM THE PAST

Pictured is our own Willie Franta. A few years back, Willie was chosen "Super Senior" at the Senior Pavillon but she is more noted for being one of our Mrs. Claus at Lollipop Lane. Willie has been under the weather lately but we did enjoy seeing her at our PotLuck Dinner and Auction in February. Stay well Willie.

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*Happy St. Patrick's
Day*



MARCH 2000

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MARCHing BACK!

March 2...In 1915 the Hall Brothers began the HALLMARK CARDS COMPANY.

March 6...In 1915 Henry Ford set a new standard for the U.S. workforce by introducing "MINIMUM WAGE" - \$5 minimum or an 8 hour day.

March 10..In 1916 the process for blood is developed giving way to the idea of BLOOD BANKS.

March 14..In 1917 Keds marketed the first TENNIS SHOE.

March 19..In 1920, the BLOW DRYER WAS INVENTED based on the vacuum cleaners women were using to dry their hair.

March 23..In 1920, America's first LICENSED RADIO STATION BEGAN broadcasting in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

March 28..In 1921 the cool new taste was the ESKIMO PIE ice cream.

WELCOME!

To new members Randy Klocke and Fran Eagan, welcome to the Wheeling Historical Society. We are glad to have you share this time with us.



THE HISTORY OF WHEELING
 Andreas. History of Cook County (1884)

The town of Wheeling lies in the north part of Cook County, and is bounded on the north by Lake County on the east by Northfield, on the south by Elk Grove, and on the west by Palatine. The highest land in the township is in the western part, there being a gradual slope to the Desplaines river, which flows southward through the eastern tier of sections. The soil is a rich prairie loam. Originally the timber along the Desplaines River consisted of a belt about three-fourths of a mile in width, and then perhaps, equally divided between Wheeling and Northfield.

Probably the first settler in the town was a Mr. Sweet whose first name cannot be ascertained. He arrived in March 1833, selected a claim and built a cabin in which he lived until the following October. As this was before ratification of the treaty with the Pottawatomic Indians, and as the Indians were generally opposed to occupancy by white men, Mr. Sweet must have been on especially friendly relations with them in order to remain there and yet his desire to remain seems not to have been strong, for in October he sold his claim to George Strong for \$60.

Mr. Strong, before finally deciding to buy this claim, consulted Colonel Thomas J.W. Owen, Indian Agent at Chicago, as to the prospect of moving onto it, and as the probable results. Colonel Owen advised him not to go, as the Indians were hostile, and as, in addition, it would be necessary for him to use the United States troops in defending the rights of the Indians in case Mr. Strong should attempt to occupy the land before the ratification of the treaty.

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GREAT PEANUT BUTTER
 CHOCOLATE BARS

Cook's
 Kitchen

Cups Graham Cracker Crumbs
 2 Cups Confectionate Sugar
 1 Cup Smooth Peanut Butter
 1/2 Cup Butter/Margarine plus
 2 Tablespoons, (Melted)
 1 - 12 Oz. Bag Semi-Sweet
 Chocolate Morsels, (Melted)

Blend first four items. Be sure mixed thoroughly. Press into an ungreased 9 x 13 pan. Spread melted morsels over mixture and refrigerate for 2 hours. After refrigeration, let stand at room temperature then cut into squares with sharp knife.

Receipe given to us by
 Clare Rudolph

SCATTERED THOUGHTS

Did You Know????

"Statistics show that at the age of seventy, there are five women to every man. Isn't tht the darndest time for a guy to get those odds?"

"Middle age is when it takes longer to rest than to get tired."

"By the time a man is wise enough to watch his step, he's too old to go anywhere."

"Middle age is when you have stopped growing at both ends, and have begun to grow in the middle."



**LOANS
&
DONATIONS**

Thanks to Eleanor Buerger for the loan of Bob's picture and memorabilia from WW II.

Also pictures and insignias are on loan from Patti from WW II and the Koren War.



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*Poet's
Corner*

SUCCESS

IF ONE ADVANCES CONFIDENTLY
 IN THE DIRECTION OF HIS DREAMS,
 AND ENDEAVORS TO LIVE THE LIFE
 WHICH HE HAS IMAGINED,
 HE WILL MEET WITH A SUCCESS
 UNEXPECTED IN COMMON HOURS.

Henry David Thoreau



YESTERDAY!



TODAY!



"The object of this Society shall be the discovery, preservation and dissemination of knowledge about the community of Wheeling."

Hope to see you on February 23, 6:30 p.m. at the Chamber Park Church.

Sincerely,

Lorraine Haben
President



*Message
From The
President*

Dear Members and Friends:

Time certainly does pass by in a hurry. We just had our wonderful Lollipop Lane and now its time to plan for our annual Pot-luck and Auction get together.

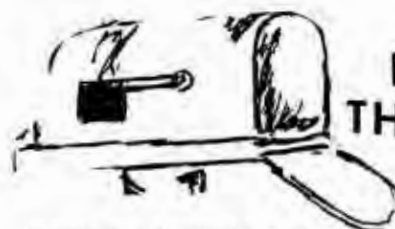
This will be held at our regular meeting February 23rd, 6:30 p.m. Good food and lots of laughs! Syke Horcher will again be our auctioneer. Remember Claire's rhubarb-strawberry jam, and the fun with a Pillsbury Doughboy plus all the other fun items.

Since this is our only fund raiser for the year, please bring good interesting items for the sale.

Wa-pa-getti's will cater the dinner. Invite your friends but reservations are a must. Dinner price will be reasonable. A letter is being sent out giving you all the details.

Please note, we will need items for our Time Capsule. If you have any pictures or items you would like to see included, please give them to Linda or myself.

There are several of the historical calendars available. Anyone wishing to purchase one They will be available at our next regular meeting.



**FROM
THE MAILBOX**

The following letter was sent in and we are asked to pass it on to you.

Jan. 2000

Dear Members:

It is truly a pleasure to do the cookie calling for Lollipop Lane each year. Your cordial response is most appreciated.

The cookies, I am sure, are baked with "butter and love" and in abundance! Our selling staff and those who sent donations share too in the success of this joyous time.

You are all so very generous, my sincere thanks to everyone.

Shirley Koeppen

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I DID HAVE THIS FOR DINNER THE OTHER EVENING AND IT IS GOOD!!

Cook's Kitchen

CHICKEN & BROCCOLI ALFREDO

PREP TIME: 10 MIN. COOK TIME: 15 MIN.

- | | |
|---|--|
| 6 oz. uncooked fettuccine* | 1 can (10 3/4 oz.) Campbell's® Condensed Cream of Mushroom Soup or 98% Fat Free Cream of Mushroom Soup |
| 1 cup fresh or frozen broccoli flowerets | 1/2 cup milk |
| 2 tbsp. butter or margarine | 1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese |
| 1 lb. skinless, boneless chicken breasts, cubed | 1/4 tsp. freshly ground pepper |

1. Prepare fettuccine according to package directions. Add broccoli for last 4 min. of cooking time. Drain.
2. In skillet over medium-high heat, heat butter. Add chicken and cook until browned, stirring often.
3. Add soup, milk, cheese, pepper and fettuccine mixture and cook through, stirring often. Serves 4.

*Substitute 8 oz. spaghetti for fettuccine.

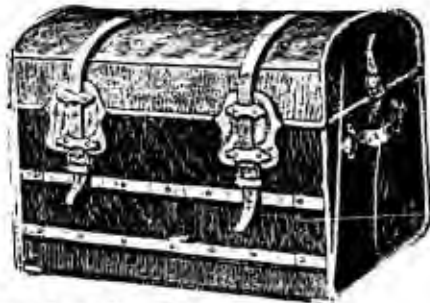


We would also like to add:

● Eleanor Buerger:

A huge thank you for putting together most of the reindeer food. The children really look forward to feeding the animals. With everyone's busy schedules during the holidays, we appreciate your taking the time to do this task.

The members



Artifacts

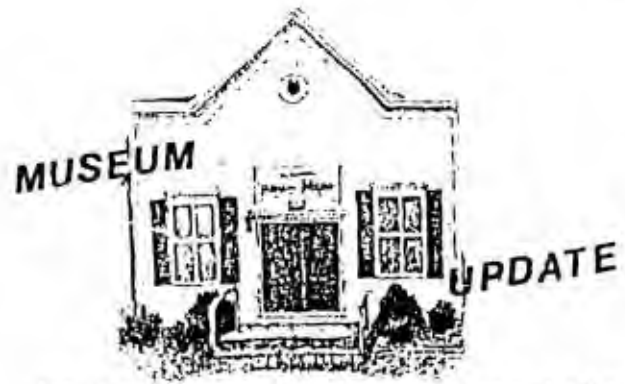
We would like to thank the following for artifacts we received this month.

● Black Brownie Box Camera and 1 Black Case w/lock received from Nancy Jansen.

2 Interior pictures of Hagerstrum Showroom and research correspondence received from Charlotte Dolgopol, Secretary for Ernst Hagerstrum for 20 years.

Pictures of Crane's homestead and dairy farm which were used in a video tape received from Lorraine Haben.

Please check your closets and drawers for old pictures, clothing, jewelry and items which are of interest and could be used in exhibits at the museum.



We have received numerous telephone calls seeking historical information on various subjects such as how was Schoenbeck Road named? If anyone has any answers, please let me know.

Dale Kimmery from the Village Newsletter came by for more pictures and information for his column "The Way We Were." Be sure to watch for them when you get the next newsletter. The last one had a picture of Palwaukee Airport.

Patti and I are still working at the museum on Thursdays from 9-12. Anyone wishing to help out, there is enough work for everyone.

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We are in the midst of changing the military display with mostly pictures and items from WWII. We will be cleaning and trying to get ready for the opening of the museum which is coming soon. There will be a sign up sheet at our meetings, please volunteer your time to sit on a Sunday from 2-4 p.m.

A thank you to Shirley McConnell for more information on Belpulsi Studio which did reside in Wheeling in the 1950's and to Wedge for assembling another storage shelf for the basement.

Linda Reading
Curator

Childerly Chapel

A BIT OF HISTORY

Childerley (meaning Children's Meadow) is a portion of what was a 600 acre farm on the banks of Buffalo Creek, bought by Frances Crane Lillie and her husband Dr. Frank R. Lillie, in 1907 with the intention of using the site as a vacation retreat for their family.

Both were biochemists with Doctorate degrees. Mrs. Lillie was the daughter of the millionaire founder of the Crane Plumbing Co. and an activist in social causes. She was a friend of Ellen Starr who, along with Jane Addams, who founded Hull House. Lillie and Starr picketed together during the garment workers strike in 1915 and almost together they converted to Catholicism. Mrs. Lillie soon began using the north farm as a home for widows and orphans of the Crane Plumbing Co. employees. There she build cottages and a school for the children.

The original chapel on Childerley Farm was a log cabin built around 1825 which Mrs. Lillie had moved from the south farm in 1910. In 1927, a small brick chapel was built and the wooden altar piece was moved into it from the log cabin. The nature-loving Lillies dedicated the new building as the "Chapel of St. Frances of the Orchard." The two buildings were connected by and old fashioned walled garden.

The library was added in 1940 and named for the English theological writer, Baro Friedrich Von Hugel, who had converted Frances to Catholicism in 1920.

In 1939, when Mrs. Lillie could no longer manage the Crane Fund and the estate, she pensioned the widows and children and sold 32 acres of the property to the Order of the Servants of Mary for the Addolorata Villa, a convalescent home for the elderly. All of the original cottages have been razed. Later that year, ten acres of the property were donated to the Calvert Club, a Catholic affaillate of the University of Chicago. The Club used the area as a retreat for Catholic students. There were two homes located on the property, St. Joan's House, formerly known as the Port House and St. Jerome's house which was used for vacations by the Lillie family. One house was used by the girls and the other by the boys when they were on retreat. This was when it was owned by the Calvert Club. Those buildings have also been demolished.

In 1977, the Calvert Club decided to sell the property and the 13 acres were purchased by the Wheeling Park District through a referendum.

The brick chapel was in need of restoration which became a project of the Wheeling Historical Society. When the work was completed in 1981, the chapel was rededicated as the Lorraine E. Lark Chapel in the Orchard in honor of the former Park Commissioner who spearheaded the drive to save Childerley from development and possible destruction.

Originally a Catholic chapel, it is now ecumenical. It holds a congregation of about 35 and is still used today for small weddings and other appropriate ceremonies.

Although the buildings and orchard are gone the Park District has converted this area into a beautiful park for both the young and old. I think Mrs. Lillie would be proud.





To Shirley McConnell who is recuperating at home, we miss you and hope to see you in the very near future.

To Willie Franta..Wishing you sunny smiles to warm your heart and happy thoughts to warm your day!

To all our Members who have been feeling under the weather lately. Hope you return to your old self, and put your worries on the shelf.

If you personally know of any member who is ill, PLEASE call Patti 537-1450 and let me know so we may try to cheer them up.



PORTRAITS FROM THE PAST

In August of 1985 Bob and Barb McIntyre, members of the Wheeling Historical Society, took on the challenging job of compiling an oral history of Wheeling.

"Wheeling Through the Years" was the result of their efforts and long hours of interviews and research.

Although Bob is no longer with us, Barb still resides in Wheeling and at this time, we would like to again say "Thank you" for preserving some of our early history. The work you and Bob have done has not been forgotten and given us new members who work at the museum, background to work from.



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NEWSLETTER

JANUARY 2000



Dear Members and Friends:

A Happy, Healthy New Year 2000, to all of you from your officers of our society. It seems so strange to be writing three zeros, but we'll get use to it.

I hope all of you had a wonderful holiday season. Lollipop Lane was a great way to start the festivities. We all sincerely thank Lonnie and Frank Schnaitmann and their loyal crew of helpers for again doing such a terrific job!!! To our sponsors also a big thank you.

hopes for the new year include new members, more participation from our other members, better newspaper coverage and staying healthy.

At the January 26th meeting, there will be a discussion of making a time capsule, what to put in it, and when to open it up. Think about it!

February 23rd will be our annual Pot Luck dinner and fun auction. Please mark you calendars and put your items away for the auction.

Looking forward to seeing you at our next meeting.

Sincerely,

Lorraine Haben
President



Several news reporters have been at the museum to gather informatin for their "Turn of the Century" articles. The Village newsletter will also be having a historical section in future issues. (Check out as the picture and information come from our museum).

I have been researching and providing information for those who request it.

Sent a report on the Belpusi Studio to the Chamber of Commerce. They had received a request about a piece of pottery (plate) with the marking of a "wreath on it and Wheeling Pottery Company." According to info

received, he was located in the "Sicks House". The Carriage House was once the Sick's barn. Anyone with more information about the Pottery Company, please let us know.

Patti and I will be changing two display cabinets this winter and will make ready to open again in the spring.

A sign up sheet will be present at the next 3 meetings and we are asking you to sign up to sit at the museum for two hours on a given Sunday. Please help!!!!

I would like to say thanks to everyone who helped keep the museum open while I couldn't be there. I really appreciate all the dedicated people who help with the museum.

We have received the Vision calendars for 2000 and will be on sale for \$5.00 each. (These calendars contain the picture we sent in from our Society) We are proud to be a part of it. I will bring them to the next meeting.

Linda Reading
Curator



IN THE HOSPITAL

We are sorry to hear Willie Franta has been in the hospital again. We hope by the time this is written she will be home and well again.

Happy to hear Shirley McConnell is home after her stay in hospital and rehab center. Get well Shirley and hope to see you in the near future.

If you know of anyone ill, please let us know so we can send a card. Call Patti at 537-1450.

Chevy Chase Country Club 1000 North Milwaukee Ave.



An "OPEN HOUSE" will be held at Chevy Chase Country Club on January 23, 2000 celebrating the reopening of the renovated club house and grounds. It is quite beautiful and if you can, be sure to attend. The Wheeling Park District has much to be proud of.

GRAND OPENING

Sunday, January 23, 2000

1-5 PM

Dedication Ceremony—2 PM



Cook's
Kitchen

10-Minute German Sweet Chocolate Cream Pie

- 1 package (4 oz.) BAKER'S® GERMAN'S® Sweet Chocolate
- 1/2 cup milk
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1 package (3 oz.) cream cheese, softened
- 1 container (8 oz.) BIRDS EYE® COOL WHIP® Non-Dairy Whipped Topping, thawed
- 8-inch graham cracker crumb crust

Heat chocolate and 2 tablespoons of the milk in saucepan over low heat, stirring until chocolate is melted. Beat sugar into cream cheese; add remaining milk and chocolate mixture and beat until smooth. Fold in whipped topping, blending until smooth. Spoon into crust. Freeze until firm, about 4 hours. Garnish with chocolate curls, if desired. Store any leftover pie in freezer.



Lollipop Lane

We would like to thank all of our members who helped to make Lollipop Lane a success. We had about 800 children this year. All were happy to see Santa and Mrs. Claus.

Thanks to all our Santas and Mrs. Claus'. Without you, none of this would have happened.

Also, thanks to Shirley Koeppen for her help calling all of our cookie bakers. Your cookies were excellent this year as always and were gone by the middle of the week.

Thanks to Bill Stasek Chevrolet for all the pictures Bob Statsek took this year and gave to each child and for coming to our need in the purchase and donation of a new beard and wig for Santa.

A special thanks to all our loyal sponsors who truly come to our aid every year to help make Lollipop Lane such a success it is.

This year we added a "Millennium" tree which was beautiful. Thanks again to all who made this possible.

Your Chairpersons,

Lonnie Schnaitmann
Frank Schnaitmann
Eleanor Buerger



PEACE

To be glad of life because it gives you
the chance to love and to work
and to play and to look up at the stars,

To be satisfied with your possessions
but not contented with yourself
until you have made the best of them,

To despise nothing in the world
except falsehood and meanness
and to fear nothing except cowardice,

To be governed by your admirations
rather than by your disgusts,

To covet nothing that is your neighbor's
except his kindness of heart
and gentleness of manners,

To think seldom of your enemies,
often of your friends . . .

These are little guide-posts
on the footpath to peace.

Henry van Dyke



TIME MARCHES ON..

Just a notice there are still some members who have not paid their 1999-2000 dues. As you know, the dues is now \$10.00/individual and \$15.00/couple. All dues is due in May of each year.

REMINDER \$ Dues is due.

This Week in Wheeling

LUCILE SCHNEIDER, Editor 1937 Phone 40

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Haben and Mr. and Mrs. Les. Hehrens, motored to Chicago last Saturday evening to join other relatives and friends in helping their uncle, Mr. John Haben, celebrate his 70th birthday. The spacious basement rooms and suitable music provided the setting for an enjoyable evening of square dances and old fashioned singing games. A delicious mid-night lunch was served and all present joined in wishing Mr. Haben away happy returns of the day.

Miss Augusta Banks of Chicago, visited with the Morrisons over the week-end.

Mr. Marshall Balling was the winner of the 5-tube Fada radio which was raffled off at the Ace's card party last Friday evening.

About eighty young people gathered at the school gym on Sunday evening for the monthly Fellowship meeting of North Shore Presbyterian churches. Churches included in the fellowship are Lake Forest, Highland Park, Decatur, Northbrook, Libertyville and Wheeling. The two hour program includes a devotional period, a study period and a fellowship period. Dr. R. Hartness of Lake Forest serves as dean of the fellowship and is assisted by the pastors of the other churches for the study periods.

The Childerley band presented their annual spring concert last Thursday evening. A pot-luck supper for the residents of Childerley preceded the concert. The band under the able leadership of Mr. Sears of Barrington, presented a very pleasing program. Duet numbers were played by Charles Deffenbaugh and James Sullivan, Helen Sullivan and Phyllis Klawczyk, Ruth Deffenbaugh and Ann Belle Reitz. A novelty number with Mr. Chas Watson making his debut as a impromptu band director, closed the program with a good laugh.

Mrs. E. Sigwalt and Miss J. Sigwalt, called on relatives here on Sunday. Miss Sigwalt, who teaches piano in Wheeling on Saturdays, told of being unexpectedly kept from her lessons this week-end, through the sudden death of a good friend on Friday evening, who collapsed at a club meeting passing away before a physician could be summoned.

A BIT OF HISTORY!



This writer would like to take time to wish all of our friends and members (wherever you are) and happy and healthy new year.

We really hope to hear from some of you out of state members. Send us a letter, picture so we can share them in our newsletter with all our members. Just make it to the attention of Patti.



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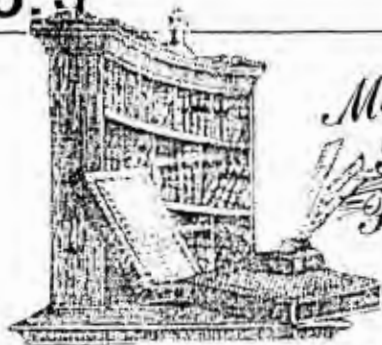
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HAPPY
Thanksgiving

No. 3

NEWSLETTER

Nov. 1999



*Message
From The
President*

Dear Members and Friends:

Another month has gone so quickly. Did you have many little "trick or treaters" come by your home? It was very quiet along McHenry Road this year.

Thanks to members Gary Cohen and Bill Spangenberg, we will finally have road signs so people will know where we are located. Wheeling Historical Museum will be printed on brown metal signs plus directional arrows and a picture or outline of the museum. This project is a gift from the Village of Wheeling. Signs will be at Wolf/Dundee, Wolf/Strong and Milwaukee/Strong. We have waited a long time for this to become a reality. Thanks very much fellows.

Plans for Lollipop Lane are coming along very well. Coloring books and lollipops have been ordered. Remember the dates are Saturday December 4th through Sunday December 12th. If you can help in any way, please call Lonnie 459-1788 (nights and weekends) or Lorraine 537-0654 (most any time.) Help will be much appreciated. Thanks to Shirley Koeppen who will be making the cookie calls again this year. Please be generous.

Again, set up time for Lollipop Lane starts November 29th, hours 7p.m. - 9 p.m. Please help if you can.

We will be hosting a Wassail Bowl get together the evening of December 4th at 8 p.m. at Lollipop Lane. It's a thank you for all the help the Society receives during the year.

Our "Show and Tell" program was very interesting. Claire Rudolph talked about and displayed, shoe making equipment. Lorraine displayed a Hair Wreath in a shadow box that was made by a Mrs. Emma Haben and her daughter in the early 1900's. Wedge Hancock displayed and told us about his "Depression Glass" collection. Many of us didn't know that there had been so many patterns and colors of depression. Most of the pieces today are quite valuable.

Because of Thanksgiving, our next meeting will be held Wednesday, November 17th at 7:30 p.m. We will be putting together bags of reindeer food for Lollipop Lane children...We need lots of hands, so come and join us.

Sincerely,

Lorraine Haben
President





As you all know, Linda's husband has had surgery and is recuperating. I will try to fill in for her museum update.

Since our last issue, a letter has been received from the State Historical Society stating one of the pictures we presented for their calendar has been chosen. At this time, we don't know which one as three were sent in. It will be in the new calendar coming out and extras can be ordered for about \$6.00. Anyone wanting one for Let us know if you would like one.

Wedge and I sat at the museum last Sunday (Halloween) and received seven visitors. It was a beautiful day and we hope the museum can remain open on Sundays from 2-4 p.m. on good days with your help. Let us know if you can sit.

Wedge, Dolly and I attended the Park Board meeting of November 5th. Dolly again requested a donation for Lollipop Lane and again the Park Board graciously agreed to help. We certainly thank them all for their support.

Some work will be done by maintenance staff of the park district on the museum building. Windows will be checked out and Linda requested some shelves be put up down in the office. Thanks guys!!

Since this is a short month, this will be a short newsletter. The next newsletter will be out in January as December we will be busy with Lollipop Lane.

Patti



Ron Reading is recuperating from surgery at home and Shirley McConnell had a very bad fall and is in Northwest Community Hospital.

We wish both of you a speedy recovery!!!!



Dear Folks

Again, an update on Chevy Chase. Took another tour through and work is really coming along. I cannot believe the changes and it is truly a place of elegance. There is an open house slated for January 23rd. If you get time, be sure to attend.

Patti

N.E.I.L has listed Lollipop Lane in their Nov/Dec. newsletter.

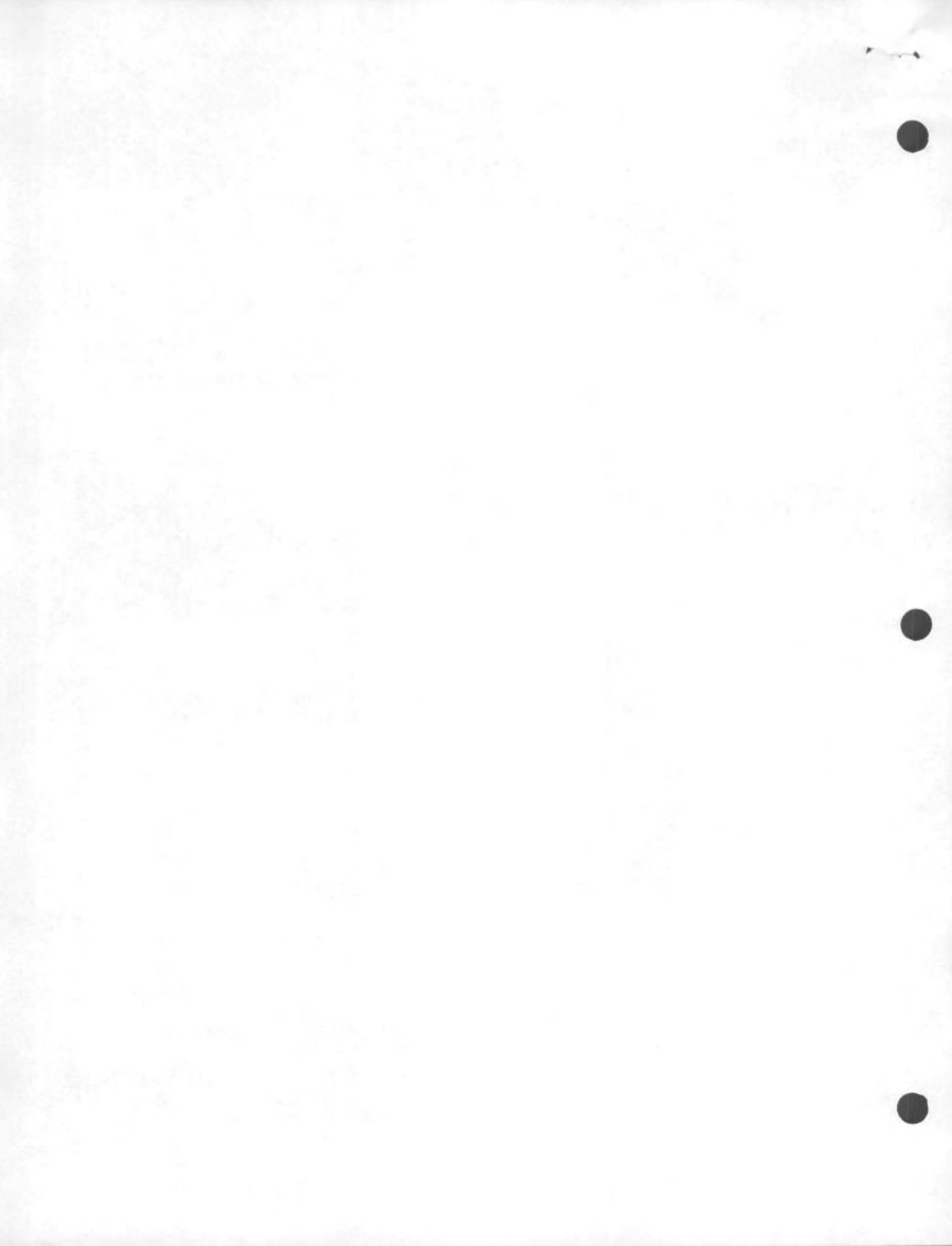
Their next general meeting is listed below. Anyone wanting more information, contact Lorraine Haben.

N.E.I.L GENERAL MEETING

November 13, 1999

9:00 a.m.

**Mitchell Museum of the American Indian
Kendall College
2600 Central Park Ave.
Evanston, Il.**





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NEWSLETTER

OCT. 99



Message From The President

Dear Members and Friends:

Have you all noticed Mother Natures' beautiful autumn leaf display? The foliage along East Dundee Road and through Potawatomi Woods is spectacular. The changing seasons are a wonderful time of the year - no matter what season (at least for me).

Time to think of new programs, events, and hopefully getting some new members for the Society.

At our September meeting, it was voted upon to raise our membership dues, Single \$5.00 to \$10.00/per year and Family \$8.00 to \$15.00/year. Since postage, paper, etc has increased so must dues. Our dues are very reasonable compared to other societies. One of the new members thought the dues were \$8.00/month.

Our Constitution and By-Laws have also been amended and approved. Copies are available at the regular meetings and will be sent upon request.

Lollipop Lane was discussed. It will be held December 4th through December 12th. This year Frank, Lonnie and Eleanor will be in charge. They make such a great job of this event.

If you know of any company, store or person who would like to be a sponsor, please let me know (847) 537-065 and I will contact them.

Mrs. Claus's cookie table always runs out of goodies by Thursday, maybe you out-of-towners could help us with a donation that could be baked into more cookies! Thank you all in advance for your cooperation in this wonderful event!

Show and Tell will be our program for the October 27th meeting, 7:30 p.m. at the Old Church. Please bring something you treasure and give a short talk about the item.

I hope to see a good turnout for the "Halloween" meeting.

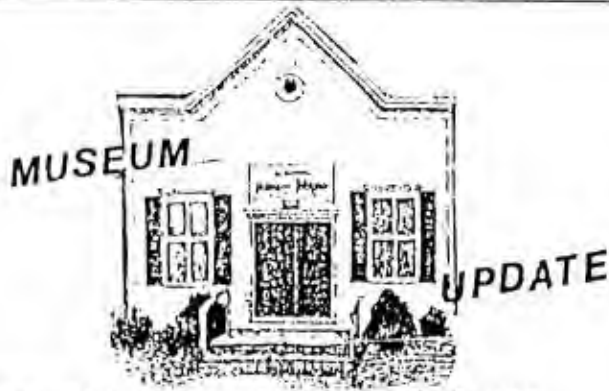
Sincerely,

Lorraine Haben
President



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W.H.S. Constitution



As you all know, Linda and I are at the museum on Thursdays trying to update various files, etc.

We have rearranged the office and work area are things seem to be falling in place.

This month, maintenance has replaced the floors in the bathrooms which really brighten them up. We hope to make them more in tune with the rest of the building.

Photographs are being taken of the changing Wheeling and placed in the files for future use.

I have spent time inventoring some new (old) artifacts received.

Many thanks for the artifacts loaned and donated this summer to our museum by our members and friends.....

Bill Spangenberg, Rudy Horcher, John A. Chartier, Linda Reading, Eleanor Buerger, Wedge and Patti, Wheeling Park District, (Chevy Chase memorabilia), Shirley Mc'onnell, Virginia Meier, Village of Wheeling, Officer Brian Jacobson and Gertrude Trunda.

Linda and I have changed one of the exhibits "An evening on the town" with an antique opera dress from Lorriane Haben, a box from Linda Reading and some old jewelry etc. from Patti. If you get a chance, come to the museum and check it out.

As always help is needed, if you have time on Thursday mornings, give us a call and come over.



Linda has been doing research for people who have called or written to us for information. At this writing, her husband Ron is being operated on. We all wish him the best and a speedy recovery.

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MEETINGS



IN THE HOSPITAL



A speedy recovery to Bill Simpson and Ron Reading. Both have gone through surgery this month and we are hoping you both will back feeling good soon.

FACTS:

The Declaration of Independence was written on hemp paper.

The strength of early lasers was measured in Gillettes, the number of blue razor blades a given beam could puncture.

Spiral staircases in medieval castles are running clockwise. This is because all knights used to be right-handed. When the intruding army would climb the stairs they would not be able to use their right hand which was holding the sword because of the difficulties in climbing the stairs.

Left-handed knights would have had no troubles except left-handed people could never become knights because it was assumed that they were descendants of the devil.

CHEVY CHASE COUNTRY CLUB

1998



Hello dear friends:

Just to let you know a few interesting things which happened this summer.

In August, Dolly, Wedge and I went on a tour of Chevy Chase which as you know, is being renovated. To anyone else, they would not know the big internal changes which are taking place. Having worked there for quite a few years, I can't believe the difference there will be. Although the ballroom will remain the same, drastic cleaning and repairs are being done. It will be a sight to behold. The more I see, the prouder I am of the residents of Wheeling in their efforts and voting for the referendum to pass.

I hope once the work is finished, there will be an open house for for all to see and enjoy. That building was there long before I was born and will be there for future generations to enjoy. Thank you Wheeling Park District and Board of Park Commissioners.

We also made a visitation to the DesPlaines Historical Museum. If anyone gets a chance, you should visit and find it quite unique. They do a great job.

Other than that the summer months have really flown by and here we are again enjoying fall.

See you at the meeting

Patti Hancock



Poet's
Corner



PEACE

To be glad of life because it gives you
the chance to love and to work
and to play and to look up at the stars.

To be satisfied with your possessions
but not contented with yourself
until you have made the best of them,

To despise nothing in the world
except falsehood and meanness
and to fear nothing except cowardice,

To be governed by your admirations
rather than by your disgusts,

To covet nothing that is your neighbor's
except his kindness of heart
and gentleness of manners,

To think seldom of your enemies,
often of your friends . . .

These are little guide-posts
on the footpath to peace,

Henry van Dyke



Cook's
Kitchen

zucchini cake

zucchini cake to help use up your extra vegetables. Garnish it with zucchini blossoms and sunflower seeds for special occasions.

Zucchini cake

Preparation time: 20 minutes
Cooking time: 30 minutes
Yield: 12-14 servings

- Butter or margarine for greasing pan
- 1 package (18 1/2 ounces) package moist Deluxe golden cake mix
 - 3 eggs
 - 1/2 cup (1 stick) butter or margarine, softened
 - 1/2 cup water
 - 1 1/2 teaspoons ground cinnamon
 - 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
 - 2 cups grated zucchini
 - 1/2 cup chopped walnuts
- Cream cheese frosting, recipe follows

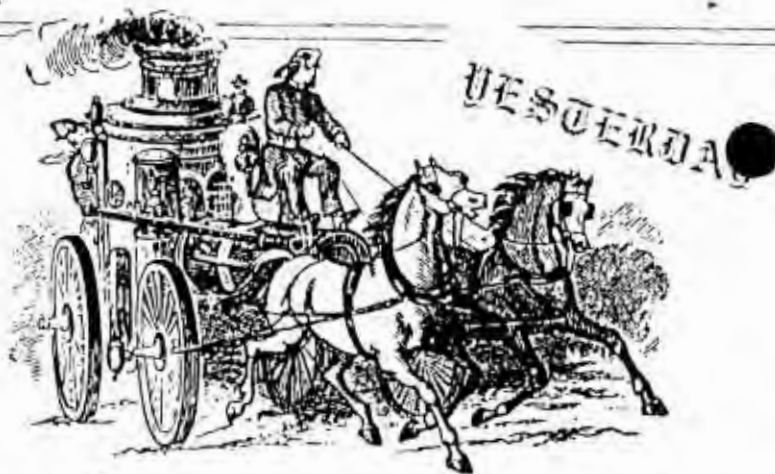
1. Heat oven to 375 degrees. Grease a 13- by 9- by 2-inch baking pan.
2. Directed direction on cake mix. Instead, combine cake mix, eggs, butter, water, cinnamon and vanilla in the large bowl of an electric mixer; heat on low speed 1 minutes. Stir in zucchini and walnuts. Pour into prepared pan.
3. Bake in 375-degree oven until a toothpick inserted in center comes out clean, 35 to 40 minutes. Cool and frost with cream cheese frosting (see recipe).

Cream cheese frosting: In an electric mixer or food processor fitted with the metal blade or in an electric mixer, combine 3 cups confectioners' sugar, 8 ounces softened cream cheese, 5 tablespoons softened butter or margarine and 1 teaspoon lemon extract; mix until smooth.

The receipt for today was given to us by CHARLE HULLOPE

She notes...she uses 1 teaspoon of vanilla instead of lemon.

Thanks Clayo




For those who haven't paid this years membership dues, (1999) this is a reminder. You can still renew at the old fee.

A notice will be enclosed with in this packet if our records indicate that you have not paid. If there is any questions call Balli at (847) 537-1450.



HAPPY

HALLOWEEN!



Wheeling Historical Society

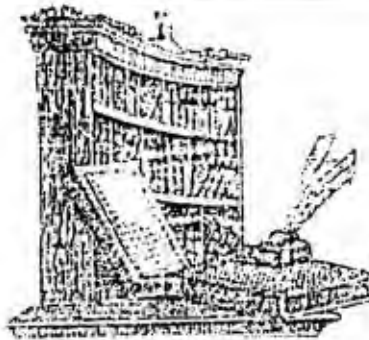
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NEWS LETTER

SEPT. 1999



Message From The President

Dear Members & Friends:

Where did the summer go? Lots of hot weather - not enough rain - great 4th of July Parade and fest. and now fall is here and we're ready for a great Society year.

The Society shared a float on 4th of July with the Pavillion Sr. Center for which we thank them very much. Too hot a day for being on a float but Linda and Lorraine were there singing and joking with the crowd. Many, many new faces, but it was fun!!!

Rudy and Barb Horcher have moved to 363 Greenview, Crystal Lake, Il. 60014 to be near family. We will miss them. Rudy was our Carriage House expert. Much happiness in your new home.

Welcome Jean Lowery to our Society family. She resides in Prospect Heights. We do need new members that can spend time with us. Volunteering a couple of hours every so often isn't a great deal to ask...membership is so reasonable.

Patti has graciously volunteered to keep on being our newsletter editor, but she needs news items to make it all work.

The board has reviewed and amended the constitution with minor changes. It will be presented to the membership at the next regular meeting on September 22 at 7:30 p.m. for your approval. We will also be talking about plans for this year 1999-2000. Boy, writing 2000 sure will be different. Hope to see many of you at the meeting.

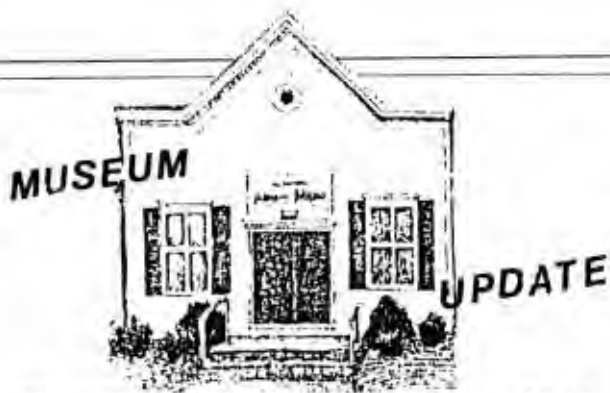
Lorraine Haben
President



Your new Board and Directors for the 1999-2000 year is as follows:

Lorraine Haben, President
Dolly Hein, Vice President
Secretary, Barb Forke
Treasurer, Elaine Simpson
Director, Frank Schnaitmann
Director, Eleanor Buerger
Director, Marilyn Chromy

Many thanks to those who have agreed to serve the Society this coming year..



We have had a busy summer this year. Patti, Lorraine and I have worked each Thursday still sorting, filing, doing various small jobs, doing research for those who request it and changing exhibits. There is always dusting and cleaning which needs attending. Volunteers are always needed.

We have received a \$40.00 donation from the Science & Arts Academy of DesPlaines and \$6.00 in donations from visitors and sold 1 cookbook.

I have sent to the Ill. Historical Society, 3 pictures for the Ill. Visions Calendar. Submitted were 1 organization (Masons) and 1 business (Horcher's) which have been a continuous operation for 100 years. Here's hoping we win!

I would like to thank everyone who helped keep the museum open for the summer months and who helped with the Passport Program....

Eleanor Buerger, Pat and Wedge Hancock, Lorraine Haben, Dolly Hein Shirley McConnell, Clara Rudolph, Frank and Lonnie Schniatmann, Elaine Simpson and Gertrude Trunda.

We are still looking for volunteers to give 2 hours of their time on Sundays in the future months. Please contact me by phone 520-0125 or at the coming meeting.



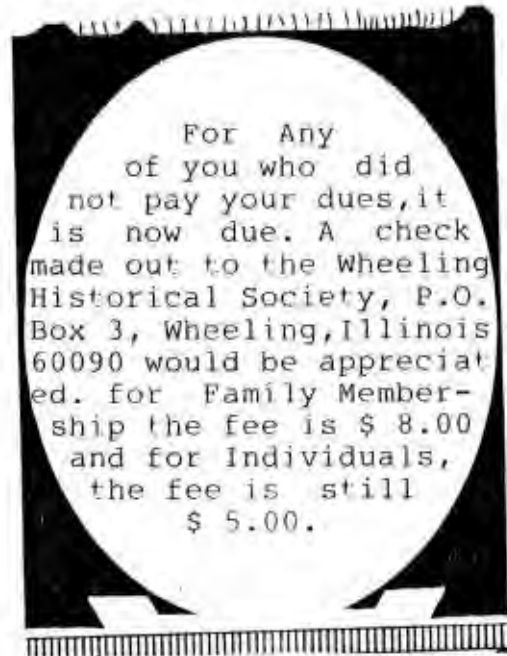
Linda Reading

FOR KIDS !!

In the Passport Program, we had 40 children and 8 adults participate and visit the Museum and Carriage House.



We are happy to hear that Margaret Forke, Syke Horcher, Vern Nystrom, Irene Dattilo, Don Allison and Mabel Becker are all recovering from their various ailments. Please call Patti 537-1450 if you know of any member who is ill...can't send cards if we don't know!!!



YESTERDAY

GOODYEAR BLIMP was hoisted at Palwaukee Airport during the Century of Progress Exposition in 1933-34. Crew members made their homes in Wheeling.



TODAY

On August 21, 1999 the GOODYEAR BLIMP was tethered at the north end of Palwaukee Airport.





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NEWSLETTER

May/ Jun 99



Message From The President

Dear Members & Friends:

Time to say have a safe and wonderful summer whatever you do.

My first year as your President, has been a busy and successful one. I thank all of you who helped make it a very good learning experience.

Together, we accomplished much. Museum looks brand new, with new exhibits. Our Curator has more room in the newly redone basement for work space...

Lollipop Lane was again a big success. The auction was fun and the installation of Officers was just great. Our dinner was excellent and the entertainment got all of us involved in singing with lots of laughs and conversation. It was great seeing our Park Commissioners present and we hope, enjoying themselves.

Linda and I will be at the Rec Center on the 4th of July passing out Society information, hoping to get some new members. If anyone would like to help, give one of us a call.

Remember, our Museum and Carriage House will be open every Sunday during the summer months. If you haven't signed up to volunteer on a Sunday as yet, please do so. We always like to have two people working together.

We welcome Bill Spangenberg (Village Trustee) and his family as new members into the Society. Hopefully we can get several new members during the summer months. Also our 1999-2000 dues are due at any time..Single Membership \$5.00 and Family Membership \$8.00. Please send dues to Wheeling Historical Society, Box 3, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

I can't sign off without a thousand thanks to our Park District Commissioners and staff and all the great people who helped us so very much during the past year.

Sincerely,

Lorraine Haben
President



THINKING OF YOU

Wille Franta
Barb McIntyre
Mabel Becker
Irene and Sam Dattilo

How often you're thought of
you'll never know
So this little message
is here to show
You're remembered more often
than you'd ever guess
With lots of good wishes
from all of us.

Our condolences to the family of Melvin Becker who passed away recently.

MUSEUM



UPDATE

Pat and I are organizing the office and the library to make room for more cabinets and the computer system. Wedge hung a pegboard over the work bench for tools.

Pat West came in looking for info on Emil Sigwalt and has been listening to cassette tapes of oral history and cataloging the subjects on various tapes.

We are submitting three old pictures to the Il. State Historical Society for possible use in their upcoming calendar. They will pick 12 out from all they receive.

Any businesses or organizations that have been in continuous operation for 100 years or more, the Il. State Historical Society wants to know about so they can be honored this year at the Annual Centennial Business Banquet on October 1 at the Palmer House in Chicago. I am submitting Horchers Farms and Wheeling's Masonic Lodge. If you know of any others, please let me know.

We have completed and sent a survey on our organization to American Assoc. for State and Local History for their 15th edition of their reference publication



PASSPORT PROGRAM FOR KIDS !!

The books have finally come in and will be handed out by both the park district and the museum. Everything is ready. I have given a kick-off class at the Park District June 6th. Volunteers just stamp the booklets when the children come in and hand out their questions, the same as it has been done in the past. We hope there will be many participants.

Linda Reading

LOANS

&

DONATIONS



Thank You!!!

Rudy Horcher..Aerial pictures of Palwaukee and Chicagoland Airport. Pictures of him and his brothers at his wedding reception, basement of AmVets 1950's. Two lanterns (1 farm and 1 train) 1 pr. ice tongs 1 sye.

Ron Reading..Baseball hats (John Deer, Kane County Cougars. Sox.

Bev Rossmann..Pictures of outside of 94th Aero Squadron.

Pat & Wedge..Pictures of Annual Dinner at the Aero Squadron.

Wheeling Hist. Society..Purchase one hand operated bottle caper with bag of caps.

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SUMMER CALENDAR

There will be no regular meetings which are normally held the third Wednesday of the month, during the months of July and August but the June Board meeting will be held the 23rd. Board Meetings will still take place.

Anyone is welcome to attend. They will be held in the basement of the museum on the third Wednesday of the month at 7:30 p.m.

June 23, 1999
July 21, 1999
August 18, 1999

Join Us!

*Patti's
Notes*



Dear Members:

A few words from your former Secretary but still your newsletter writer (such as it is). We hope this last year we have kept you well informed (especially those of you out of state), of what has been happening with our society and members. We will continue the newsletter but would also like input from you as well.

This past year has been an exciting one and many changes have been made. Things are picking up with hopes of much more in the future. If any of you that haven't seen the museum lately, we sure wish you would come and take a look.

Your new board for 1999-2000 is as follows:

President..Lorraine Haben
Vice President..Dolly Hein
Secretary..Barb Forke
Treasurer..Elaine Simpson
Director..Frank Schnaitmann
Director..Eleanor Buerger
Director..Marilyn Chromy

Curator..Linda Reading
Assistant Curator
(Carriage House)..Rudy Horcher
Historian..Betty Barrie
Newsletter..Patti Hancock

Committees Chairpersons will be appointed at a later time.

I too, wish you a happy and safe summer.

Patti Hancock

TOURS

May 17th, the 2nd and 3rd graders from Mark Twain, Gerri Hunt's class visited the museum and carriage house. May 20th Holmes 6th graders, Mrs. Lopez's class walked down to visit us and everyone enjoyed their visit. An interpreter was with to help the Spanish speaking children.

Thanks to everyong that halped with the tours so we could have both the museum and carriage house open.

N.E.I.L

The N.E.I.L meeting was held May 8th at 9:00 a.m. at Chamber Center. Seven members were there and there were 25 NEIL members from other historical societies present. Presentations were given on "Websites, PR and Publicity by three speakers. Food was donated by Lorraine, Linda Patti, Shirley, Elaine, Dolly and Cheri. Many compliments were received.

Linda, Lorraine and Patti decorated Wedge and Rudy maned the Carriage House and Linda the Museum.

Clean up crew. Shirley, Patti, Lorraine and Wedge. Thanks All!!!

MOTHER'S DAY

On Mother's Day we were suppose to be closed but Linda and I opened the Museum. It was a beautiful day and 22 visitors came. (We couldn't believe it.) This made it really rewarding.



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W.H.S. Constitution

HELP WANTED

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YOUR HELP WILL BE NEEDED AT THE MUSEUM ON SUNDAYS FROM 2:00 TO 4:00 P.M. STARTING IN MAY.

PLEASE CALL LINDA READING AT 520-0125.

VOLUNTEERS

JUNE

20th. Barb and Margaret Forke
27th. Elaine Simpson, Clare Rudolph

JULY

4TH .CLOSED
11th. Eleanor Buerger, Shirley McConnell
18th. Rudy and Barb Horcher
25th. Marilyn Chromy, Lorraine Haben

AUGUST

1st.
8th. Gertrude Trunda,
15th.
22nd. Pat and Wedge Hancock
29th.

IF you can volunteer on any open date please call me or Patti.

Did You Know??

- A duck's quack does not echo and no one knows why.
- Cost of raising a medium size dog to age of 11 : \$6400.
- # of people airborne over US at any given time : 61,000.
- % of American's who have visited Disneyland/World : 70%.
- Intelligent people have more copper and zinc in their hair.
- The youngest pope was 11 years old.
- Iceland consumes more Coca Cola per capita than any other country.



PEACE



To be glad of life because it gives you the chance to love and to work and to play and to look up at the stars.

To be satisfied with your possessions but not contented with yourself until you have made the best of them,

To despise nothing in the world except falsehood and meanness and to fear nothing except cowardice,

To be governed by your admirations rather than by your disgusts,

To covet nothing that is your neighbor's except his kindness of heart and gentleness of manners,

To think seldom of your enemies, often of your friends . . .

These are little guide-posts on the footpath to peace.

Henry van Dyke



Cook's Kitchen

Boston Corn Cake

- 1 cup flour
- 1/2 cup cornmeal
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 egg, well beaten
- 1 cup milk
- 3 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 tablespoon melted butter

Combine and sift the dry ingredients. Add the other ingredients and bake in a shallow buttered pan in a hot oven (420° F.) about 20 minutes.

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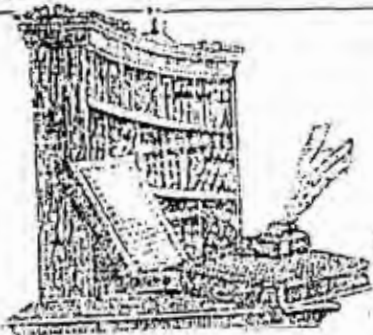
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NO. 7

NEWSLETTER

APRIL 99



Message From The President

Happy Springtime. These months certainly go by swiftly and we're all getting younger!

The April 28th meeting will be election time. Members nominated are:

- Vice President..Dolly Hein
- Secretary..Barbara Forke
- Treasurer..Elaine Simpson
- Director...Eleanor Buerger
- Director...Marilyn Chromy

Nominations from the floor will also be taken. Come and help elect our new officers who will be working with and helping me.

Our sincere thanks to Linda (volunteer Curator) for all her many hours of work coordinating the refurbishing of our museum. It looks wonderful--Come and pay a visit.

Our Historical Society is hosting the May 8th N.E.IL (Northeastern Illinois Historical Council) meeting from 9:00 a.m. to noon at the Community Center in Chamber Park. The program for the day is "Public Relations and Websites"

We'll greet visitors at the church for coffee, etc; followed by the program.

Later there will be open house at the Museum and Carriage House. Volunteers and help will be needed. Please plan to attend It's our first time for this kind of meeting.

Respectfully,

Lorraine Haben
President

VOTE!

SCATTERED THOUGHTS

Former Wheelingites heard from this month:

- Roger Rothenbach from Midway Ark.
- Dorothy Schultz Woods from Glendale Arizona

Hey all you members out there...

We let you know what is going on with us, it would be nice to hear from you and what you are up to.



SPRING IS HERE

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

BOARD MEETING
Wed..April 21,
7:00 p.m.
Museum

REGULAR MEETING
Wed..April 28
7:30 P.M.
Chamber Center

N.E.IL MTG.
Sat..May 8
9 am -12 Noon
Chamber Ctr.

MUSEUM OPEN
Starting May
Thurs.9-12 noon
Sun..2-4 p.m.



Lorraine and Linda finished a report for Frank Yang, an architect from Indiana wanting to know a gradual progression of the triangle/ Milwaukee Avenue, Dundee and N. Wolf Roads. Done

Martin Bartel requested information on the Villa Venice Restaurant in the 60's. Done

Jim Miller (an Environmental Consultant) wanted info on the old Utpadel homestead on Dundee and 1st St.

Roberta Miller requested info on AnnMarie Donner born 1857 in Wheeling. Father was Mathias Donner. If anyone has any info please let me know 537-0125

We are now working on getting things back in order, cleaning, dusting, washing and putting back in place. A thank you to Lorraine, Marilyn, Elaine and Shirley for helping.

This summer, we will again participate in the Passport to Adventure Program and will need help keeping the museum open on Sundays 2-4 p.m.

July we are intending to participate in the 4th of July parade as in the past. Members will be asked to help with a float.

Linda Reading
Curator



Strawberry Walnut

Salad

Cook's
Kitchen

1 red onion, sliced thin
2 pints strawberries, cut in quarters
1 14 1/2-oz. can Mandarin oranges, drained
1 head iceberg lettuce, chopped
1/4 red cabbage, cut julienne
1 bag spinach, washed and chopped
2 T walnut halves

Honey Poppy Seed Dressing (can also be purchased)

1/4 C white rice vinegar
2 T safflower oil
3 T honey
1/2 tsp. poppy seeds
1/8 tsp. freshly ground black pepper,
or to taste

In a small bowl, whisk together all dressing ingredients. Taste; adjust seasonings. Whisk or shake dressing before serving. Dressing will keep for one week in a tightly closed container in the refrigerator. Combine lettuce, cabbage and spinach. Place chopped greens in center of each salad plate. Place strawberries opposite each other around greens. Do the same with Mandarin oranges on opposite side. Slice red onion thinly over all. Center with walnut halves. Drizzle with Honey Poppy Seed Dressing. Serves 4.



A woman wanted to go ice fishing. She'd seen many books on the subject and finally after getting all the "tools" together, she made for the nearest frozen lake. After positioning her footstool, she started to make a circular cut in the ice. Suddenly from above.. a voice boomed. "THERE ARE NO FISH UNDER THE ICE!"

Startled, the woman moved further down the ice, poured a of coffee and began to cut another hole. Again, from the heavens, the voice bellowed, "THERE ARE NO FISH UNDER THE ICE!"

The woman, now quite worried, moved way down to the opposite end of the ice, set up her stool, and tried again to cut her hole. The voice came once more. "THERE ARE NO FISH UNDER THE ICE!" She stopped, looked upward, and said "Is that you, Lord?" The voice replied, "No, this is the Manager of the ice rink!"

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DID YOU KNOW ???

Coke Cola was originally green?

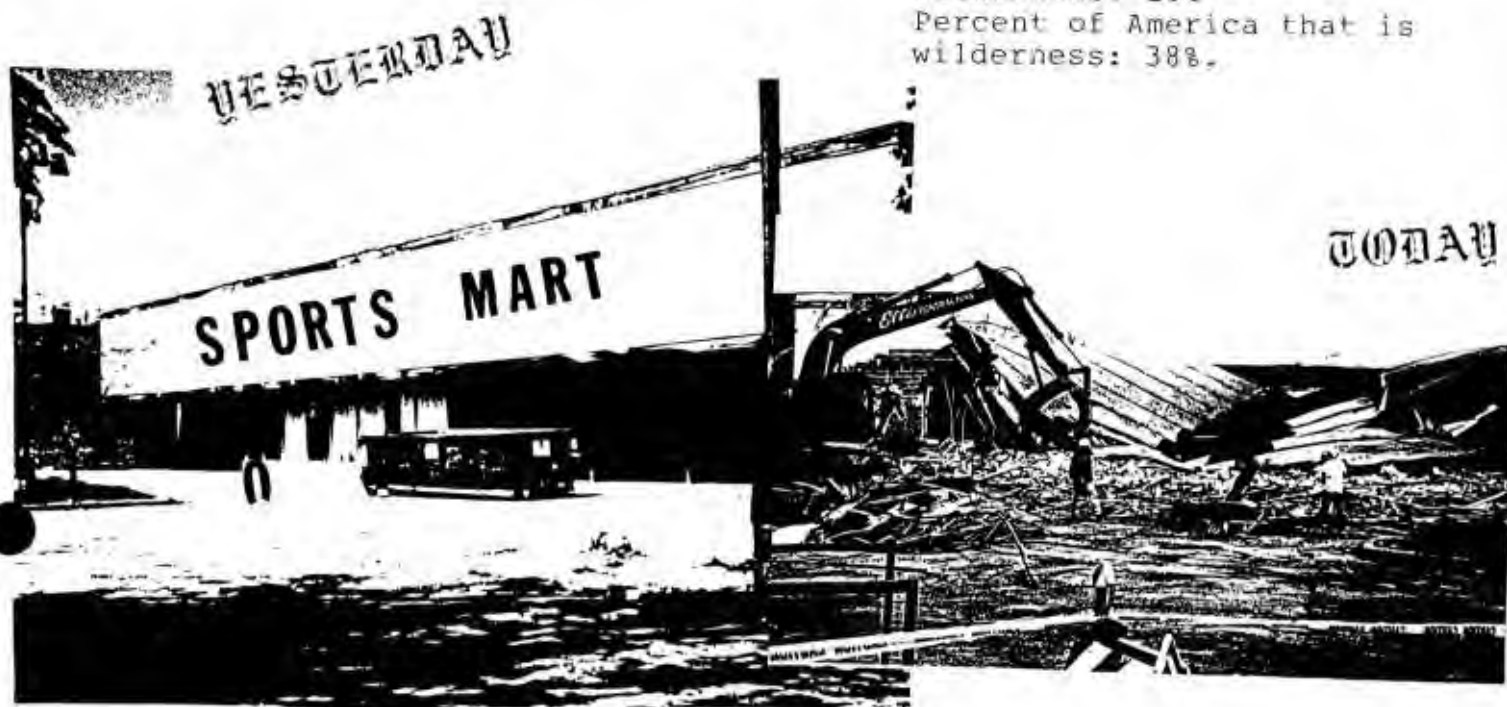
The amount American Airlines saved in 1987 by eliminating one olive from each salad served first class was...\$40,000.

City with most Rolls Royce's per capita: Hong Kong.

State with highest percent of people who walk to work... Alaska.

Percent of Africa that is wilderness: 28%

Percent of America that is wilderness: 38%.





Dear Members and Friends

Well, here we are coming to the end of the Society's fiscal year. There will soon be the election of new officers for the year 1999-2000. Be sure to try and attend the April meeting.

Something to look forward to soon is the final touches to the renovation of the museum, which will make it a pleasure to work in the basement. The Park District has done an excellent job of remodeling. We cannot thank them enough. There will be help needed to bring back the artifacts from the Carriage House which will be stored on shelves in the basement. Time to sort through the artifacts and make sure everything is cataloged.

In May, we will hold our annual dinner and installation of officers. Information is not yet available but we will let you know as soon as we can. This year we cannot use Chevy Chase as it is under construction. There will be no regular meetings in June, July and August but your Board Members will still meet the third Wednesday of the month to keep abreast of what is happening and will keep you informed through our newsletter.

Also in May, we will be hosting the N.E.I.L meeting at our Community Center, (the church) and help will be needed for serving and working in the museum. We hope all members living in the area will be present to help with this endeavor.



We hear Wille is in the hospital again. Sure hope you are feeling better and are home again Wille. We miss seeing you at our meetings.

Again, if you know of anyone ill, please let us know so a get well card can be sent. It makes one feel so much better when they know someone is thinking of them. Believe me I know..thanks to all for your get well blessings.

Patti Hancock



LOANS & DONATIONS

A donation of a computer system has been donated to the museum by Jim and Gerri Hunt. As soon as the basement is complete, they will set up the system. Thanks, thanks, thanks.



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FEBRUARY

MARCH

No. 516

NEWSLETTER

1999



Message From The President

Dear Members,

I apologize that due to circumstances beyond our control, no February issue of our newsletter was sent out.

Our annual buffet and auction were a huge success. About 56 people enjoyed a wonderful dinner catered by Wa-pa-gettes. Several members provided salads and desserts. No one went home hungry.

Syke Horcher again did a great job as Auctioner, also joke teller.

We auctioned quite a few items from the Columbian Gardens, Bon Aire and Chevy Chase (all the same place), china, silver coffee servers, armor and things from a Pillsbury Dough-boy to a funeral urn. Lively bidding made for a jolly time. A big thanks to one and all who made this evening so much fun. A Special thanks to Lonnie Schnaitmann and her committee.

A Nominating Committee was appointed and it is hoped names will be presented for the offices of Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and Directors at our March meeting. If anyone has suggestions, please call one of the committee members. Thanking you in advance.....

Lorraine Haben
President



UPDATE

The park district has installed a new fire and burglary alarm system in the museum and will also include the carriage house and community center.

They are also rebuilding the staircase in the museum and we will no longer have to duck our heads under the beam. Jim (park carpenter) has done a great job on the walls in the other area of the basement, which will make for a much better working area. He has put in a drop ceiling with fluorescent lighting. Quite an improvement.

N.E.I.L 1999 SPRING WORKSHOP
Saturday, March 20, 1999
9:00 am. - 1:30 pm.

Photography & Costume Dating
Oakton Community College
1600 E. Golf Road, Des Plaines, IL.

Anyone interested in attending the coming N.E.I.L workshop, contact Linda Reading. The fee is \$20.00.

NAMES in the NEWS

A Special Thanks to:

Gary Cohen, who helped move a blown up map of the town to the carriage house.

Lorraine Haben for helping on the Yang project.

Jim, Steve and the rest of the parks maintenance crew for all the hard work on our basement & staircase.

Wedge Hancock for touch-up work on one of the display cases and redoing one of the picture frames which was under water.

Lorraine Haben for washing all of the Mrs. Claus outfits and aprons.



If you know of anyone who is ill or in the hospital, please let us know so we can send a card and let them know we are thinking of them.

Please call Patti at 537-1450.



FOR KIDS !!

PASSPORT PROGRAM

We will again participate in the Passport program. This year it will be through the park district. They are in support of this program for children and will take an active part this year by letting the children in their camp programs be aware of the program and the museums in the area.

For all of you who were not around Lollipop Lane was a huge success. About 750 children plus parents were in attendance. With the help of our donors of monies, colors, marking pens, etc; everything went off well. Also 49 cook books and home made cookies (which were donated) were sold. Again thanks to Lonnie and her committee for a job well done.

The museum was open the last weekend of Lollipop Lane. Thanks to Lorraine Haben and Linda Reading for the decorating they did. There were a few visitors as this is the first time it's been open in a while but we are hoping next year more visitors will check it out.

LOANS & DONATIONS



Pictures or past locations of the library were received from Chris Reading, Head of the Outreach Dept. of Indian Trails Library.

A microwave oven was donated by Gerri Hunt and her husband for use at the museum.

A generator fan received from Rudy Horcher.

More artifacts received from Chevy Chase (through the park district).

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Help is still needed at the museums on Thursday mornings from 9:00 - 12 noon.

Inventory labeling is an ongoing activity. Anyone wishing to give a helping hand, just let us know.



COMING EVENTS

Board Meeting
March 18, 1999
7:00 pm.

Regular Meeting
March 25, 1999
7:30 p.m.

Please try to attend the coming meetings when candidates for officers will be presented and voted on.



Chatter

We are in need of drycleaning bags for the cloths stored in the closet.



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Cook's Kitchen

APPLE CRISP Given by Cheri Klumpp

Sweet w/tart apples make the best.

- 6 or 8 20 oz. apples peeled & sliced
- 1 tbsp. lemon juice
- 3/4 c. flour
- 3/4 c. brown sugar
- 1/4 tsp. salt
- 3/4 tsp. cinnamon
- 6 tbsp. butter or marg.

Heat oven to 375°. Place apples in oblong baking dish. Sprinkle with lemon juice. Combine flour, sugar, salt, cinnamon, and butter. With fingers work together until coarse crumbs are formed. Sprinkle over apples. Bake 30 minutes or until crumbs are lightly browned. Serve with ice cream. (I sometimes double crumb recipe depending on size of apples.)



ESSENCE OF STYLE. The large top shelf and ornate design indicate that this stove was made on the East Coast.

WESTERN

for the whole family. These Cast-iron stoves were most popular in the West and Midwest, but other styles were...

30" SEALED-BURNER GAS RANGE

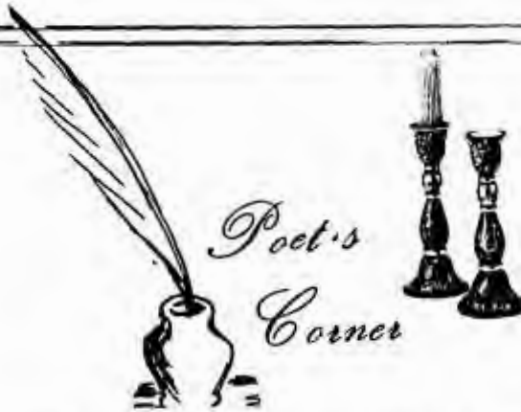
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GENEROSITY



A song we sing. We cannot know
 How far the sound of it will go,
 How long its echo will be heard.
 We can but pray that every word,
 Each note in this, the song we sing,
 Will find its resting place and bring

Some little measure of repose,
 Some strength, some happiness to those
 Who hear our song. If just one smiles
 To hear its echo down the miles,
 Then we should be content and know
 Our song was meant—God willed it so.

Helen Lowrie Marshall

A note of thank you to Linda Reading for providing most of the information appearing in this newsletter.

Patti Hancock



A MAN FELL off a cliff, but managed to grab a tree limb on the way down. The following conversation ensued:

"Is anyone up there?"

"I am here. I am the Lord. Do you believe in me?"

"Yes, Lord, I believe. I really believe, but I can't hang on much longer."

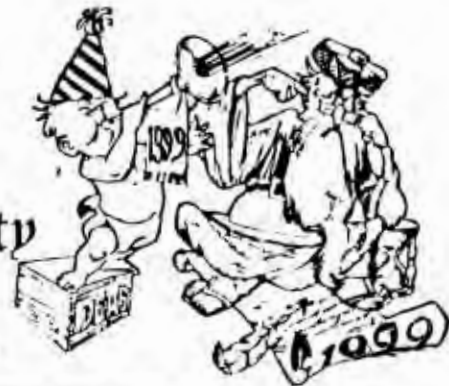
"That's all right, if you really believe you have nothing to worry about. I will save you. Just let go of the branch."

A moment of pause, then: "Is anyone else up there?"

HAPPY
 ST. PATTY'S
 DAY



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No.4

NEWSLETTER

JAN. 1999



Message From The President

Dear Members,

HAPPY, HEALTHY NEW YEAR to you all
from your Historical Society officers.

First of all, I want to very sincerely
thank the committee and all the volun-
teers for making our 1998 Lollipop Lane
such a wonderful success. Too bad we
didn't have a little of the January
snow.

Year 1999- a new year for us all to try
making our society better than ever.
We can if we all work together. Don't
be afraid of presenting any new ideas
to one or any board members. We'll
listen and then discuss the idea.

Every year I (as a neighbor) hang a
wreath on the door of the Childerley
Chapel. This year there is a new
addition on the front porch. A lovely
stone bench in memory of Sharon Lyn
Fisher (Lisitza) from her cousins.

Welcome back to former member (curator)
Sandy Altieri Weinstock. She lives in
Florida but is still very interested
whatever goes on in our society.

Our next meeting will be held January
27th at 7:30 p.m. Hope to see many of
you there.

Respectfully,

Lorraine Haben
President



UPDATE

Thanks to Linda and Lorraine for
their efforts for putting up a lovely
tree, decorating the museum and
fixing the displays for the holidays.
If you didn't stop in and see it,
try again next year. Linda was pleased
with the attendance but we are hoping
for a larger crowd next year.

Park staff is now working in the
basement of the museum. Jim is working
on the walls at this time but there
is much work to be done. Already it
is looking better and we are looking
forward to working in the remodeled
area.



Help is still needed
on Thursdays from 9:00-
noon. Come in help,
and have a cup of coffee
with us.



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N.E.I.L

N.E.I.L Meeting- Saturday
January 9, 1999.

Program: Security for Museums



**SICK
LIST**

I've just received word that Irene, Willie, Clare and Rudy have been under the weather during the holidays. Hope by this time, everyone is doing well. Also get well Lorraine.



If you know of anyone who is ill or in the hospital, please let us know so we can send a card and let them know we are thinking of them.

Please call Patti at 537-1450.



LOLLIPOP

LANE

Hi Folks:

Let's start the year off with a HO HO,HO and a HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Well, the trees are down, the toys are put away and Santa and Mrs.Claus have gone north. Lollipop Lane is over for another year.

It was a very busy time for us and just thank you is not enough for all the help the members gave.

Thank you to our supporters:

Don Roth Restaurants
AMVETS Post #66
Joe's Pizzeria, Inc.
Corus Bank
Kolssak Funeral Home
Wheeling Park District
Mr. Patrick Horcher

Thank you to Mr. Bill Stasek of Stasek Chevrollet for taking pictures of the children with Santa and giving them to the families at no charge.

Thank you Mr. Carl Fabeszak for the crayons and markers donated, which were given to the children along with the coloring books and raindeer food.

A special thanks to the Wheeling Park District who always gives us not only financial support, but without the help of their maintenance staff, Lollipop Lane would not be the success it is.

Thanks to all the ladies who baked and sold cookies and to Shirley Koeppen for making the calls.

Thanks to our Santa's and Mrs. Claus's for jobs well done and to Eleanor for making most of the Raindeer food.

Most of all thanks to Lonnie and Frank for putting their hearts and souls into this event.

We had approximately seven hundred happy children along with their parents visit us this year.

I commend you all

Patti



COMING EVENTS

JAN 20th..Board Meeting
JAN 27th..General Meeting

FEB.17th..Board Meeting
FEB.24th..Pot Luck Dinner
@ White Elephant
Sale

Start thinking about the February Pot Luck Dinner and White Elephant Sale. Start saving those items you never use, or the presents you didn't need. Someone else might put them to good use. Price of the dinner will be discussed at the January meeting.



LOANS

&

DONATIONS

Wedge and I were called to pick up more artificates from Chevy Chase. In renovating the Gable Bar, bottles and memorabilia were found in the old dumb waiter at the south end of the building.

The society has received a donation of \$100.00 for research Linda had done for a local builder.



GOD IS LIKE...

God is like Coke - He's the real thing.

God is like Pan Am - He makes the going great.

God is like General Electric - He lights your path.

God is like Bayer Aspirin - He works wonders.

God is like Hallmark Cards - He cares enough to send the very best.

God is like Tide - He gets the stains out that others leave behind.

God is like VO Hair Spray - He holds through all kinds of weather.

God is like Dial Soap - Aren't you glad you know Him? Don't you wish everyone did?

God is like Sears - He has everything.

God is like Alka-Seltzer - Try Him, you'll like Him.

God is like Scotch tape - You can't see Him but you know He's there.

-Earnwell (S.C.) People - Sentinel

Dear Friends

I am mailing this newsletter early this month as I may be away in the near future. Hoping next month to be back to normal.

Patti.

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No. 3

NEWSLETTER

Nov. 98

*Message
From The
President*

Wheeling
Historical
Society



Dear Members and Friends:

Seems like just yesterday that I was writing to you about Halloween, now it's Thanksgiving and then Lollipop Lane.

Our November meeting will be held a week earlier-November 18th at 7:00 p.m., due to Thanksgiving. Our project and program for the evening will be putting together "Raindeer Food" for the children coming to visit Lollipop Lane.

Lollipop Lane will be open Dec 5th through Dec. 13th beginning with our parade. Hours are weekends 2-5 p.m. and weekdays 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Set up evenings will be November 30th through December 4th. Last year it only took three days to set up. All help is greatly appreciated. Please call Lonnie (evenings) at 459-1788 to volunteer. Shirley Koeppen or Irene Dattilo will be calling to remind you to



bake cookies for our Lollipop cookie sale. Please be generous as the cookie plates are usually sold out by Wednesday. Lollipop Lane 1998 will be dedicated to the memory of Robert (Bob) Buerger.

There will be no December newsletter or meeting due to all the above activities.

Now for some sad news. Jack and Corrine Thompson and her mother have all died this past year. We had wondered why we couldn't reach them. They had moved to Richmond, IL. Last week we received a call from Jack's sister with the sad news. Jack and Corrine were instrumental in us getting the Carriage House. They donated a carriage to the society and we had to have a place to keep it. Another sad bit of news, Anna Bakker and Henrietta Swierenga's brother Garret has also passed away last year. May they all rest in peace.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all of you - near and far - a wonderful and healthy Holiday Season.

Respectfully your President

Lorraine Haben



On Friday, October 30th at 12:45 p.m. Girl Scout Troop #444 from Mark Twain School toured the museum. Troop leader Randa Foltyn had thirteen girls with her and I took pictures of the girls in the School corner of the museum doing various hands on activities.

The troop later sent on to the Wheeling Cemetery to do grave stone rubbings and to look up relatives of some of the girls. They were working on a Local Community badge.

Boy Scouts of America Pack #247 from Eugene Field School also visited the museum on Sunday November 1st. Rudy Horcher took them and their Den Mother Wynn Hulings to see the Carriage House and then Barbara and Margaret Forke gave them a tour of the museum. These boys were also working on a Community badge.

We will be working on packing and moving the artifacts in the basement of the museum on the following dates:

Thursdays	Saturdays
Nov. 12, 16th	Nov 7, 14, 21st
9- 4 p.m.	1-4 p.m.

If you have signed up to help, please remember or call me to check. If you have not signed up but have time to help, please call me at 520-0125.

Meanwhile Patti and I are getting things prepared to make the move to the Carriage House.

Linda Reading
Curator



LOANS & DONATIONS

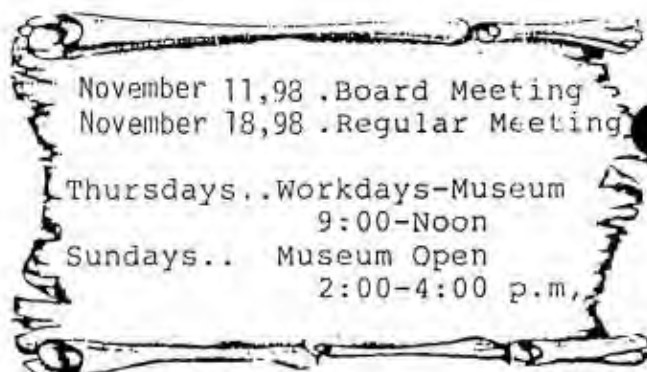
We would like to thank the following for their donations to the Society and Museum...

Elaine Simpson -Ornaments for the sports tree at Lollipop Lane

Shirley McConnell - Hats, Hat Box, and beaded collars.

Pamela Clemons Hoary - Nurse's Cap and Cape..In memory of her mother.

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N.E. IL

A General Meeting of N.E.IL will be held November 14, 1998 9:00 a.m. at Hoosier Grove Barn 700 West Irving Park Road, Streamwood, IL.

Their program will consist of guest speaker James R. Soens who will recreate the life and times of a Civil War soldier including experience as a prisoner of war. Anyone interested in attending more info, call Patti at 537-1450.

Chatter

Just a note to let you know that letters of request for donations have been sent out to the different businesses and organizations. Hopefully they will hear our request.

The cleaning crew at Childerley Chapel/Library found a racoon making its home above the ceiling. The whole ceiling in the Library has to be replaced and the roof patched so (hopefully) this won't happen again. Work is expected to be finished by this weekend of November 5th.

Society artifacts along with other artifacts from Chevy Chase have been picked up and brought over to the Carriage House until we can put them on display. Artifacts from Chevy Chase will be inventoried and a copy of the list will be given to the Director of Parks.

Since there will be no newsletter in December, we wish all of you a happy happy Thanksgiving and a happy and healthy holiday season.

Patti



HAPPY
Thanksgiving

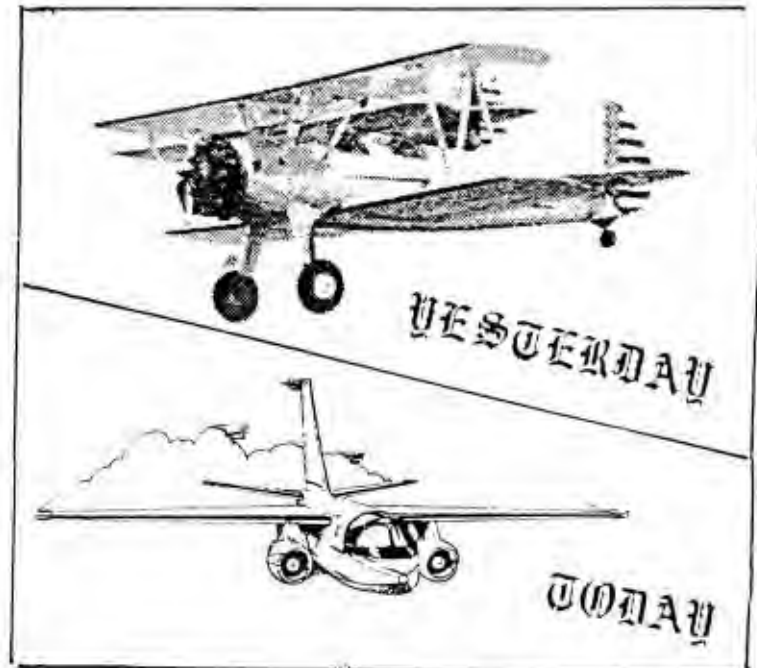


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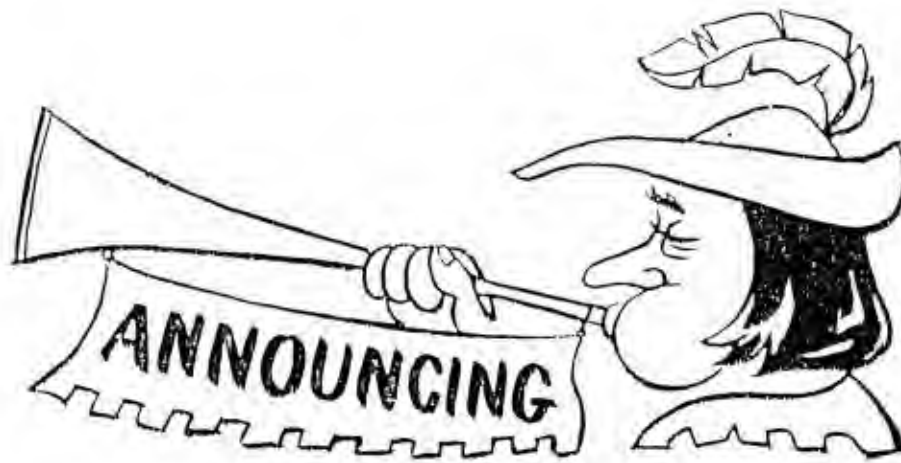


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Season's
Greetings





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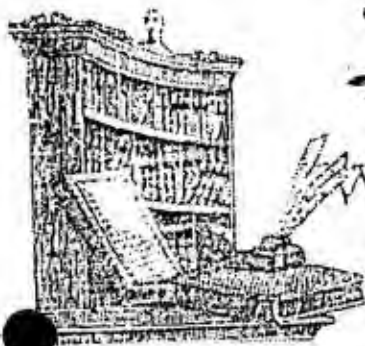
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NEWSLETTER

Oct. 1998

Message From The President

Wheeling Historical Society



Dear Members:

Another month has flown by and now it's Halloween time.

It was very rewarding to see a good attendance at the September meeting. The more members attending, the better the suggestions and discussions will be.

We in this country think 200 years as old. After viewing buildings, churches, streets and such in Germany, I am in awe. It's so hard to believe that some of those places were built in the 13th and 14th century and are still being used and kept in wonderful condition. There were no 20th century machines to do all that work, just human hands and great vision toward the future. It's a shame that here, if it's old, it must be torn down!

Please try to interest your friends and neighbors to come to a meeting and then join us. We must get new members to help us retain our history.

Your President,

Lorraine Haben



Many thanks to Wedge Hancock and Syke Horcher for helping move the new cabinet this summer. Also, Wedge thank you for all your work on the glass for the cabinet, it looks great. On Thursdays, Bev Rossmann has been coming in to help Patti and I at the museum. She has been washing many dishes that we have brought back from Chevy Chase. We now have several different place settings of china and glasses. Thanks Bev for all your help.

We had a display for Archaeology Awareness Week in September and I left some of the articles for a Native American display. October is stamp collecting month so we have an exhibit of various stamps and collections. Also there are

pictures showing the different locations of the Wheeling Post Office and a list of the Postmasters from 1836-1998. I am trying to acquire some pictures of postmasters of that time period. So far we have one of August Grewe and Edward Swan.

I am working with Officer Scheffler on exchanging and acquiring some police memorabilia for the museum.

We have two tours scheduled, one in October for a Girl Scout Troop from Mark Twain and one in November for a Cub Scout troop. Anyone who would like to help with the tours, please give me a call or sign up at our October general meeting.

Rudy and I have inventoried the Carriage House and are in the process of tagging and numbering artifacts that were not done. Thanks Rudy for a job well done.

In November we are going to be packing up all the artifacts in the basement and move them to the Carriage House for storage to allow the Park District to start renovation in the basement of the museum in December. Any help will be appreciated, so drop in on Thursdays a.m., or let me know if you can help another time.

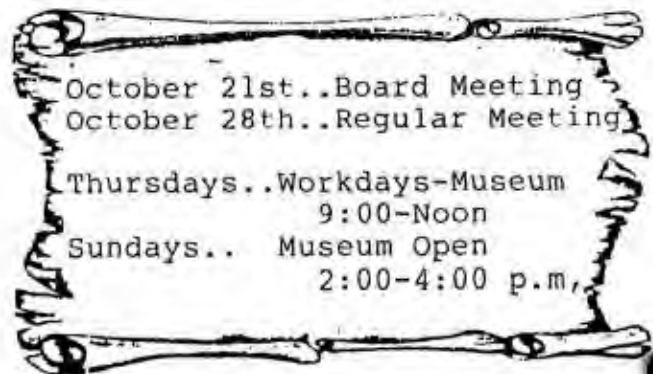
Have you seen the new ceiling in the kitchen yet? If not, stop by and take a look. Jim from the Park did an excellent job and the fixtures add an antique touch, plus plenty of light for the area. Our hats off to Mitch Cohen and his crew. Mitch and the Maintenance Department have been busy putting in a new furnace and air conditioning unit in the Chamber Building. Now we can have dependable heat for the winter and cool air in the summer. Thank you Park District!

The Web site has been updated for the month of October and is now being formatted. Hope it is done by the end of the month. Check it out sometime. The address is:

<http://nsn.nslsilus.org/wgkhome>
This is through North Star Net Systems.

Question of the month: In what year did Postmaster Edward Swan retire?

Linda Reading
Curator



Introducing...

We would like to welcome two new members to the Wheeling Historical Society.

Ms. Lindsey (Strong) Discosola from Palatine and Mr. Gary Cohn from Wheeling.

Glad to have you with us.



Help is still needed at the museum on Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Just ring the door bell and we will let you in.

Help will also be needed on Sundays from 2 to 4:00 p.m.



FROM THE MAILBOX

A copy of the "Journal of Illinois history" received from the Illinois Historic Preservation Agency.

Notice has been received from the Village of Wheeling re: Wheeling Community Blood Drive which will be held November 11, 1998 from 2:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. in the Council Chamber of the Village Hall.



HAPPINESS

Never ask of happiness
That you see it come
Trumpet-led in full parade,
Marching to a drum.

Seldom will it pass for more
Than fragment of the whole—
A small flag, a brief horn,
A drum's faint roll.

So hearken down the least day
Wherever it may be,
Watching lest a plume pass
And you not see!

Isabelle Bryans Longfellow

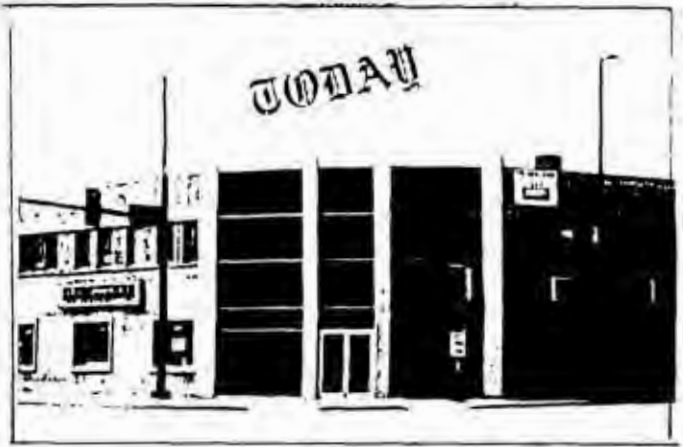
CREAMY BAKED CHEESECAKE

(Makes one 9-inch cheesecake)

- 1 1/2 cups graham cracker crumbs
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup margarine or butter, melted
- 2 (8-ounce) packages cream cheese, softened
- 1 (14-ounce) can Eagle® Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk (NOT evaporated milk)
- 3 eggs
- 1/2 cup ReaLemon® Lemon Juice from Concentrate
- 1 (8-ounce) container Borden® Sour Cream

Preheat oven to 300°. Combine crumbs, sugar and margarine; press firmly on bottom of 9-inch springform pan. In large mixer bowl, beat cheese until fluffy. Gradually beat in sweetened condensed milk until smooth. Add eggs and ReaLemon® brand; mix well. Pour into prepared pan. Bake 50 to 55 minutes or until center is set. Chill. Serve with Raspberry Topping. Refrigerate leftovers.

Raspberry Topping: In small saucepan, combine 1/2 cup syrup drained from 1 (10-ounce) package thawed frozen red raspberries, 1/4 cup red currant jelly or red raspberry jam and 1 tablespoon cornstarch. Cook and stir until slightly thickened and clear. Cool. Stir in raspberries.





A Trip Through Time!!

On Thursday, October 8th. I received a call from Greg of the Maintenance Dept. of the Park District wanting to know if we would like to check our artifacts at Chevy Chase and also to check out what we would like before renovation starts there. Much of the old dishes and items are to be disposed of.

On Friday, Linda and I, met with Greg and Ramaro and descended to the basement. We went through and checked what the Society had stored there and also looked at some of the old items from Chevy Chase. We indicated what we would like preserved and the maintenance crew stated they would bring them to the museum and Carriage House. This has been done and we cannot thank the Park District and their maintenance staff enough for all the help they give us. Thanks everyone!!

Going through the basement of Chevy Chase is really a trip through time, especially for me.

Patti Hancock

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The reason some people don't recognize opportunity is because it often comes disguised as hard work.



We would just like our friends and members who have been ill and under the weather lately, that we are thinking of them and hope they are feeling great at this time.



LOANS & DONATIONS

A donation of 1 Manure Fork, 1 Hand Cultivator, 1 Hand Planter, 2 Buck Saws and 1 Wooden Rake has been received from Mr. Ron Berrie in memory of his inlaws, Mr. and Mrs. Henry and Lucille Gartner.



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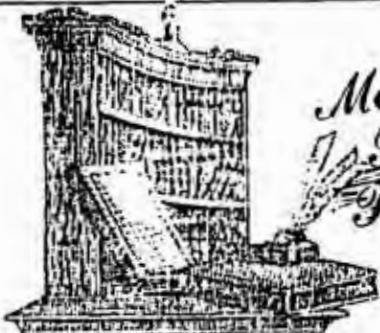
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NEWSLETTER

July 1998



Message From The President

Dear Members,

Seems like we're all having a real "old-fashioned" hot summer. Remember swimming at Utpadel's pit or in the river? Wheeling Days with all the raffles - hot dogs - hamburgers? Everyone worked together and had a good time doing whatever needed to be done.

4th of July in Wheeling was just great. Taste of Wheeling at the Recreation Center was a fabulous success. About ten of our local businesses set up for business at 4 p.m. until 9 p.m. The aroma was mouth watering. We had pizza, ribs, shrimp, Chinese, Cajun, Mexican and baked goodies to taste. Next year it will be bigger I'm sure.

Wonderful parade (biggest ever) took off at 6 p.m. The weather couldn't have been nicer. Our float (Historical Society), was of course, red, white and blue with several of us in period outfits riding on it. Also some artifacts.. We received lots of applause. Later, beautiful fireworks were presented which could be seen for miles. Society member, Judy Abrucato and a Village Trustee was in charge of all of this. We congratulate her and her committee and say thank you for a great day.

Hope you all are having a great summer and doing what you enjoy most.

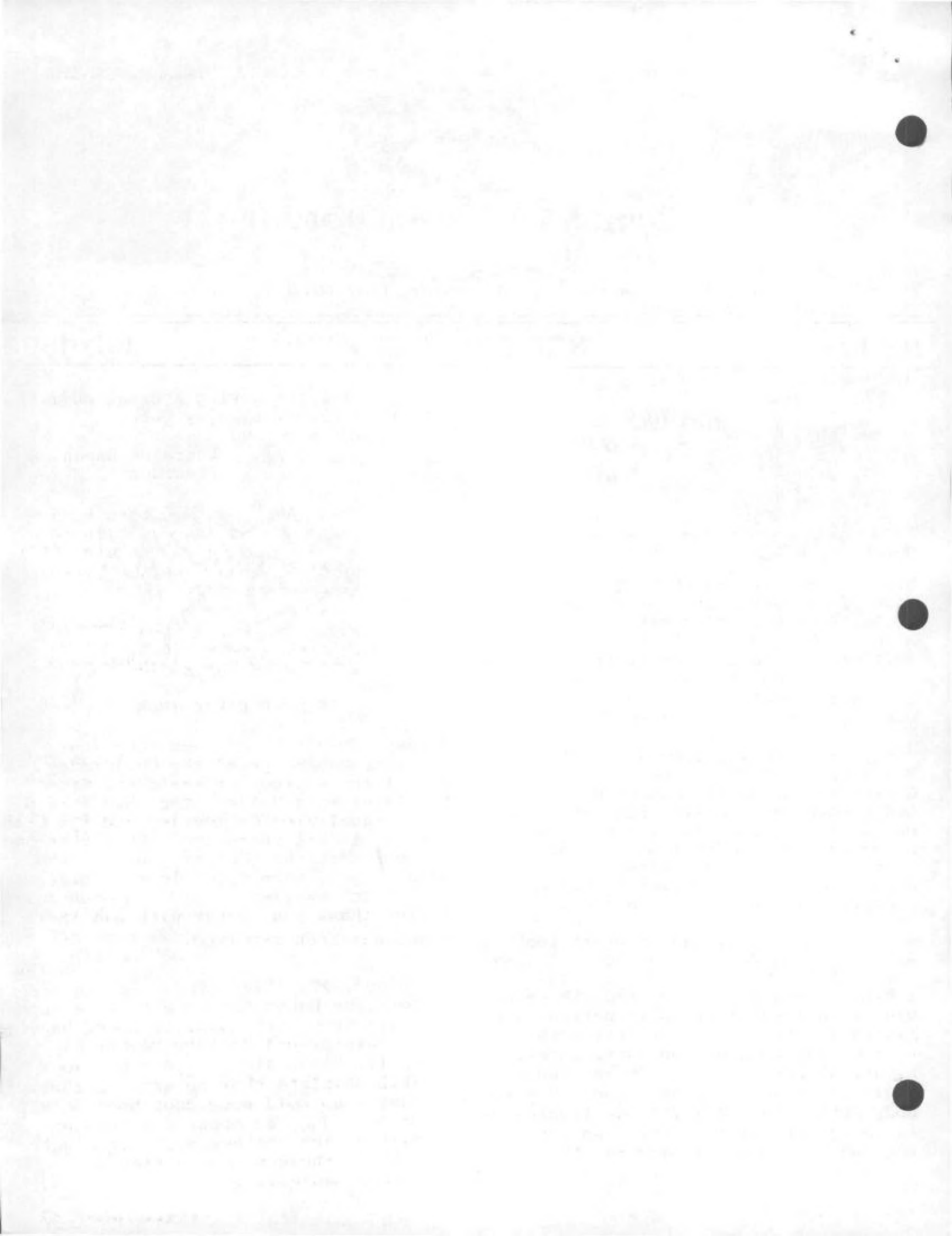
Lorraine Haben
President



"SUMMER HAPPENINGS"

Monday, July 6th, Syke Horcher and Lorraine Haben opened the Childreley Chapel for a group of residents from the Addolorata Villa. They had a hard time visualizing Childerley and the Cran Farm as it was years ago. They then had a picnic at the shelter house in the park. Syke, then gave rides in his "cadillac" trailer around the grounds. A nice thank you letter with all their names has been received.

On June 27, 1998, Linda Reading and Lorraine Haben set up a table at Lynn Plaza from 10:00 a.m. to noon, handing out Historical Society Membership applications along with some old NEIL pamphlets showing area museums. They also sold some cook books, 1969 Diamond Jubilee books and had some plates. The weather was exceedingly hot but these women carried on. Thanks Ladies!!!!





Over the summer, news has come back that Lonnie Schnaitmann was in the hospital. Hope you are well and back to normal Lonnie!

Irene Dattilo has been under the weather lately. Hope you are fit as a fiddle by now Irene.

Clare has some tests to undergo soon. Hope everything turns out good for you Clare.

Hope all of our friends and members are having a good summer. We hope they will all be in shipshape by our first meeting in September.

Work has been going on throughout the summer by Linda Reading, and Lorraine Haben and Patti. Items have been inventoried, artifacts moved around, files put in order and copies are still being made from paperwork destroyed by flood. It has been a long tedious job and there is still much work to be done.

A picture of the former Village Board (1997) and one of the new President, Greg Klatecki has been received and will be framed and hung in the "office" of the museum.

We want to thank Rusty Issleb and Jim Hagel of the Wheeling Park District Maintenance crew for hanging the mural in the museum which there was no way two women could do it. We really appreciate the help.



LOANS & DONATIONS

We would like to thank Nancy Nelson of High School District #214 for the donation of a mural denoting 25 years of Wheeling High School. This was received on June 18, 1998. We are hoping to get a history to go with it.

We have received on loan from Lorraine Haben, an Opera Dress (1900's) and gloves, a vintage dress of a 10 year old, a camisole top and a vintage purse. which will be used in a future display.

Also received as a donation from Rudy Horcher, a picture of Don and Delbert Koelper in the military (Christmas 1963) and a booklet of known veterans buried in the Wheeling Cemetery.

He also gave us a copy of the Memorial Day Parade Program passed out by the Phillip Carpenter Post #66 and a copy of "The Banner" (newsletter) July 1997 which was put out by the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War.

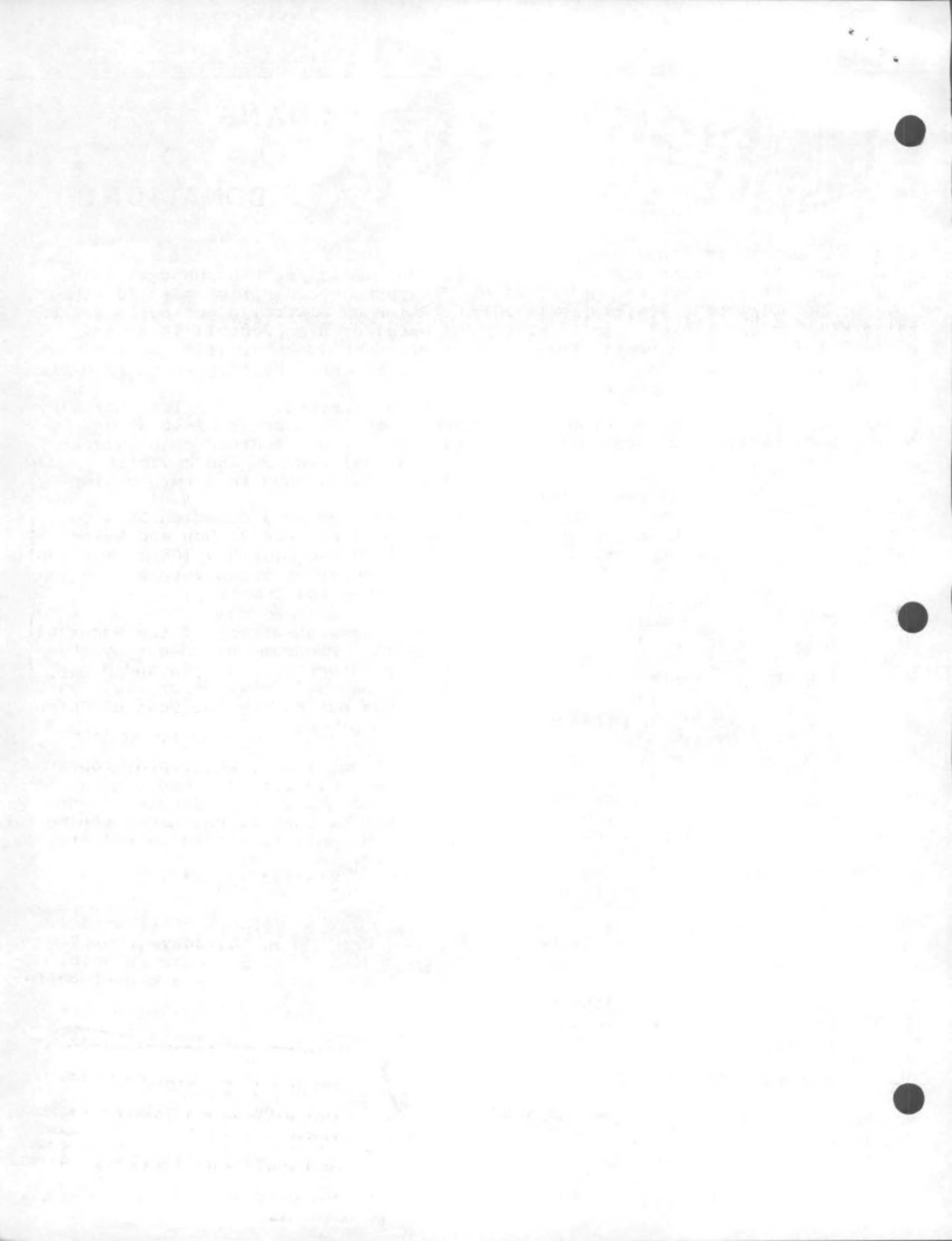
Last but not least, Wedge and I donated three very old bottles uncovered at the construction site on Milwaukee Avenue and south of Dundee. One green pop bottle reads F.W. Muller, Arlington Heights, IL.



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Help is still needed on Thursdays from 9:00-noon. Come in help, and have a cup of coffee with us.

Yesterday is history
Tomorrow is a mystery
Today is a gift
And that's why it's called
the present.



NAMES in the NEWS

We would like to congratulate Judy Abruscato on her promotion at the Corus Bank. Lots of luck in your new position Judy!

Much thanks to all of our members who gave their time to sit at the museum on Sundays during the summer months. We couldn't have done it without you!



The "Passport to Adventure Program" to date has been a little disappointing. There have been only a few participants, possibly because we are listed in the back of the book. We may have to take another look at this program at the end of the summer and reconsider if we should participate next year.

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For Any of you who did not pay your dues, it is now due. A check made out to the Wheeling Historical Society, P.O. Box 3, Wheeling, Illinois 60090 would be appreciated. For Family Membership the fee is \$ 8.00 and for Individuals, the fee is still \$ 5.00.

It has been agreed by the Board if dues are not paid by the September Meeting, names will be automatically removed from the mailing list.

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STRAWBERRY NAPOLEONS

- 1/2 (17 1/2-ounce size) package frozen puff pastry sheets (1 sheet)
- 1 package (about 3 1/2 ounces) vanilla instant pudding mix
- 1 cup milk
- 1 cup heavy cream, whipped, or 2 cups thawed frozen non-dairy or dairy whipped topping
- 1/2 cup confectioners' sugar
- 2 teaspoons milk
- 1 1/2 cup sliced strawberries

Thaw pastry sheet at room temperature for 20 minutes. Preheat oven to 400 degrees.

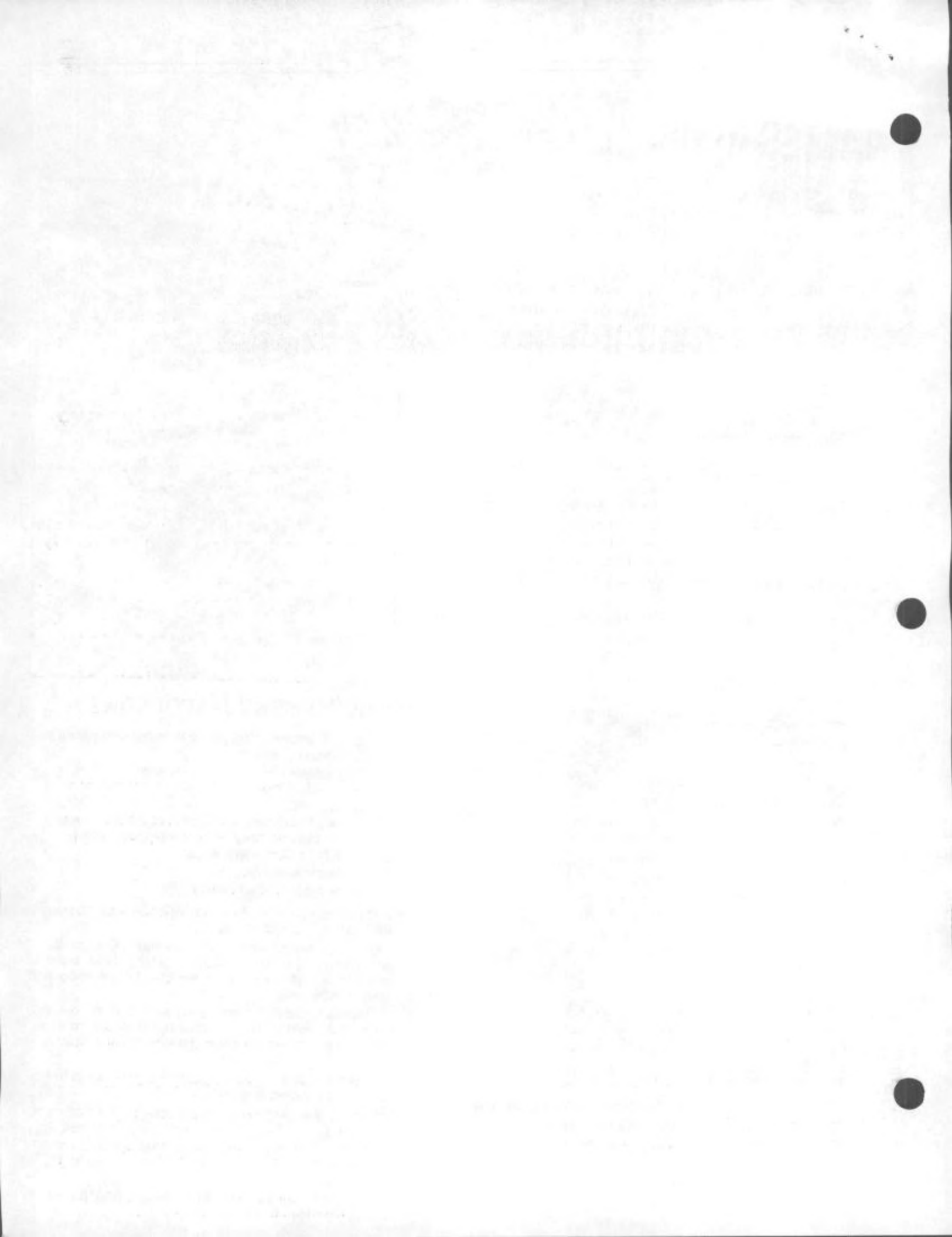
Unfold pastry on lightly floured surface. Cut into 3 strips along fold marks. Place on baking sheet. Bake 15 minutes or until golden. Remove from baking sheet and cool on wire rack.

Prepare pudding according to package directions with 1 cup milk. Fold in whipped cream. Cover and refrigerate. In a small bowl mix confectioners' sugar and 2 teaspoons of milk and set aside.

Split pastries into two layers, making six layers in all. On two top layers, spread icing.

Spread one pastry layer with 3/4 cup pudding mixture. Top with about 1/2 cup strawberries. Repeat layers. Top with iced pastry layer. Repeat to make second dessert. Serve immediately or cover and refrigerate up to 4 hours. Serves 12.

Tip: For easier slicing, refrigerate one hour and use a wet serrated knife.





If you know of anyone who is ill or in the hospital, please let us know so we can send a card and let them know we are thinking of them.

Please call Patti at 537-1450.



"SISTER"

Deep in my heart, I hold the glow,
Of all the joy we used to know.

Each little smile, each tender touch,
That meant, we never knew how much.

When all the world was new and fair,
And we were young and didn't care.

And now it seems the thought of you,
Is like a song forever new.

***** Deep in my heart *****

From the Writings of
J.P. McEvoy

1927



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CALENDAR FOR THE COMING MONTHS

- JULY 29....Board Meeting
- August.....No Meetings
- Sept. 16...Board Meeting
- Sept.23....Regular Meeting



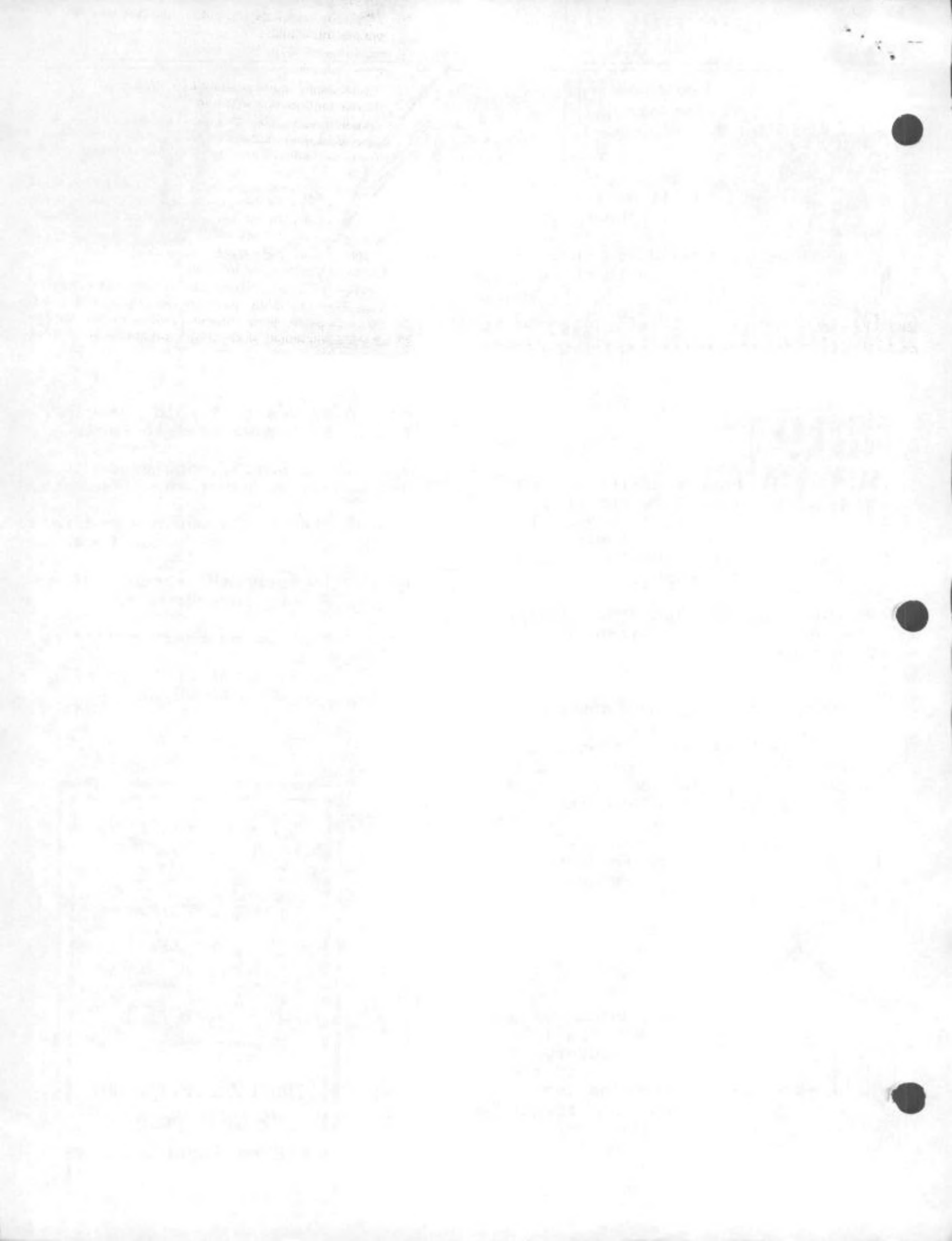
New Committee Chairpersons will be needed for the coming year. Please give it some consideration and volunteer.



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Don't Wait For Others
To Be Friendly—
Show Them How!





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*Message
From The
President*

Newsletter

June 1998

Dear Members,

I begin my first message with sad news of the death of Bob Buerger on Tuesday June 9th at Northwest Community Hospital. Bob was our Vice President and friend. I personally was looking for all his expertise in helping me to become a good President of the Society. Bob also served as our President from 1978-1980.

He was a wonderful person who was always there and willing to help in any way he could. He along with Eleanor, has been very active in all phases of the Society, especially with Lollipop Lane and keeping the museum open. He had been a very important part of the Wheeling Historical Society and we will truly miss him.

Our sincere condolences to Eleanor, his children and all his family.

Our installation dinner was ever so nice. Forty members were at the Chevy Chase Wayside Room for the buffet dinner. They always have such a wonderful, colorful, delicious lay out of food.

Also joining us were President of the Park District, Bill Mattes and his wife, Commissioner Paul Philipp and his wife, Commissioner and Liaison to the Historical Society, Cheri Klumpp and Secretary to the Park District, Pat Armitage. It was really nice to have them share this time with us.

Following the dinner, each of the new officers were installed and took the Oath of Office, those officers being, President, Lorraine Haben; Director, Frank Schnaitmann and Curator, Linda Reading. Betty Barrie had previously been appointed as our Historian. The full board for 1998-1999 also include: Vice President; Dolly Hein, Treasurer; Pat Hancock, Secretary and Directors, Marge Allison and Donna Nystrom. New Chairpersons will be appointed at the September meeting. We are looking forward to a busy year.

This year we had old time entertainment...."Marvelous Marv" a singer in his own right, with "Songs, dances, Interpretations and Sing-a-longs. Just fun.

A raffle was held and many nice prizes were given out. We hope everyone enjoyed themselves.

Thank you all for your vote of confidence in me as your President for the next two years. My main objective is to make our Museum and Carriage House great places to visit.

It would be so nice to hear news from some of our "far away" members. Patti is doing such a great job with our newsletter, but without input from all of us, it's very hard. What about starting with birthdays or a recipe from your area?

Until next time.

Lorraine Haben

MUSEUM



UPDATE

Just a note to bring you up to date as to what is happening at the museum. Linda and I have been sorting through files and trying to get some order to them. Believe it or not, we are still dealing with flood damaged material.

The park has been very helpful by getting us some hanging files and supplies needed to cope. Linda is rearranging pictures and two new display cases have been set up. "Hats from the Past" and "Military History from WWI and WWII."

A few donations have been received for which we are grateful. Rudy brought in a "Dog and Suds" gallon bottle which at one time contained root beer. This was donated by Dan Horcher. Thank you.

Lorraine Haben loaned us some hats from the past to use for the present display. Thank You.

All vintage clothing has been either washed and ironed or cleaned. What a good feeling!

So far, so good as to keeping the museum open on Sundays from 2-4 p.m. Please don't hesitate to volunteer.



If you know of anyone who is ill or in the hospital, please let us know so we can send a card and let them know we are thinking of them.

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Cook's
Kitchen

Skillet Chicken
a La KING

- . Prep Time: 5 Min.
- . Cook Time: 12 Min.

- 2 skinless, boneless chicken breast halves, diced
- 1 can (10-3/4) condensed 98% free cream of chicken soup
- 1/3 cup low-fat milk
- 1/4 tsp. thyme (optional)
- 1 can (8-3/4 oz.) Del Monte Freshcut Whole Kernel Sweet Corn, drained.
- 1 can (8-1/2 oz.) Peas and Carrots, drained.

1. combine chicken, soup, milk and thyme in large skillet.
2. Cook over medium heat 10 min. or until chicken is done, stirring occasionally.
3. Stir in vegetables, heat through. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Serve over rice or noodles and garnish with chopped parsley, if desired.

Makes 2 - 3 servings



PASSPORT TO ADVENTURE PROGRAM
FOR CHILDREN

The Passport Program to Adventure Program has started as of May 31, and as you know, the members of the Wheeling Historical Society has again voted to participate in this program.

It is designed to encourage children and their parents to visit different museums and check on the history presented.

To participate the children must pick up a Passport Booklet at the Youth Section of the Indian Trails Library. The booklet contains the location of the various museums the area.

Children who visit at least five sites by Sunday, August 16, 1998 will receive a Certificate of Participation. Those who visit seven or more museums will also receive a small prize.

The program is sponsored by the IPRA, Kane DuPage Regional Museum Assoc., Lake McHenry Historical Alliance, the North Eastern Il. Historical Council and the South Suburban Heritage Assoc. In the Village of Wheeling it is presented by the Wheeling Historical Society, Indian Trails Library and the Wheeling Park District.

As you know our museum is open every Sunday from 2-4:00 p.m. Please help out when asked to volunteer.



Help is still needed on Thursdays from 9:00-noon. Come in help, and have a cup of coffee with us.



Still looking for old clothing, knickknacks, jewelry, female military uniforms from any branch of service. Check you closets.

JUNE 1998							JULY 1998						
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The calendar for the months of June and July are as indicated.

- June 17.... Board Meeting
- July 4th... Parade
- July 15.... Board Meeting

It has been decided by this Board that they will continue to meeting monthly during the summer. Any member is welcome to attend.

The first regular meeting will be held as always, in September.



**HAPPY
4th of
JULY!**

WESTERN STATES

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A tour was set up by Linda and on May 28th, one hundred and eight 6th grade students from Holmes Middle School passed through the Wheeling Historical Museum and the Carriage House.

The tour through the museum was hosted by Linda Reading, Lorraine Haben and Patti Hancock. Rudy Horcher and Wedge Hancock were in the Carriage House. All were available to answer questions.



The students were divided in groups and well chaperoned by parents and teachers. Questionnaires were given to each of them with regards to items used, people, places or an event held within the Village of Wheeling.

It was very gratifying to see the interest of the students. There were many objects of the past that they were not aware of. While they were waiting to go through the buildings, they were busy identifying trees and shrubs in Chamber Park.

All in all, it was a good day for for not only the students, parents and teachers, but for us as well. It is our hope that many more of these tours can be scheduled and bring the knowledge of the past to more of the children of Wheeling.

WESTERN

85th Happy Birthday Sam Datilo

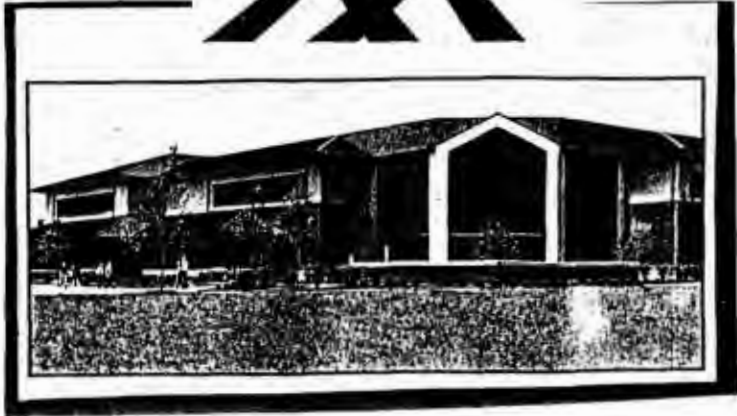



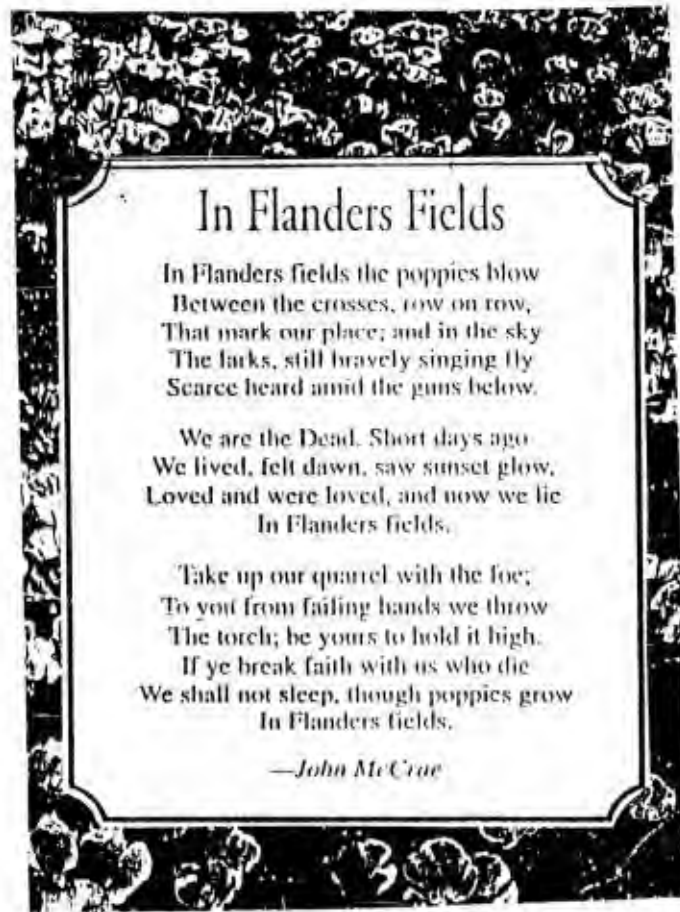
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WHEELING PARK DISTRICT

TODAY



In Flanders Fields

In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row,
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks, still bravely singing fly
Scarce heard amid the guns below.

We are the Dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe;
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high.
If ye break faith with us who die
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow
In Flanders fields.

—John McCrae

Although Memorial Day has come and gone, it is still not too late to remember....

Rudy Horcher was a member of the (GAR) Grand Army of the Republic Association of Cook County and is and has been a member of the AMVETS Post #66 for many years. The object of the GAR Association was the arranging for the proper observance of Memorial Day, May 30.

This year as in the past, Rudy and a Scout Troup took care of the grave sites of our loved ones who so gallantly gave their lives in defense of this country, by placing a flag on each of the men resting in our Wheeling and St. Mary's Cemetary. Thank you Rudy and those who helped, for carrying on the tradition..

WHEELING CEMETARY IN MEMORY OF

Pvt. John D. Beach	1871	Robert Periolat	1923
Pvt. George Benz	1918	Jacob Railstob	1917
Sgt. Louis Fischer	1906	Capt. Clarence R. Sigwalt	1942
Henry Hipp (Army)	1915	George H. Sternberg	1938
George Haber	1932	Christian Zimmer	1871
John J. Kessel	1891	Albert Schultz	1954
Corp. George Meather	1883	Walter W. Schmidt	1956
Pvt. Louis Metz	1864	William J. Burt	1965
William Metz	1922	William J. Wiest	1965
William L. Niebuhr	1939	Francis L. Ayres	1965
Fordyse Paine	Civil War		

And all those who have given their lives in all the Wars.



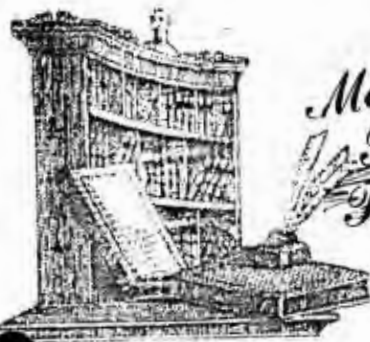
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No. 8

Newsletter

May 1998



Message From The President

Dear Members:

Well it will soon be time to turn over the gavel to our new President Lorraine Haben. Lorraine has been part of the Board of Directors for several years. I'm sure she will do a great job as President. I hope she will be able to count on your help. As I stated in a previous newsletter, I had the pleasure of appointing Betty Barrie Historian and Linda Reading was elected Curator and I was elected Director. Your Board pledges to do all we can to make the Historical Society a successful organization, however we need all your help.

I find myself thinking back to the day Lonnie and I joined the Society. I was on the Park Board at the time and we were dedicating Childerley. Lonnie signed us up and alot has been accomplished since then. We renovated the Chapel, negotiated over a long period to have a carriage house and have seen the office in the basement of the museum become a working office.

With the deligent efforts of Bob and Barbara McIntyre, we published the book "Wheeling Through The Years." We have a great working relationship with the Park District and Lollipop Lane which is our biggest project, continues to be popular with the children and their parents.

This past year has been the easiest for me because of all the help I received from Patti Hancock. She has made our newsletter very informative. I thank her for this. I also owe Bob Buerger my thanks for always being there to help me over the years. For this I am eternally grateful. I thank my wife Lonnie for sharing with me, our love of Lollipop Lane and finally thanks to all of you who have made my many years as President so meaningful. My last official act as President, will be to swear in Lorraine as our new President and wish her the best of luck.

Historically yours,

Frank Schnaitmann

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Slate Of Officers 1998-99

The officers for the fiscal year 1998-99 are as follows:

President...Lorraine Haben
 Vice Pres...Bob Buerger
 Treasurer...Dolly Hein
 Secretary...Pat Hancock
 Historian...Betty Berrie
 Directors...Marge Allison
 Donna Nystrom
 Frank Schnaitmann

Appointments for Committee Chairpersons will be made in September. Give some thought about serving on one of the following Committees.

Membership Committee
 Public Relations Committee
 Program Committee
 Social Committee



Frank informed me that he talked to Bob Buerger on May 8th and he is again in the hospital and will be there for a few days until he learns how to walk on crutches. He passed out at the post office and was taken to Holy Family which they then transferred him to Northwest Community. They found he had a hairline fracture in his leg. We sure hope he is feeling better and will be home and back with us soon. Get Well Bob!



Take Note and Mark Your Calendars

MAY 20th...Board Meeting
 MAY 27th...Installation Dinner
 June 7th...Passport To Adventure Program starts.
 June 17th..Board Meeting



TIME MARCHES ON..

Dues are due and payable at the Installation Banquet.

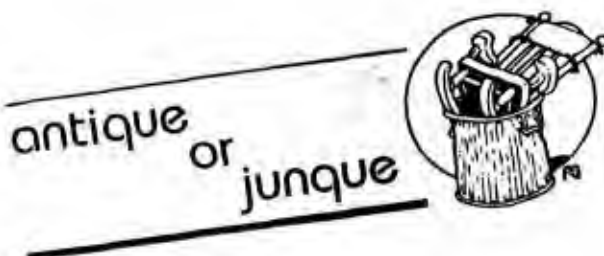
\$5.00 Individual
 \$8.00 Family

Installation Dinner

Chevy Chase
 Cash Bar 6:00 p.m.
 Dinner 6:30 p.m.

A short meeting will follow dinner. Installation of new officers for 1998-99. Hope to see you all there.

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Still looking for old clothing, knickknacks, jewelry, female military uniforms from any branch of service. Check you closets.

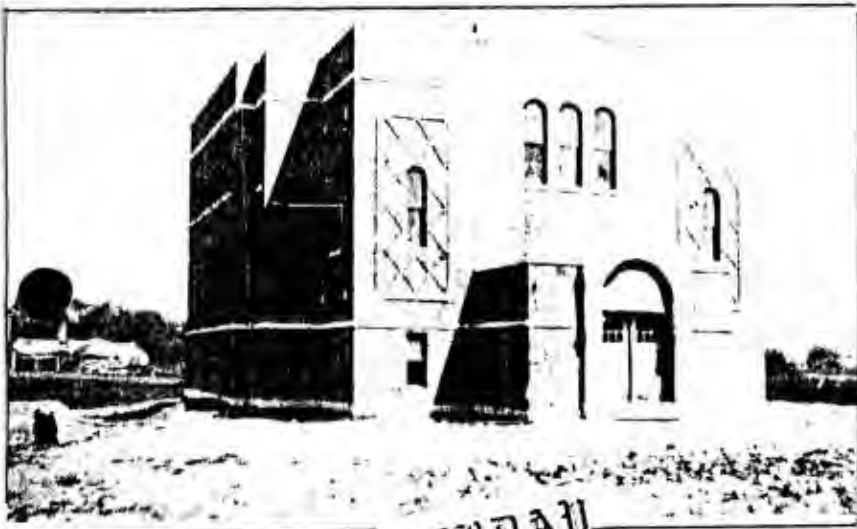
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**HELP
WANTED**

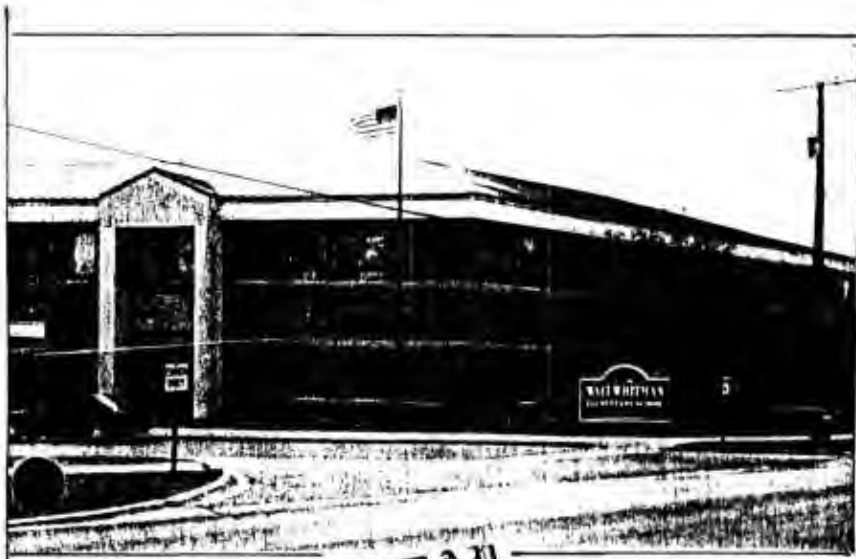


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at the museum on
Thursdays from 9:30
a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Just ring the door
bell and we will
let you in.

Help will also be needed on
Sundays from 2 to 4:00 p.m.



YESTERDAY



TODAY


Poet's
Corner
To My Nurses



Author Unknown

What do you see, nurse, what do you see?
Maybe you are thinking when you look at me:
A crabbed old woman, not very wise,
Uncertain of habit with faraway eyes,
Who dribbles her food and makes no reply
When you say in a loud voice,
"I do wish you'd try?"
Who seems not to notice the flings that you do
And forever is losing a stocking or shoes,
Who resisting or not, lets you do as you will
With bathing and feeding, the long day to fill.
Is that what you're thinking, is that what you see?
Then open your eyes, nurse. You're not looking at me.
I'll tell you who I am as I sit here so still,
As I move at your bidding, eat at your will,
I'm a small child of ten with father and mother,
Brothers and sisters who love one another;
A young girl of sixteen with wings on her feet,
Dreaming that soon a love she'll meet;
A bride at twenty, my heart gives a leap,
Remembering the vows that I promised to keep;
At twenty-five now I have young of my own
Who need me to build a secure, happy home.
A woman of thirty, my young now grow fast,
Bound together with ties that should last.
At forty, my young sons have grown up and gone,
But my man's beside me to see I don't mourn.
At fifty once more babies play round my knee—
Again we know children, my loved one and me.
Dark days are upon me, my husband is dead.
I look to the future, I shudder with dread.
For my young are all rearing young of their own,
And I think of the years and the love that I've known.

I'm an old woman now and nature is cruel.
It is her jest to make old age look like a fool.
The body crumbles, grace and vigor depart.
There is a stone where I once had a heart.
But inside this old carcass a young girl still dwells,
And now again my bittered heart swells.
I remember the joys, I remember the pain
And I'm loving and living life over again.
I think of the years, all too few, gone too fast,
And accept the stark fact that nothing can last.
So open your eyes, nurse, open and see
Not a crabbed old woman,
Look closer—see me!



N.E.I.L.

SORRY! Didn't make the May N.E.I.L. meeting. It was held at Rogers Park/West Ridge Historical Society in Chicago. Sure wish we didn't miss the program as the differences between preservation, conservation and restoration along with practical ways to identify the needs of a valuable book or paper item was discussed.

Also discussed, was safe storage ideas, how to choose a conservator, resources for supplies and simple repair options.

Hoping to make it in July????



PASSPORT

TO ADVENTURE

Wedge and I went to pick up the books for the Passport to Adventure program but the printer had a problem and they will be delivered after May 20th. The program will start June 1st. Again, you will be called to help keep the museum open on Sundays from 2 -4 p.m. Activity sheets have been made for the children to fill out.

Chatter

A special thanks to Barb and Margaret Forke, Bob and Eleanor Buerger and Irene and Sam Dattilo for opening the museum the past Sundays. Also Linda and I thank Lorraine for giving us a hand on Thursday mornings. We appreciate it!!! Also have to thank Maintenance from the Park District for their help in moving the file cabinet downstairs and to Steve for fixing the lights for us. Staff has been great.



Help is still needed on Thursdays from 9:00-noon. Come in help, and have a cup of coffee with us.



Cook's
Kitchen

From Irene Dattilo

1 Angel Food Cake

Cut cake in half. Spread raspberry-strawberry or apricot preserves on bottom half. Top with cool whip. Replace top layer of cake, frost with cook whip all around and sprinkle with nuts.

YUM! YUM!

4TH OF JULY

Received a call from a gentleman from the village of Wheeling regarding an entrance form for the fourth of July parade. As you know it was agreed by the membership to enter a float in this years parade. Some of you will be asked to participate on the float when plans are finalized. You will be called.



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No 7.

Newsletter

April 1998



Message From The President

Dear Members:

Well here it's already April and time for you to decide who you would like as your society officers and president for the next two years. Soon I will no longer be the President of the organization. I would like to take this opportunity to thank each and every one of my board members who have served with me over the years. They have all been dedicated members and officers. I appreciate all the help and support they have given me. Because of these dedicated people, I'm proud to be part of this organization. I feel we have accomplished alot, and I also feel that more people know there is a Historical Society and museum in Wheeling. I still remember when the residents of our community who had lived here for many years did not know we had a museum here. We may be a small group but I truly believe we can be proud of our accomplishments.

I would also like to thank those members who over the years, have remained active members of the society. Those active members are the ones who attend our monthly meetings and are willing to take part in our various projects. Sometimes it gets alittle discouraging on our meeting night to look out in the audience and only see the same few people in attendance. Even though our meeting is always on the same Wednesday every month, Patti and I try to get the newsletter out in time so that you have the opportunity to plan to attend the meeting. We will always need your input as to how to make the Society more successful.

We hope to see you all at the April election meeting. Your vote really does count. Remember, the regular meeting is April 22, 1998. I would also like to remind the Board that our Board meeting is April 15th at 7:00 p.m. The time has been moved up to 7:00 at the request of some of our Board members.

Historically yours,

Frank Schnaitmann



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Chatter

Although the museum was officially closed on Sunday April 5th, at the request of a resident, Wedge and I opened the museum. He was researching the motorcycles which were owned by the Wheeling Police Department in about 1935. Pictures were found and copies were made. His friend inherited one of the motorcycles and wants to referbish it. It made for a very interesting story.

Also one of the 2nd graders who attended the museum with the Whitman school children, did bring his father and brother back to look and enjoy the museum. This was very pleasing to know.

HELP WANTED

Help is needed at the museum on Sundays from 2- 4:00 p.m. Patti will be asking for volunteers.



SICK LIST

Bob Buerger was admitted back into the hospital on Friday, April 3rd. Frank went to see him at Northwest Community Hospital on Saturday and he looked much better and hopefully he will be coming home in a few days. He really misses not being able to be active in our projects at this time. We all wish him a speedy recovery.

Willie Franta has been in and out of the hospital since February. She has been staying with her son and daughter-in-law. We hope she is feeling better and want her to know she is in our thoughts.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!!!

APRIL 22TH... Regular Meeting and Election of Officers.

MAY 27TH..... Installation Dinner Chevy Chase



Cooks Corner

NO-BAKE STRAWBERRY BOTTOM CHEESECAKE

1 KEEBLER® Ready Crust® pie crust (6 oz.)	1 teaspoon vanilla
4 oz. cream cheese	4 oz. frozen non-dairy whipped topping
1/4 cup sugar	1 pint fresh strawberries, thinly sliced
1/2 cup sour cream	1 cup strawberry glaze

Slice strawberries and place on paper towels to drain. Beat cream cheese until smooth. Gradually beat in sugar. Blend in sour cream and vanilla. Fold in whipped topping, blending well. Spread thin layer of glaze over bottom of crust. Place strawberry slices on glaze and cover with another thin layer of glaze. Gently spoon mixture over glazed berries in crust. Cover with inverted dome and chill until set, at least 4 hours. Store leftover pie in refrigerator.

VARIATION: For a plain no bake Cheese Cake, omit strawberries and glaze; double the amount of all the other ingredients.

PREPARATION TIME: 15 minutes. CHILLING TIME: 4+ Hours.



Help is still needed on Thursdays from 9:00-noon. Come in help, and have a cup of coffee with us.

SCATTERED THOUGHTS

Dear Friends and Members:

I would like to take this time to update you on what has been happening at the museum since we closed last December. We officially opened March 1st.

During the closed period, Wedge has refinished the chair and bench which were damaged in the flood. Linda and I have been washing and cleaning the vintage clothing and military wear. The stands for the hat display have been made and we hope to have the hat display in late April.

Linda and I have been working on Thursday mornings, typing, re-framing, washing dishes and trying to straighten the shelves in the basement.

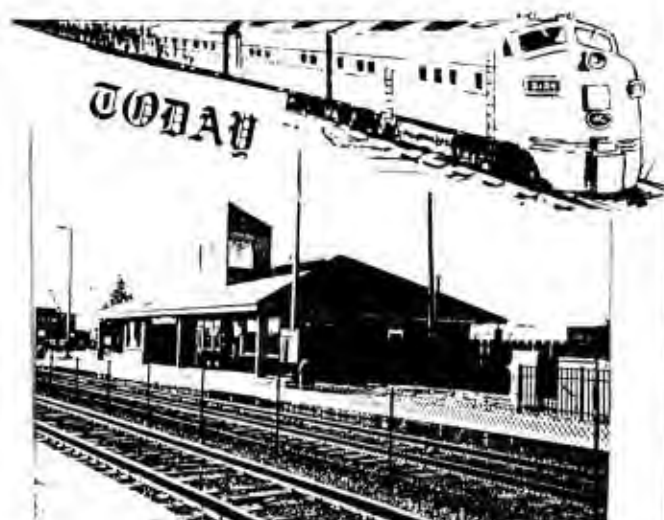
Office supplies and equipment have been ordered and received from the Park District. They have been very cooperative with us which really helps.



YESTERDAY



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TODAY

If any of you have any input for our monthly newsletter, I would welcome it. Just call me at 537-1450.

Patti

Tid Bits
Taken from Bits and Pieces



HUGS

IT'S WONDROUS WHAT A HUG CAN DO,
A HUG CAN CHEER YOU WHEN YOU'RE BLUE.
A HUG CAN SAY, "I LOVE YOU SO,"
OR, "GEE, I HATE TO SEE YOU GO."
A HUG IS, "WELCOME BACK AGAIN."

A HUG CAN SOOTHE A SMALL CHILD'S PAIN
AND BRING A RAINBOW AFTER RAIN.
THE HUG..THERE'S JUST NO DOUBT ABOUT IT,
WE SCARCELY COULD SURVIVE WITHOUT IT.
A HUG DELIGHTS AND WARMS AND CHARMS,
IT MUST BE WHY GOD GAVE US ARMS.

HUGS ARE GREAT FOR FATHERS AND MOTHERS,
SWEET FOR SISTERS, SWELL FOR BROTHERS,
AND CHANCES ARE SOME FAVORITE AUNTS
LOVE THEM MORE THAN POTTED PLANTS.

KITTENS CRAVE THEM. PUPPIES LOVE THEM.
HEADS OF STATE ARE NOT ABOVE THEM.
A HUG CAN BREAK THE LANGUAGE BARRIER,
AND MAKE THE DULLEST DAY SEEM MERRIER.
NO NEED TO FRET ABOUT THE STORE OF ,EM,
THE MORE YOU GIVE, THE MORE THERE ARE OF ,EM.

SO STRETCH THOSE ARMS WITHOUT DELAY
AND GIVE SOMEONE A HUG TODAY.

When Thomas Jefferson presented his credentials as U.S. minister to France, the French premier remarked "I see that you have come to replace Benjamin Franklin."

"I have come to succeed him," corrected Jefferson. "No one can replace him."

N.E.I.L

The next meeting of N.E.I.L will be held in the month of May in Highland Park. Keep it in mind in case you would like to attend. Just found out the date is the 9th at 9:00 a.m. and the meeting will be held in the back building, 326 Central Ave. Highland Park, IL.

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No. 6

Newsletter

March 1998



Message From The President

Dear Members,

The fiscal year is rapidly coming to an end. Before you know it, we'll be having our elections and new officers will be installed. This is the opportunity for our members to take on the leadership of the Society.

The Nominating Committee will be presenting a slate at the March Meeting. Names can also be presented from the floor on election night in April. Seriously, please consider running for an office. Positions which will be open are: President, Curator and one Director.

Betty Bertie has accepted my appointment for her as the Historian at the end of her term as Curator. She has a lot to offer us about the history of Wheeling. We have not had a Historian since Marchall Balling passed away. It's a position which is very important to the Society.

Our Dinner and Auction was a huge success. Syke Horcher stepped in for Bob Buerger as Auctioneer and did a tremendous job. The food was good and the auction was both entertaining and profitable. Lorraine and Lonnie along with those ladies who made desserts, thank you all for your help and support.

Our next big affair will be the Installation Banquet in May. Lonnie is making arrangements and will give details at our March meeting.

Bob Buerger and Margaret Forke are on the mend and were able to join us along with Wille at our dinner/auction. Welcome Back!

We are planning to have a float in the 4th of July Parade. Further details will be forthcoming..

Our March meeting is on March 25th at 7:30 p.m. Please plan to attend and give us your input.

Historically yours,
Frank Schnaitmann



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-W.H.S. Constitution

FROM THE MAILBOX

Pictures from Lollipop Lane 1997 are still coming in. These will be placed in the Christmas Book.



Help is needed at the museum on Sundays from 2- 4:00 p.m. Patti will be asking for volunteers.



We are not aware of anyone who is ill or in the hospital at this time. If you hear of anyone that is, please let Patti know so a card can be sent to let them know we are thinking of them.

Our condolences to Bob and Eleanor Buerger on the death of Bob's cousin.

The tentative program for March is "poems" Anyone with short poems which they feel are special and would like to share them with the membership are encourage to bring them to the March meeting.



N.E. IL

MT. PROSPECT HISTORICAL MUSEUM AND EDUCATIONAL CENTER

While Wedge and I went to a Depression Glass Show, Dolly and Linda went to the March 14 meeting of N.E. IL which is the North Eastern Illinois Historical Council. The meeting was hosted by the Mt. Prospect Historical Society at their Educational Center.

A representative of the Society gave some background how they raised monies to purchase a house and then the center. Altogether, they own two houses the educational center and a school.

She told of how they with the help of the Park District and people from the Special Olympics, are holding early pioneer classes and are getting ready to hold classes on historical art for the handicap and signers. They also have "hands on projects" for children on farm implements.

They will be holding a pow wow in conjunction with the Mitchel Museum of Evanston.

N.E. IL held their general meeting followed by their main program which was presented by Diane Wheat. Her program was with regards to repair and restoration of wood and ceramic items. She gave recommendations on various products to use and also passed out a catalog on products used in preserving photographs.

N.E. IL welcomed three new societies into the membership.

The possibility of hosting a N.E. IL meeting occurred to Linda and Dolly and it is hoped this idea will be considered by the membership to be done in early 1999.

In all, the meeting was very interesting and enjoyed by members attending.

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Chatter

Quilt Exhibit

March 3rd - 31st

Featuring a display of historical and interesting quilts. Projects from current quilting classes will also be shown.

Dietrich Friedrichs House Museum

101 S. Maple. Mt. Prospect

Exhibit Hours: Sun 1-3

Tues/Thurs 1-3:30



APPLE CRUNCH

- 1 1/2 cups Post Frosted Rice Krinkles Cereal
- 2 teaspoons butter or margarine melted
- 1 cup applesauce

Sauté cereal in melted butter until golden brown. Divide half of the applesauce among four small dishes; top with half of the cereal. Repeat layers with remaining applesauce and cereal. Top with a spoonful of prepared whipped topping, if desired. Makes 4 servings.

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Hey Guys! Soon we will be on the Web Site with Indian Trails Library District. Keep Tuned!!!

PASSPORT



TO ADVENTURE

The Passport to Adventure Program which we are involved with again this year, will start in May. In checking with Steve Polman of the Park District, everything is go except we are waiting for the booklets to be shipped. The fee has been paid by the Park District (as in the past) and activity sheets have to be made out for the children to fill out with regards to items in the museum. It is hoped you all will volunteer to help on Sundays as you did last year.



APRIL							MAY						
5	6	7	1	2	3	4	3	4	5	6	7	1	2
12	13	14	8	9	10	11	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	15	16	17	18	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	22	23	24	25	24	25	26	27	28	29	30

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!!!!!!

- MARCH..State of Officers will be presented.
- APRIL..27th Regular Meeting Elections of Officers
- MAY....Installation Banquet



VISITORS TO THE MUSEUM

On March 6th, sixty 2nd grade children, teachers and parents visited the museum and carriage house. Betty Barrie and Patti hosted at the museum, while Rudy Horcher and Wedge held down the carriage house. We split the kids into two groups of thirty. While thirty were in the museum, thirty were in the carriage house.



Help is still needed on Thursdays from 9:00-noon. Come in help, and have a cup of coffee with us.

It was quite an experience. Lots of questions and the simple thing like the treadle sewing machine, the phonograph and rattle-snake really drew their attention except for the kids that tried to eat the fake bread on the plates in the kitchen area. The highlight was when one child looked at the victrola record and exclaimed "What a big compact disc." That broke everyone up.



They went away saying they enjoyed the museum and we invited them back with their parents. It was quite a day!

YESTERDAY

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TODAY

CHEVY CHASE COUNTRY CLUB
1998



Columbian

Winter, 1927-28

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
OF FEBRUARY 25, 1998

A short meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on February 25, 1998 following the Pot Luck Dinner which took place at 6:30 p.m. The meeting was called to order at 7:15 p.m.

The approval of the minutes of January 25, 1998 and Treasurer's Report were tabled until the March Meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

The first item of business was the appointment by the President of a Nominating Committee. The members chosen were: Lonnie Schnaitmann, Clare Rudolph and Eleanor Buerger.

The slate for President, Directors and Curator will be presented at the March meeting. Nominations will also be taken from the floor.

President Schnaitmann also appointed Betty Berrie as the Wheeling Historian. She accepted the appointment.

Clare commended Patti for the newsletter and Frank also thanked her and advised she has been his right hand. Frank also advised volunteers are needed. Patti stated the museum will be opening March 1st of 1998 and said she would be around to ask for volunteers to help sit at the museum on Sundays from 2 to 4 p.m.

President Schnaitmann also thanked Syke Horcher for acting a auctionaire this evening with the White Elephant Sale. Betty Berrie noted she has a group of school children touring the museum on Friday, March 6th and needed help. Pat and Dolly Hein told her they would volunteer. Betty also said she would try to get Rudy Horcher to open the Carriage House.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the membership motion was made by Joe, seconded by Lonnie to adjourn the meeting at 7:30 p.m., and get on with the White Elephant Sale. Frank advised the money made on the auction would go to cover the cost of future expenses of the society. Motion Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Pat Hancock, Secretary
Wheeling Historical Society

ATTENTION

Anyone with any ideas for programs please let us know.

Anyone with a collection they would like to share with the membership, please let us know.

Anyone with any input, receipes, news,etc, please let us know.

Patti 537-1450



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No 5.

Newsletter

February 1998



Message From The President

We only have two more months before the elections. This is the time to think about who you would like to have as your new President, Curator, and two Directors. I will be appointing a nominating committee at the February meeting and names will also be taken from the floor at the April election meeting.

We hope to see many of our members at the February meeting which is also dinner and auction. I'm sure everyone will have fun. Plan to attend and bring some items to be auctioned off. Remember, the proceeds from the auction are used to help operate the Society.



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Let's remember why we're here.

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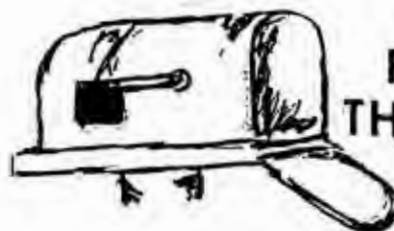
NAMES in the NEWS

We would like to welcome some new members to the Society.

Joan Schanley (Reese) living in California and formally of Wheeling.

Dick Lord resident of Wheeling for many years.

Glad to have you with us, and hope to see alot of you.



FROM THE MAILBOX

Received a letter from Margaret Brennan from our sister Wheeling, West Virginia. She read our newsletter and sent us a copy of their brochure from when they held their cemetery walk. She hopes we go forward with ours.

Letter received from Marvin W. Kamps inquiring for information about Regina Forke. Anyone with any knowledge of her approximately 1835 from Germany.

Also a letter of inquiry about Portwine Road from Evadean Ringstad whose maiden name was Portwine. She asks "Any connection???"

Anyone with any knowledge, please let me know.

Patti



SICK LIST

Cards have been sent to our friends and members who have been on the sick list.

Bob Buerger, Sam and Irene, Margaret Forke and Ethel Weider, Donna and Vern Nystrom.

Get well wishes are for all of you. We are hoping to see you all soon.

Chatter

VILLAGE OF WHEELING

Pictures of the Past Presidents have been reproduced for the Village of Wheeling at their request. There are still two of the pictures missing. Julius Meinken and John Sicks. Anyone knowing of J.Meinken, please let us know.

Letter was sent to Mr. Kiffel thanking him for the excellent program on School District #21 he presented at our January meeting.

Attached, you will find a letter to Rudy from Doug Bingham of Florida. Rudy asked that this letter be shared with all of our members.

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Pecan Nut Thins

- 1 cup butter or margerine
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 1/2 cup unbleached flour
- 2 eggs
- 1 cup chopped pecans
- 1 tea. vanilla
- 1/2 tea salt

Blend sugar and butter, add eggs Sift in salt and flour, add pecans Add vanilla- mix and drop onto cookie sheet- place a half nut on top. Bake in oven 375 degrees about 10 minutes until edges are golden brown.



Help is still needed at the museum on Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Just ring the door bell and we will let you in.

Help will also be needed on Sundays from 2 to 4:00 p.m. beginning March 1st. Will be checking with you to help!

YESTERDAY

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TODAY



Behm's Restaurant



Same location Hackney's

Wheeling Historical Society

T. W. C. R. Y. C. R.

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No. 4

Newsletter

JANUARY 98



Message From The President

The holiday season is over and Lonnie and I would like to thank each and everyone of you and wish you a healthy and prosperous new year.

Lollipop Lane is over for another year. We had approximately 800 kids come to visit Santa and Mrs. Claus. The cookie sale was great and we received some wonderful donations in response to the letter we sent out. Everything ran great. Our Chairpersons, Lonnie, Eleanor Bob and I would like to thank all of you who baked cookies and all those who helped out at Lollipop Lane. Without your help, it would not be as successful as it is. Again, thanks.

With only four more months as President, I hope they will be good months. With the help you have given me in the past, I don't see why they shouldn't be. We started something new at our October meeting that I hope we will continue, that being our members reminiscing about Wheeling's past. It's like adding a new chapter to "Wheeling Through The Years." What our members recall and share with us is quite interesting. There's so many things we can do with your help.



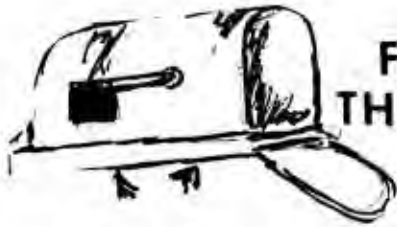
SICK LIST

This year some of our active members have had their ups and downs health wise. Rudy Horcher is on the road to recovery from his by-pass surgery. Bob Buerger is also on the road to recovery and looks better than he has in a long time. He still made it to Lollipop Lane almost every day. You just can't teach an old dog new tricks. Although we haven't seen Willie Franta for awhile, I understand she is back home. We of the Society wish you all a speedy recovery and thank you all for all you have done for the society.

1998

JANUARY							FEBRUARY							MARCH																
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31

- January 28th..We will have our regular meeting
- February..Annual dinner and auction will be held.
- March..Nominating Committee will present a slate for the April election.
- April.Election of Officers Nominations from the floor. Committee Chair's will be appointed.



FROM THE MAILBOX

2.

We received a note from Margaret Brennen, Wheeling West Virginia. I had sent her pictures of Lollipop Lane and she in turn has sent a flier of their "Oglebay Winter Festival of Lights."

A letter of request was sent to Mr. Sicks for a picture of his father George who was mayor of Wheeling in 1970-1919. Mr. Sicks has passed away but his wife will be checking for us.

Letter and copies of news articles have been sent to Mr. G. Fischer of Virginia and Mrs. Joanne Siadak of Calumet City upon their request for information on the Periolat family.

A letter of response sent to Mrs. Beverly Graf of Minnesota regarding the oldest churches in Wheeling. She is doing research on her family.



As you know, the museum has been closed the months of December January and February.

We would like to reopen the first Sunday in March and will be looking for volunteers to give two hours of their time on Sundays from 2-4 p.m. Please sign up when the list is passed around at the coming meetings.

NAMES in the NEWS

We would like to thank the following for their generous donations.

Mrs. Joanne Shields for a Baker's Chocolate Girl pencil sharpner. CICRA 1930's

Mr. & Mrs. B. Skallerup for 2 albums of phonographs and needles for the old victrola.

Mr. Raymond Bradigan for donating his fathers military items which were on loan to the museum.

Wedge Hancock for refinishing the old office chair and village hall bench. Both were damaged by the flood.

We are still missing photo's of former mayors.

J.P. Hausam 1895-1899,
George Sicks 1917-1919,
Julius Meinken 1928-1935

We are always looking for artifacts. Please check your attics, basements and closets. If you have something for the museum, please call Patti at 537-1450.

If you have news or something you would like to share with us in the newsletter, please let us know.

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1907

MILWAUKEE AVE.
CONSTRUCTION

& NOW



1997



Dear Members,

While this is fresh in my mind, I thought I would share with you the meeting of N.E.I.L (North Eastern Illinois Historical Council) which was held on Saturday, January 10th, 1998 at 9:00 a.m. and hosted by the Northbrook Historical Society.

Following the general meeting, there were two or I should say three presentations. One was given by Donna Schudel, who has worked many years in museums. Her presentation today was Mannequin Renovation, which we found to be quite interesting. Frederick Redinger of Fredrick Stain Glass presented the means of repair and care of stained glass which also proved to be quite interesting. Jan Harman President of N.E.I.L had available some costumes which had been cleaned and properly stored in acid free boxes and for those interested, she talked about the care and storing of vintage clothing. Never knew that special soaps, tissue paper and boxes were needed for storage of those items. This was quite an interesting meeting.

Following the meeting, Wedge and I toured the Northbrook Historical Museum. There are three floors, the top containing a home of the late 1800's, the main floor holds artifacts and at this time their exhibit of "Shermerville" which it was called before Northbrook. Also it contained a small store which they sold items on consignment. Seventy five percent went to the individual and twenty five percent went to the society. The lower level contained the meeting room, bathrooms, kitchen, etc. If anyone is interested in seeing the museum, they are open on Thursdays from 9am to noon and Sundays from 2-4 p.m.

Between the meeting of N.E.I.L and seeing the Northbrook Historical Museum, we had an enjoyable time. Anyone interested in attending these meetings are welcome. The next meeting of N.E.I.L will be held March 14th in Mt. Prospect, hosted by the Mt. Prospect Historical Society. This way you not only get interesting information but its a chance to see museums in other towns.

Patty



Douglas Bingham, Zada Bingham, Howard Bingham
..1948.. Rudy Horcher's Piper J3

Nov. 9, 1997

Dear Rudy:

I'll bet you are surprised to hear from one of the Bingham family after all these years!

I have been a member of the Wheeling Historical Society for about ten years and of course see your name in the Newsletter frequently. Unfortunately the latest letter mentioned your being in the hospital. I hope this letter finds you at home now and in good health.

I left the Wheeling area in 1948 and my parents left in 1949. I have been back only a few times since then. All of my family moved to Louisiana except me. Brother Don and sister Beth still live there. Brother Bob lived there until about a year ago, he is now retired and lives in Idaho. Don spent 30 years in the Air Force and retired in 1972. He was a pilot in the Air Transport Command in the south Pacific during the war and after the war spent years as a B-47 and B-52 pilot in the Strategic Air Command. Bob was in the field artillery and was in France and Germany with Pattons Army. I trained as a gunner on B-17's but the war ended as I was being shipped overseas.

My parents raised peaches on 35 acres in Louisiana until my dad died in 1968. Bob and my sister Beth and her husband also had peach orchards.

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
	ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES							
TAX RECEIPTS	5,787.54	1,095	6,284.36	1,195	53,821	47,537	3,834
RENTALS	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
TOTAL REVENUE	5,787.54	1,095	6,284.36	1,195	53,821	47,537	3,834
EXPENSES							
SALARIES & WAGES	2,418.65	2,400	5,174.93	5,162	31,431	26,256	5,431
SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	356.08	600	985.56	800	4,800	3,814	495
CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	195.75	434	244.79	534	2,029	1,784	372
MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	0	0.00	0	200	200	0
UTILITIES	926.45	773	1,453.76	913	8,307	6,853	762
OTHER	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	0.00	0	0.00	0	10,000	10,000	0
TOTAL EXPENSE	3,896.93	4,207	7,859.04	7,409	56,767	48,908	7,060
TOTAL FUND REVENUE	5,787.54	1,095	6,284.36	1,195	53,821	47,537	3,834
TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	3,896.93	4,207	7,859.04	7,409	56,767	48,908	7,060
NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	1,890.61	3,112-	1,574.68-	6,214-	2,946-	1,371-	3,226-

**ORDINANCE 2001-A
OF THE
WHEELING PARK DISTRICT
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

ANNUAL BUDGET AND APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE

RE: AN ORDINANCE SETTING FORTH THE BUDGET AND APPROPRIATION OF SUMS OF MONEY FOR ALL OF THE NECESSARY EXPENDITURES OF THE WHEELING PARK DISTRICT OF COOK AND LAKE COUNTIES, ILLINOIS, FOR CORPORATE PURPOSES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2001 AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2001.

WHEREAS, THE Board of Park Commissioners of the Wheeling Park District, Cook and Lake Counties, Illinois caused to be prepared in tentative form a Budget, and the Secretary of this Board has made the same conveniently available for public inspection for at least thirty (30) days prior to final action thereon, and:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held as to such a Budget and Appropriations Ordinance, on the 20th day of March, 2001.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Park Commissioners of the Wheeling Park District, as follows:

Section 1. That the fiscal year of this District be and the same hereby is fixed and declared to be from January 1, 2001 to December 31, 2001.

Section 2. That the following Budget and Appropriation Ordinance, in the amount of \$14,509,064 containing an estimate of the amount available and expenditures and the appropriate contained therein, be and the same is hereby adopted as the budget appropriations for this Park District for the said fiscal year 2001, and the following sum of money:

FUND NAME

APPROPRIATION LEVEL

Corporate	\$	1,977,976
Recreation		3,690,142
Museum		56,767
I.M.R.F.		75,000
Social Security		286,967
Paving and Lighting		29,000
Police		28,254
Special Population Recreation		113,610
Audit		35,571
Tort Immunity		290,075
Bond and Interest		2,911,754
Chevy Chase Renovation		102,492
Chevy Chase Irrigation Project		693,200
Community Recreation Center		97,050
1999 Bond Fund		42,816
2000 Bond Fund		233,000
2001 Bond Fund		954,004
Golf Course		1,133,142
Clubhouse		1,758,244
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TOTAL	\$	<u>14,509,064</u>

or as much thereof as may be authorized by law are hereby appropriated for purposes of the Wheeling Park District, as hereinafter specified for said fiscal year 2001.

Special Programs	-	
Special Events	<u>29,270</u>	
Total Contractual/General		\$ 173,852

PROGRAM SUPPLIES

Athletics	\$ 77,024	
General	4,580	
Dance/Drama/Arts	10,230	
Extended Care	54,724	
Aquatics	3,550	
Preschool	4,881	
Senior Citizens	655	
Special Programs	-	
Special Events	<u>22,934</u>	
Total Program Supplies		\$ 178,578

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

Office Equipment/Furniture	\$ -	
Vehicles	40,000	
Building Improvements	5,000	
Machinery/Implements/Major Tools	-	
Land Improvements	12,000	
Recreation Equipment	<u>-</u>	
Total Capital Improvements		\$ 57,000

DEBT SERVICE

CRC Addition I.C. Principal	\$ 120,000	
CRC Addition I.C. Interest	<u>69,205</u>	
Total Debt Service		\$ <u>189,205</u>

**TOTAL RECREATION FUND
ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES**

\$ 3,690,142

MUSEUM FUND

SALARIES & WAGES

Executive Director	\$ 10,540
Administrative Secretary	3,528
Director of Finance & Personnel	4,204

Director of Parks & Planning	6,896		
Maintenance Labor - Full Time	6,143		
Overtime	<u>120</u>		
		\$	31,431
<u>SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES</u>			
Office Supplies	\$ 500		
Office Equipment/Furniture	-		
Janitorial Supplies	720		
Parts/Fittings - Machinery/Equipment	580		
Parts/Fittings - Buildings	<u>3,000</u>		
Total Supplies & Commodities		\$	4,800
<u>CONTRACTUAL SERVICES</u>			
Equipment Service Agreements	\$ 316		
Postage	234		
Printing/Typesetting/Publishing	785		
Data Processing	524		
Contractual Services - Other	<u>170</u>		
Total Contractual Services		\$	2,029
<u>MAINTENANCE & REPAIR</u>			
M & R Equipment	\$ 200		
Total Maintenance & Repairs		\$	200
<u>UTILITIES</u>			
Electricity	\$ 769		
Gas Heating	3,382		
Water/Sewer	2,476		
Telephone	<u>1,680</u>		
Total Utilities		\$	8,307
<u>CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS</u>			
Building Improvements	\$ 10,000		
Ground Fixtures	-		
Land Improvements	<u>-</u>		
Total Capital Improvements		\$	<u>10,000</u>
TOTAL MUSEUM FUND			
ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES			<u><u>\$ 56,767</u></u>

~~To Be Picked Up~~

1-16-01

WHEELING PARK DISTRICT
OFFICE SUPPLY REQUISITION

DEPARTMENT MUSEUM

DATE JAN 12, 2000

REQUESTED BY: PATTI

QUANTITY	ITEM	NUMBER IF ANY	COST
	6 rolls Masaw Tracking Tape	1"	
	1 case 8 1/2 x 11 Plain Paper		
	2 boxes White ¹¹ ENVELOPES		
	6 BTLS WHITE OUT	2 Pen + Ink 4 All Purpose	

Received
Jan 15, 2001
Patti

PLEASE CALL WHEN READY

THANK YOU
P. HANCOCK 537-1450 Home

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	496.82	100	496.82	100	53,821	53,324	1,420
	RENTALS	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL REVENUE	496.82	100	496.82	100	53,821	53,324	1,420
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,756.28	2,762	2,756.28	2,762	31,431	28,675	2,700
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	629.48	200	629.48	200	4,800	4,171	98
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	49.04	100	49.04	100	2,029	1,980	35
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	0	0.00	0	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	527.31	140	527.31	140	8,307	7,780	13-
	OTHER	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	0.00	0	0.00	0	10,000	10,000	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	3,962.11	3,202	3,962.11	3,202	56,767	52,805	2,800
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	496.82	100	496.82	100	53,821	53,324	1,420
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	3,962.11	3,202	3,962.11	3,202	56,767	52,805	2,800
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	3,465.29-	3,102-	3,465.29-	3,102-	2,946-	519	1,380-

FUND..... 02 RECREATION

ACCOUNT NUMBER DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL	REMAINING	PRIOR
	ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET	BUDGET	BUDGET	YTD
REVENUES							
TAX RECEIPTS	35,958.88	555,813	691,692.60	1,286,374	1,311,052	619,359	663,186
FEES & ADMISSIONS	35,029.08	45,678	733,257.12	891,173	1,018,552	285,295	570,810
RENTALS	4,958.30	6,443	75,951.53	77,981	96,230	20,278	26,583
SALES	2,636.44	2,160	80,793.18	112,250	112,330	31,537	104,429
INTEREST	0.00	0	0.00	25,277	25,277	25,277	0
DONATIONS	0.00	0	13,692.50	11,300	11,300	2,393-	10,230
MISCELLANEOUS	4,014.53	2,079	48,974.53	27,413	33,875	15,100-	41,651
INTERGOVERNMENTAL	0.00	0	0.00	0	45,833	45,833	33,200
REC. PROGRAM FEES	67,949.63	86,147	912,475.65	983,465	1,199,234	286,758	857,512
TOTAL REVENUE	150,546.86	698,320	2,556,837.11	3,415,233	3,853,683	1,296,846	2,107,622
EXPENSES							
SALARIES & WAGES	80,213.36	105,567	910,256.93	1,040,025	1,320,819	410,562	760,427
SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	42,580.95	17,188	207,328.70	233,737	258,662	51,333	159,812
CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	15,319.13	14,043	155,439.87	173,007	216,583	61,143	164,162
MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	6,328.50	4,770	27,156.55	30,370	35,520	8,363	31,510
INSURANCE	6,902.85	7,401	67,014.11	66,605	88,808	21,794	43,750
UTILITIES	35,933.74	21,508	195,588.75	180,945	227,902	32,313	114,285
OTHER	329.25	12,172	214,875.93	270,640	286,139	71,263	218,291
INSTRUCTOR SALARIES	31,359.88	35,418	351,343.95	422,968	524,795	173,451	292,643
CONTRACTUAL/GENERAL	20,999.65	14,811	106,338.95	140,468	169,150	62,811	113,925
PROGRAM SUPPLIES	15,605.94	10,614	114,159.19	154,414	190,209	76,049	123,246
PROGRAM RENTALS	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	0.00	2,500	23,612.06	30,000	30,000	6,388	1,073,112
DEBT SERVICE	0.00	0	37,333.76	37,334	74,668	37,334	33,200
TOTAL EXPENSE	255,573.25	245,992	2,410,448.75	2,780,514	3,423,255	1,012,806	3,128,364
TOTAL FUND REVENUE	150,546.86	698,320	2,556,837.11	3,415,233	3,853,683	1,296,846	2,107,622
TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	255,573.25	245,992	2,410,448.75	2,780,514	3,423,255	1,012,806	3,128,364
NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	105,026.39-	452,328	146,388.36	634,719	430,428	284,040	820,742-

TO: Board of Commissioners, Wheeling Park District

FROM: Karop T. Bavougian, Executive Director

RE: Ordinance 99-E/1999 Tax Levy

DATE: December 17, 1999

Attached is a copy of the proposed Tax Levy for 1999 which is to be applied to all taxable property within the limits of the Wheeling Park District.

As required by law, the Board must adopt the Tax Levy Ordinance and file certified copies of the Tax Levy Ordinance with the County Clerk of Cook and Lake Counties no later than the last Tuesday in December (December 28, 1999).

The attached aggregate levy (other than debt service) represents an increase of 3.94%, excluding taxes levied for debt service, from the extended taxes for the year 1998. Inasmuch as the proposed levy is less than a 105% increase from the previous year's extension, the Park District is NOT required to go through the "Truth in Taxation" process. The total projected increase in the overall levy, including debt service, is 2.96% (debt service is not considered as part of the aggregate levy which the 105% increase from the previous year is calculated).

Following is a comparison of the estimated receipts (tax extension) from the 1998 levy and the 1999 projected levy based on an estimated equalized Assessed Valuation of \$803,296,197, which is approximately a 2% increase above last year's (1998) EAV of \$787,545,291.

<u>FUND</u>	<u>1998 LEVY</u>	<u>1998 EXT.</u>	<u>1998 TAX RATE</u>	<u>1999 LEVY</u>	<u>1999 EST. TAX RATE</u>	<u>% DIFF. 98 EXT. / 99 LEVY</u>
Corporate	\$1,275,155	\$1,288,131	0.1644	\$1,350,000	0.1680	4.80%
Recreation	1,275,155	1,288,131	0.1644	1,350,000	0.1680	4.80%
Museum	53,285	54,390	0.0069	56,230	0.0070	3.38%
I.M.R.F.	111,075	112,471	0.0143	116,475	0.0145	3.56%
F.I.C.A.	240,165	243,893	0.0311	257,055	0.0320	5.40%
Paving & Lighting	36,430	37,162	0.0047	40,165	0.0050	8.08%
Police	27,770	28,548	0.0036	30,525	0.0038	6.93%
Special Rec.	135,095	137,328	0.0174	120,495	0.0150	-12.26%
Audit	36,025	37,162	0.0047	36,950	0.0046	-0.57%
Tort	<u>262,680</u>	<u>266,043</u>	<u>0.0339</u>	<u>273,120</u>	<u>0.0340</u>	<u>2.66%</u>
Aggregate Levy	3,452,835	3,493,259	0.4454	3,631,015	0.4519	3.94%
B & I	<u>1,156,261</u>	<u>1,156,261</u>	<u>0.1555</u>	<u>1,156,261</u>	<u>0.1439</u>	<u>0.00%</u>
Total Levy	\$4,609,096	\$4,649,520	0.6009	\$4,787,136	0.5958	2.96%

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	4,282.22	1,118	4,328.90	1,252	52,621	48,292	3,217
	TOTAL REVENUE	4,282.22	1,118	4,328.90	1,252	52,621	48,292	3,217
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,462.15	2,548	5,188.01	5,223	32,539	27,351	4,971
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	916.18	541	1,470.28	582	9,740	8,270	100
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	271.84	248	290.10	285	1,721	1,431	121
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	0	0.00	0	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	530.60	567	1,062.25	1,104	7,391	6,329	1,185
	OTHER	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	0.00	0	0.00	0	3,300	3,300	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	4,180.77	3,904	8,010.64	7,194	54,891	46,880	6,377
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	4,282.22	1,118	4,328.90	1,252	52,621	48,292	3,217
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	4,180.77	3,904	8,010.64	7,194	54,891	46,880	6,377
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	101.45	2,786-	3,681.74-	5,942-	2,270-	1,412	3,160-

The 1999 proposed Tax Levy would normally be such that the maximum allowable rates would be maintained in the Corporate, Recreation, Paving & Lighting and Audit Funds. Given the restrictions imposed by the "Tax Cap", this is no longer possible. This is due to Cook County using the prior year EAV (1998) rather than the 1999 actual EAV (to be determined later in 2000). This in its own right keeps the District from accessing the full EAV. This coupled with the possibility/likelihood that the EAV may well increase more than projected, with real dollars being limited by the Tax Cap, the aggregate tax rate as well as individual fund rates will drop. Our projected EAV of \$803,296,197 represents a projected increase in our EAV of 2% from our 1998 EAV of \$787,545,291. We will not actually know our fund 1999 EAV until July - August 2000 - assuming Cook County can get the assessments and tax bills out on time for a change.

Following is an overview of the funds levied for:

- Corporate:** Projected rate of .1680. This is slightly up from last year's actual .1644 (projected to be a .1670), which is considerably less than the authorized limit of .1750. Should the EAV increase above projections, the rate would drop accordingly. Conversely, if the EAV does not reach projections, the rate would increase. **(Maximum Allowable Rate .1750)**
- Recreation:** Projected rate of .1680. This is slightly up from last year's actual .1644 (projected to be a .1670), which is considerably less than the authorized limit of .1750. Should the EAV increase above projections, the rate would drop accordingly. Conversely, if the EAV does not reach projections, the rate would increase. **(Maximum Allowable Rate .1750)**
- Museum:** Projected rate of .0070, slightly more than last year's actual of .0069 (projected 1998 - .0071) and considerably less than the maximum allowable rate. **(Maximum Allowable Rate .0300)**
- I.M.R.F.:** Projected rate of .0145; slightly up from last year's actual of .0143 (projected 1998 - .0148). Covers payroll expenses associated with pension. **(Maximum Rate - unlimited)**
- F.I.C.A.** Projected rate of .0320; slightly up from last year's actual of .0311 (projected 1998 - .0320). Covers payroll expenses for all District employees. **(Maximum Rate - unlimited)**
- Paving & Lighting:** Projected rate of .0050; slightly up from last year's actual of .0047 (projected 1998 - .0049), but at the maximum allowable rate. **(Maximum Allowable Rate - .0050)**
- Police:** Projected rate of .0038; slightly up from last year's actual of .0036 (projected 1998 - .0037), but far less than the maximum allowable rate. **(Maximum Allowable Rate - .0250)**

Special Recreation: Projected rate of .0150; slightly less than last year's actual of .0174 (projected 1998 - .0180). Reflects costs for agreement for Special Recreation Services (N.W.S.R.A.) as well as A.D.A. modifications/costs. Rate is far less than maximum allowable rate. (**Maximum Allowable Rate - .0400**)

Audit: Projected rate of .0046; slightly down from last year's actual of .0047 (projected 1998 - .0048). (**Maximum Allowable Rate - .0050**)

Tort: Projected rate of .0340; slightly up from last year's actual of .0349 (projected 1998 - .0350). (**Maximum Allowable Rate – unlimited**)

B & I This fund is not considered as part of the aggregate levy as it relates to the "Truth in Taxation" process. The projected rate is .1439; down from last year's actual of .1555 (projected 1998 - .1541). The rate for the B & I Fund will continue to drop due to the Tax Cap. You will notice the B & I dollar amount is the same as last year's extension. This amount is fixed by the Tax Cap. (***Maximum Allowable Rate – unlimited**)

*Although the rate is unlimited, the actual dollar amount is fixed by Tax Cap legislation. Thus, as the dollar amount stays the same and the EAV grows, the tax rate will drop.

As previously indicated, the Tax Levy must be adopted and filed with the County Clerks by the last Tuesday in December (December 28, 1999).

Recommendation: To adopt Ordinance 99-E/1999 Tax Levy

Motion: Move to adopt Ordinance 99-E/1999 Tax Levy in the amount of \$3,631,015.

**ORDINANCE 99-E
OF THE
WHEELING PARK DISTRICT**

RE: AN ORDINANCE FOR THE LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1999 OF THE WHEELING PARK DISTRICT OF COOK AND LAKE COUNTIES, ILLINOIS

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS OF THE WHEELING PARK DISTRICT OF COOK AND LAKE COUNTIES, ILLINOIS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That the sum of THREE MILLION SIX HUNDRED THIRTY-ONE THOUSAND FIFTEEN DOLLARS (\$3,631,015) be and the same is hereby assessed and levied for and against all of the real property within the limits of this Park District, as the same is assessed and equalized for said taxes, for the year 1999, said total levy being for the various purposes of this Park District more particularly set forth:

(1) FOR GENERAL CORPORATE FUND

SALARIES & WAGES

Executive Director	\$ 45,173	
Administrative Secretary	30,240	
Clerical - Part Time	39,790	
Director of Finance & Personnel	12,242	
Accounting Personnel	26,586	
Director of Parks & Planning	36,036	
Staff Training	-0-	
Park Supervisor	54,751	
Maintenance Labor - Full Time	256,010	
Maintenance Labor - Part Time Seasonal	75,388	
Promotion/Marketing	9,000	
Promotion - Part Time	479	
Overtime	<u>4,839</u>	
Total Salaries and Wages		\$590,534

GENERAL CORPORATE FUND (Continued)

SUPPLIES AND COMMODITIES

Office Supplies	\$ 8,000	
Sponsorship Supplies	-0-	
Blueprints/Presentation Supplies	2,900	
Office Equipment/Furniture	-0-	
Data Processing Supplies	6,500	
Publications, Periodicals, Books	1,874	
Janitorial Supplies	3,475	
Promotion Supplies	9,867	
Wearing Apparel	2,681	
Landscape Materials	20,841	
Small Tools/Equipment	5,980	
Shop Materials	4,695	
Gasoline, Oil, Anti-freeze	8,585	
Parts/Fittings - Motor Vehicles	10,320	
Parts/Fittings - Mowing Equipment	8,200	
Parts/Fittings - Machinery/Equipment	3,350	
Parts/Fittings - Buildings	3,700	
Parts/Fittings - Outdoor Property	<u>4,548</u>	
Total Supplies & Commodities		\$ 105,516

CONTRACTUAL SERVICES

Legal Services	\$10,000	
Professional Services	-0-	
Refuse Disposal	7,377	
Equipment Service Agreements	3,608	
Postage	6,753	
Printing/Typesetting	7,235	
Mileage Reimbursement	600	
Advertising - Display	1,480	
Advertising - Classified	1,900	
Communications Equipment Rental	6,696	
Bank Service Charges	978	
Data Processing	4,620	
Leased Equipment/Property	2,895	
Contractual Services - Other	<u>5,370</u>	
Total Contractual Services		\$ 59,512

MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS

M-R Office Equipment	\$ 2,400	
Total Maintenance and Repairs		\$ 2,400

GENERAL CORPORATE FUND (Continued)

<u>INSURANCE</u>		
Employee Health Insurance	\$ 66,904	
PDRMA Insurance	<u>-0-</u>	
Total Insurance		\$ 66,904
<u>UTILITIES</u>		
Electricity	\$ 35,000	
Gas-Heating	7,200	
Water/Sewer	1,675	
Telephone	<u>11,400</u>	
Total Utilities		\$ 55,275
<u>OTHER</u>		
Continuing Education	\$ 35,229	
Miscellaneous	9,200	
Dues/Membership	10,765	
Provisions for Contingency	10,000	
Internal Transfer	559,694	
Administrative Expense	<u>-0-</u>	
Total Other		\$ 624,888
<u>CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS</u>		
Office Equipment/Furniture	\$ -0-	
Vehicles	41,700	
Building Improvements	-0-	
Machinery/Implements/Major Tools	5,937	
Ground Fixtures	2,300	
Land Improvements	377,750	
Land Acquisition	<u>-0-</u>	
Total Capital Improvements		\$ 427,687
Total Corporate Fund Estimated Expenditures		\$1,932,716
Less: Estimated Receipts from Non-real Estate Tax Revenue Sources		<u>582,716</u>
TOTAL HEREBY LEVIED for General Corporate purposes, in accordance with the provisions of "The Park District Code", 70 ILCS 1205/5-1, for the year 1999		<u>\$1,350,000</u>

(2) **FOR RECREATION FUND**

SALARIES & WAGES

Executive Director	\$ 20,077	
Clerical - Full Time	89,600	
Clerical - Part Time	98,589	
Director of Finance & Personnel	12,241	
Accounting Personnel	26,586	
Staff Training	5,813	
Maintenance Labor - Full Time	91,407	
Maintenance Labor - Part Time Seasonal	22,783	
Director of Recreation	54,349	
Recreation Supervisors	359,545	
Community Outreach Coordinator	3,245	
Community Outreach Bus Driver	8,316	
Promotions and Marketing	9,000	
Promotions and Marketing - Part Time Seasonal	6,699	
Custodians	64,414	
Park/Building Supervisor	40,392	
Facility Supervisors - Other	41,171	
Custodian - part time	21,143	
Pool Supervisors	32,600	
Guards	132,100	
Guest Services	53,400	
Cashiers	26,959	
Party Personnel	12,285	
Pool Rental Personnel	8,516	
First Aid Attendant	5,000	
Camp Rental Personnel	4,000	
Facility Supervisor	-0-	
Guard Training	-0-	
Attendant	10,578	
Manager	6,143	
Cashier/Attendant	49,668	
Staff Training	1,200	
Overtime	<u>3,000</u>	
Total Salaries & Wages		\$1,320,819

SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES

Office Supplies	\$ 11,850
Sponsorship Supplies	1,000
Office Equipment/Furniture	1,600
Publications, Periodicals, Books	1,100
Janitorial Supplies	15,308
Promotional Supplies	19,900
Wearing Apparel	15,816

RECREATION FUND (Continued)

SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES (Continued)

Landscape Materials	4,000	
Small Tools/Equipment	1,450	
Gasoline, Oil, Anti-freeze	2,528	
Parts/Fittings - Motor Vehicles	4,420	
Parts/Fittings - Machinery Equipment	12,575	
Parts/Fittings Buildings	12,275	
Parts/Fittings Outdoor Property	14,800	
Concession Supplies	5,000	
Other Merchandise Supplies	290	
Party Supplies	21,820	
Camp Rental Supplies	6,500	
Pool Supplies	9,050	
Staff Reward Supplies	2,160	
Program/Equipment/Supplies	6,670	
Other Merchandise	2,000	
Corporate Outing Supplies	1,000	
Soft Drink	9,200	
Gum/Candy	2,400	
Ice Cream	8,400	
Food Concession Stand	24,000	
Corporate Outings - Food	1,500	
Pool Chemicals	20,550	
Paint	3,950	
Vending Machine Supplies	<u>15,550</u>	
Total Supplies & Commodities		\$258,662

CONTRACTUAL SERVICES

Professional Services	\$2,000	
Pest Control Service	2,240	
Refuse Disposal	7,800	
Equipment Service Agreements	23,511	
Postage	14,265	
Printing/Typesetting	75,502	
Mileage Reimbursement	1,560	
Advertising/Display	16,100	
Advertising/Classified	2,150	
Communication Equipment Rental	4,630	
Bank Service Charges	17,326	
Entertainment Birthday Party	1,280	
Data Processing	4,620	
Leased Equipment	4,980	

RECREATION FUND (Continued)

CONTRACTUAL SERVICES (Continued)

Contractual Services – Other	33,819	
Field Trip	<u>4,800</u>	
Total Contractual Services		\$216,583

MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS

M & R Office Equipment	<u>\$ 35,520</u>	
Total Maintenance & Repairs		\$ 35,520

INSURANCE

Employee Health Insurance	<u>\$ 88,808</u>	
Total Insurance		\$ 88,808

UTILITIES

Electricity	\$121,759	
Gas Heating	42,528	
Water/Sewer	38,486	
Telephone	<u>25,129</u>	
Total Utilities		\$227,902

OTHER

Continuing Education	\$ 28,250	
Miscellaneous	3,590	
Dues/Memberships	2,675	
Provisions for Contingency	10,000	
Scholarships	24,178	
Internal Transfer	188,946	
Administrative Expense	26,000	
Benefits	<u>2,500</u>	
Total Other		\$286,139

INSTRUCTOR SALARIES

Athletics	\$ 42,974	
General	4,132	
Dance/Drama/Arts	11,868	
Extended Care	346,310	
Aquatics	17,449	
Preschool	61,152	
Senior Citizens	20,618	
Special Programs	-0-	
Special Events	<u>20,293</u>	
Total Instructor Salaries		\$524,796

RECREATION FUND (Continued)

CONTRACTUAL/GENERAL

Athletics	\$ 48,810	
General	6,576	
Dance/Drama/Arts	2,970	
Extended Care	73,165	
Aquatics	-0-	
Preschool	6,950	
Senior Citizens	4,375	
Special Programs	-0-	
Special Events	<u>25,555</u>	
Total Contractual/General		\$168,401

PROGRAM SUPPLIES

Athletics	\$ 79,445	
General	825	
Dance/Drama/Arts	7,760	
Extended Care	74,424	
Aquatics	2,800	
Preschool	4,952	
Senior Citizens	-0-	
Special Programs	-0-	
Special Events	<u>9,529</u>	
Total Program Supplies		\$190,212

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

Office Equipment/Furniture	\$ 1,000	
Vehicles	-0-	
Building Improvements	29,000	
Machinery/Implements/Major Tools	-0-	
Land Improvements	-0-	
Recreation Equipment	<u>-0-</u>	
Total Capital Improvements		\$ 30,000

DEBT SERVICE

CRC Addition IC Principal	\$115,000	
CRC Addition IC Interest	<u>74,668</u>	
Total Debt Service		<u>\$189,668</u>

(2) **Total Recreation Fund Estimated Expenditures** \$3,537,510
Less: Estimated Receipts from Non-real Estate Tax \$2,187,510
Revenue Sources

TOTAL HEREBY LEVIED for Recreation Fund purposes in accordance with the provisions of "The Park District Code", 70 ILCS 1205/5-3a, for the year 1999 \$1,350,000

(3) FOR MUSEUM FUND

Total Museum Fund Estimated Expenditures \$ 56,230

TOTAL HEREBY LEVIED for Museum Fund purposes, in accordance with the provisions of "The Park District Code", 70 ILCS 1290/2, for the year 1999 \$ 56,230

(4) FOR ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT FUND

Total I.M.R.F. Estimated Expenditures \$116,475

TOTAL HEREBY LEVIED for I.M.R.F. purposes, in accordance with the provisions of 40 ILCS 5/7-171 for the year 1999 \$ 116,475

(5) FOR SOCIAL SECURITY FUND

Total Social Security Estimated Expenditures \$257,055

TOTAL HEREBY LEVIED for Social Security Fund purposes, in accordance with the provisions of 40 ILCS 5/7-171 for the year 1999 \$257,055

(6) FOR PAVING AND LIGHTING FUND

Total Paving and Lighting Estimated Expenditures \$ 40,165

TOTAL HEREBY LEVIED for Paving and Lighting Fund purposes, in accordance with the provisions of "The Park District Code", 70 ILCS 1205/5-6 for the year 1999 \$ 40,165

(7) FOR POLICE FUND

Total Police Fund Estimated Expenditures \$ 30,525

TOTAL HEREBY LEVIED for Police Fund purposes, in accordance with the provisions of "The Park District Code", 70 ILCS 1205/5-9 for the year 1999 \$ 30,525

(8) FOR HANDICAPPED RECREATION FUND

Total Handicapped Recreation Fund Estimated Expenditures \$120,495

TOTAL HEREBY LEVIED for Handicapped Recreation Fund purposes, in accordance with the provisions of "The Park District Code", 70 ILCS 1205/5-8 for the year 1999 \$120,495

(9) FOR THE AUDIT FUND

Total Audit Fund Estimated Expenditures

\$ 36,950

TOTAL HEREBY LEVIED for Audit Fund purposes, in accordance with the provisions of 50 ILCS 310/9, for the year 1999

\$ 36,950

(10) FOR LIABILITY INSURANCE FUND

Total Liability Insurance Fund Estimated Expenditures

\$273,120

TOTAL HEREBY LEVIED for Liability Insurance Fund purposes, in accordance with the provisions of 745 ILCS 10/9-107, for the year 1999

\$273,120

SUMMARY OF 1999 TAX LEVIES

(1)	Total Tax Levy General Corporate Fund	\$1,350,000	
(2)	Total Tax Levy Recreation Fund	1,350,000	
(3)	Total Tax Levy Museum Fund	56,230	
(4)	Total Tax Levy Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund	116,475	
(5)	Total Tax Levy Social Security Fund	257,055	
(6)	Total Tax Levy Paving & Lighting Fund	40,165	
(7)	Total Tax Levy Police Fund	30,525	
(8)	Total Tax Levy Handicapped Recreation Fund	120,495	
(9)	Total Tax Levy Audit Fund	36,950	
(10)	Total Tax Levy Liability Insurance Fund	<u>273,120</u>	
	TOTAL AMOUNT OF TAX LEVIES FOR 1999		<u>\$3,631,015</u>

SECTION 2. That the taxes so levied and assessed as set forth by this Ordinance upon the taxable property subject to taxes within the limits of this Park District, shall be collected and enforced in the same manner and by the same officers as general taxes are now collected and enforced for city and village purposes in the Counties of Cook and Lake, State of Illinois, and shall be paid over by the officers so collected the same to be Treasurer of this Park District.

SECTION 3. That the Secretary of this Park District be and is hereby directed to file with the County Clerk of Cook and Lake Counties, Illinois, within the time limit prescribed by law, a certified copy of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. If any item or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Commissioner _____ moved, seconded by Commissioner _____, that Ordinance 99-E be adopted. Roll being called, the following Commissioners voted:

Commissioner Klumpp _____	Commissioner Webber _____
Commissioner Kent _____	Commissioner Drake _____
Commissioner Melamed _____	Commissioner Philipp _____
Commissioner Mattes _____	

Adopted this _____ day of December, 1999
by the Board of Park Commissioners
of the Wheeling Park District

President

ATTEST:

Secretary

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH ACTUAL	BUDGET	YTD ACTUAL	YTD BUDGET	ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	19,400.63	0	52,896.30	52,621	52,621	275-	50,099
	TOTAL REVENUE	19,400.63	0	52,896.30	52,621	52,621	275-	50,099
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,635.04	2,802	25,875.47	29,611	32,539	3,649	28,370
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	400.45	332	3,415.96	9,148	9,740	4,324	5,567
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	166.42	231	1,498.73	1,613	1,721	222	1,110
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	0	0.00	200	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	1,023.83	823	6,422.66	6,480	7,391	968	6,314
	OTHER	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	68
	CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	1,576.00	0	2,107.44	3,300	3,300	1,163	3,519
	TOTAL EXPENSE	5,701.74	4,156	44,365.28	50,352	54,891	10,526	44,948
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	19,400.63	0	52,896.30	52,621	52,621	275-	50,099
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	5,701.74	4,156	44,365.28	50,352	54,891	10,526	44,948
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	13,698.89	4,156-	8,531.02	2,269	2,270-	10,801-	5,150

FUND 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	1,322.54	4,922	25,647.69	29,464	52,621	25,973	22,983
	TOTAL REVENUE	1,322.54	4,922	25,647.69	29,464	52,621	25,973	22,983
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,599.30	2,822	21,174.99	21,312	32,539	11,364	20,655
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	327.65	212	3,675.83	4,182	9,740	6,063	3,827
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	218.08	261	1,225.25	1,222	1,721	495	845
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	0	0.00	100	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	654.99	822	4,592.93	4,658	7,391	2,798	4,789
	OTHER	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	68
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	0.00	0	461.44	0	3,300	2,839	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	3,800.02	4,117	21,130.44	31,474	54,891	23,759	30,184
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	1,322.54	4,922	25,647.69	29,464	52,621	25,973	22,983
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	3,800.02	4,117	21,130.44	31,474	54,891	23,759	30,184
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	2,477.48-	773	4,484.75-	2,010-	2,270-	2,215	7,201-

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	236.91	984	23,832.22	23,044	52,621	28,789	21,304
	TOTAL REVENUE	236.91	984	23,832.22	23,044	52,621	28,789	21,304
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	1,853.77	2,700	12,757.86	12,866	32,539	19,781	12,821
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	164.34	692	2,989.32	2,856	9,740	6,751	3,413
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	173.88	218	918.91	811	1,721	802	406
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	0	0.00	100	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	605.91	800	2,907.02	2,764	7,391	4,484	2,857
	OTHER	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	67.27	0	-461.44	0	3,300	2,839	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	2,865.17	4,410	20,034.55	19,397	54,891	34,856	19,497
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	236.91	984	23,832.22	23,044	52,621	28,789	21,304
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	2,865.17	4,410	20,034.55	19,397	54,891	34,856	19,497
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	2,628.26-	3,426-	3,797.67	3,647	2,270-	6,068-	1,807

Wheeling Park District
Office Supply Requisition

Department: Museum
Requested by: P. Hancock

Date: 3-6-99

QUANTITY	ITEM	NUMBER	COST
1 pk. = (3)	Minolta Toner <i>under contract</i>	8931-602	-0- (\$97.00)
6 ea	Olivetti ET 201 "NUKOTE"	B-136 <i>2.87 ea</i>	<u>17.22</u>
1 pk.	Universal Copier Labels (33/page) 100 sheets/pk.	#90102	<u>14.89</u>
2 pk.	Universal Sheet Protectors	#21121 <i>3.58/50</i>	<u>7.16</u>
2 Box	White Envelopes <i>4.29/500/Box</i>	#10	<u>8.58</u>

Total \$ 47.85

Please Call When Ready

Thank You
P. Hancock 537-1450

Wheeling Park District
Office Supply Requisition

Department: Museum
Requested by: P. Hancock

Date: 3-6-99

QUANTITY	ITEM	NUMBER	COST
1 pk.= (3)	Minolta Toner	8931-602	-
6 ea	Olivetti ET 201 "NUKOTE"	B-136	_____
1 pk.	Universal Copier Labels (33/page) 100 sheets/pk.	#90102	_____
2 pk.	Universal Sheet Protectors	#21121	_____
2 Box	White Envelopes 500/Box	#10	_____

Total \$ _____

Please Call When Ready

Thank You
P. Hancock 537-1450

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	0.00	984	23,595.31	22,060	52,621	29,026	21,257
	TOTAL REVENUE	0.00	984	23,595.31	22,060	52,621	29,026	21,257
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,907.79	2,852	10,904.09	10,166	32,539	21,635	10,279
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	519.05	541	2,824.98	2,164	9,740	6,915	3,051
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	265.55	111	745.03	593	1,721	976	346
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	100	0.00	100	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	671.49	367	2,301.11	1,964	7,391	5,090	1,886
	OTHER	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	394.17	0	394.17	0	3,300	2,906	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	4,758.05	3,971	17,169.38	14,987	54,891	37,722	15,562
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	0.00	984	23,595.31	22,060	52,621	29,026	21,257
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	4,758.05	3,971	17,169.38	14,987	54,891	37,722	15,562
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	4,758.05-	2,987-	6,425.93	7,073	2,270-	8,696-	5,695

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	19,266.41	19,824	23,595.31	21,076	52,621	29,026	20,890
	TOTAL REVENUE	19,266.41	19,824	23,595.31	21,076	52,621	29,026	20,890
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,808.29	2,091	7,996.30	7,314	32,539	24,543	7,583
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	835.65	1,041	2,305.93	1,623	9,740	7,434	942
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	189.38	197	479.48	492	1,721	1,242	457
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	0	0.00	0	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	567.37	493	1,629.62	1,597	7,391	5,761	1,620
	OTHER	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	0.00	0	0.00	0	3,300	3,300	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	4,400.69	3,822	12,411.33	11,016	54,891	42,480	10,602
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	19,266.41	19,824	23,595.31	21,076	52,621	29,026	20,890
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	4,400.69	3,822	12,411.33	11,016	54,891	42,480	10,602
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	14,865.72	16,002	11,183.98	10,060	2,270-	13,454-	10,288

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH ACTUAL	MONTH BUDGET	-----YEAR TO DATE----- ACTUAL	BUDGET	ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	13,034.35	0	50,098.84	52,793	52,793	2,694	47,105
	TOTAL REVENUE	13,034.35	0	50,098.84	52,793	52,793	2,694	47,105
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,492.54	2,481	28,369.87	28,305	31,023	2,653	27,060
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	795.42	242	5,566.62	7,492	7,682	2,115	4,630
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	161.18	227	1,110.11	1,672	1,692	582	1,095
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	17	0.00	183	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	570.47	698	6,314.31	5,564	6,359	45	6,185
	OTHER	0.00	0	68.40	0	0	68-	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	0.00	0	3,519.09	9,200	9,200	5,681	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	4,019.61	3,665	44,948.40	52,416	56,156	11,208	38,971
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	13,034.35	0	50,098.84	52,793	52,793	2,694	47,105
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	4,019.61	3,665	44,948.40	52,416	56,156	11,208	38,971
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	9,014.74	3,665-	5,150.44	377	3,363-	8,513-	8,134

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	12,437.77	988	37,064.49	52,793	52,793	15,729	46,180
	TOTAL REVENUE	12,437.77	988	37,064.49	52,793	52,793	15,729	46,180
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,611.35	2,600	25,877.33	25,824	31,023	5,146	24,818
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	198.91	3,730	4,771.20	7,250	7,682	2,911	4,306
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	45.52	30	748.93	1,445	1,692	743	890
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	17	0.00	166	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	638.50	326	5,743.84	-4,866	6,359	615	5,876
	OTHER	0.00	0	-69.40	0	0	68-	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	2,016.43	0	3,519.09	9,200	9,200	5,681	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	5,510.71	6,703	40,928.79	48,751	56,156	15,227	35,891
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	12,437.77	988	37,064.49	52,793	52,793	40,355	46,180
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	5,510.71	6,703	40,928.79	48,751	56,156	15,227	35,891
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	6,927.06	5,715-	3,864.30-	-4,042	3,363-	25,128	10,289

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		---YEAR TO DATE---		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	1,643.71	22,246	24,626.72	51,805	52,793	28,166	36,418
	TOTAL REVENUE	1,643.71	22,246	24,626.72	51,805	52,793	28,166	36,418
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,611.35	2,640	23,265.98	23,224	31,023	7,757	22,205
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	745.70	240	4,572.29	3,520	7,682	3,110	4,076
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	58.00	110	903.41	1,415	1,692	789	881
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	17	0.00	149	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	315.96	326	5,105.84	4,540	6,359	1,254	4,819
	OTHER	0.00	0	-68.40	0	0	68-	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	1,502.66	2,500	1,502.66	9,200	9,200	7,697	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	5,233.67	5,833	35,418.08	42,048	56,156	20,738	31,981
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	1,643.71	22,246	24,626.72	51,805	52,793	51,149	36,418
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	5,233.67	5,833	35,418.08	42,048	56,156	20,738	31,981
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	3,589.96-	16,413	10,791.36-	9,757	3,363-	30,411	4,436

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	16.65	4,939	22,983.01	29,559	52,793	29,810	25,213
	TOTAL REVENUE	16.65	4,939	22,983.01	29,559	52,793	29,810	25,213
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,492.67	2,501	20,654.63	20,584	31,023	10,368	19,720
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	45.52	240	3,826.59	3,280	7,682	3,855	3,764
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	151.28	193	845.41	1,305	1,692	847	832
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	17	0.00	132	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	855.84	493	4,789.38	4,214	6,359	1,570	4,221
	OTHER	0.00	0	68.40	0	0	68-	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	0.00	1,600	0.00	6,700	9,200	9,200	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	3,545.31	5,044	30,184.41	36,215	56,156	25,972	28,537
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	16.65	4,939	22,983.01	29,559	52,793	52,776	25,213
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	3,545.31	5,044	30,184.41	36,215	56,156	25,972	28,537
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	3,528.66-	105-	7,201.40-	6,656-	3,363-	26,805	3,323-

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	1,656.67	1,503	22,960.82	24,620	52,793	29,832	24,378
	TOTAL REVENUE	1,656.67	1,503	22,960.82	24,620	52,793	29,832	24,378
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,611.36	2,635	15,431.90	15,345	31,023	15,591	14,748
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	101.41	340	3,514.57	2,600	7,682	4,167	2,431
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	72.00	40	478.38	1,042	1,692	1,214	647
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	17	0.00	98	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	1,282.85	447	4,139.52	3,059	6,359	2,219	2,990
	OTHER	68.40	0	68.40	0	0	68-	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	0.00	2,100	0.00	5,100	9,200	9,200	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	4,136.02	5,579	23,632.77	27,244	56,156	32,523	20,816
	- TOTAL FUND REVENUE	1,656.67	1,503	22,960.82	24,620	52,793	51,136	24,378
	- TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	4,136.02	5,579	23,632.77	27,244	56,156	32,523	20,816
	- NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	2,479.35-	4,076-	671.95-	2,624-	3,363-	18,613	3,562

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	47.23	988	21,304.15	23,117	52,793	31,489	24,287
	TOTAL REVENUE	47.23	988	21,304.15	23,117	52,793	31,489	24,287
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,541.35	2,526	12,820.54	12,710	31,023	18,202	12,376
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	362.61	500	3,413.16	2,260	7,682	4,269	2,247
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	60.69	229	406.38	1,002	1,692	1,286	647
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	17	0.00	81	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	970.45	478	2,856.67	2,612	6,359	3,502	2,767
	OTHER	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	0.00	0	0.00	3,000	9,200	9,200	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	3,935.10	3,750	19,496.75	21,665	56,156	36,659	18,037
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	47.23	988	21,304.15	23,117	52,793	52,746	24,287
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	3,935.10	3,750	19,496.75	21,665	56,156	36,659	18,037
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	3,887.87-	2,762-	1,807.40	1,452	3,363-	16,087	6,250

WHEELING HISTORICAL MUSEUM
BUDGET 1998

BUDGET BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1998

Supply Account..... \$480.00

EXPENDITURES

Supplies Jan. 22, 1998..... ^{139.95}
~~\$165.15~~

		\$314.85
		340.05
		- 11.86
Sup	3-30-98	<u>328.14</u>
	9-18-98	- 23.97
		<u>304.17</u>

WHEELING PARK DISTRICT
OFFICE SUPPLY REQUISITION

DEPARTMENT _____

DATE _____

REQUESTED BY: _____

QUANTITY	ITEM	NUMBER IF ANY	COST

PLEASE CALL WHEN READY

THANK YOU
P. HANCOCK 537-1450 Home

WHEELING PARK DISTRICT
OFFICE SUPPLY REQUISITION

DEPARTMENT _____

DATE _____

REQUESTED BY: _____

QUANTITY	ITEM	NUMBER IF ANY	COST

PLEASE CALL WHEN READY

THANK YOU
P. HANCOCK 537-1450 Home

WHEELING PARK DISTRICT
OFFICE SUPPLY REQUISITION

DEPARTMENT _____ DATE _____

REQUESTED BY: _____

QUANTITY	ITEM	NUMBER IF ANY	COST

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P. HANCOCK 537-1450 Home

WHEELING PARK DISTRICT
OFFICE SUPPLY REQUISITION

DEPARTMENT _____ DATE _____

REQUESTED BY: _____

QUANTITY	ITEM	NUMBER IF ANY	COST

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P. HANCOCK 537-1450 Home

WHEELING PARK DISTRICT
OFFICE SUPPLY REQUISITION

DEPARTMENT _____

DATE _____

REQUESTED BY: _____

QUANTITY	ITEM	NUMBER IF ANY	COST

PLEASE CALL WHEN READY

THANK YOU

P. HANCOCK 537-1450 Home

Requested by: csrkak1 Inventory Pick List Page: 1
 Pick List : S105210132 ===== Date: 05/21/01
 Order Ref. : C105210119 Priority: 10 Ship Via: UPS
 Customer Code: 4400778 Set: 0000 Cust P.O.: PAT ARMITAGE

BILL: **SHIP:**
 WHEELING PARK DISTRICT WHEELING PARK DISTRICT
 333 W DUNDEE ROAD 333 W DUNDEE ROAD
 WHEELING IL 60090 WHEELING IL 60090
 TOM BUSBY PAT ARMITAGE

Item	Qty Owed	Part Number Description	Qty in Bin	Qty to Pick	Qty Picked
1	4	8931602 2121/2151/2152 MT BLK TONER Warehouse Bin	732	4	EA

ORD BY PAT ARMITAGE FOR EP2151/3619059...KAK

*1 pkg No-KOTE Printer ribbons
 B136 Olivetti ET 201, 221*

Reorder Number:
B136 **Olivetti**
ET 201, 221

1 PK (12 Storage bases)

2011/8

**PURCHASE ORDER
WHEELING PARK DISTRICT**

62515

State Tax Exemption # E9997-9659-02

Aquatic Center
327 W. Dundee Road
Wheeling, IL 60090-2768
(847) 465-POOL

Heritage Park
222 S. Wolf Road
Wheeling, IL 60090-4896
(847) 465-3338
Fax (847) 537-2292

Chevy Chase
1000 N. Milwaukee Avenue
Wheeling, IL 60090-1899
(847) 537-0362
Fax (847) 537-8771

Community Recreation Center
333 W. Dundee Road
Wheeling, IL 60090-2768
(847) 465-3333
Fax (847) 537-3481

VENDOR INFORMATION:

NAME Office Max
ADDRESS _____
CITY, STATE, ZIP _____
FAX () _____
PHONE () _____

1. All goods to be shipped prepaid.
2. P.O. received by vendor is for verification purposes only.
3. P.O. number to be listed on shipping documents and invoice by vendor.
4. Goods to be shipped to locations circled above.
5. All invoices sent to Community Recreation Center.

QUANTITY ORDERED	UNIT OF MEASURE	DESCRIPTION OF PURCHASE	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL COSTS	BUDGET CODE
1	BT/500	#10 Plain Envelopes		3.98	04100-510010
1	ctn	Copy Paper		19.99	"
* Taken from Inventory Stock					
Patti Hancock to Pick up					
1	4/pk	MT Toner 8931-602 for Model EP2151 Ser. #3619059		N/C	Serv. Contr.
SHIPPING/FREIGHT					
				P.O. TOTAL	23.97

Ordered By Pat Armitage Date 9 / 17 / 98
 Noted By Dept. Head Karop Bavoucin Date 9 / 18 / 98
 Received by Finance Dept. by P.A.O. Date / /
 Signature Pat Armitage Date 9 / 22 / 98

Goods Received as Ordered Authorization to Pay



VENDOR

WHEELING PARK DISTRICT
OFFICE SUPPLY REQUISITION

DEPARTMENT Museum

DATE 9/18/98

REQUESTED BY: P. Hancock

QUANTITY	ITEM	NUMBER IF ANY	COST
1	Box #10 Plain Envelopes	BX/500	3.98
1	CTN Copy Paper		19.99
1	4 PK. TONER		N/C
			23.97

PLEASE CALL WHEN READY

THANK YOU
P. HANCOCK 537-1450 Home

APR 25, 1998

2 PM

CHICAGO, IL

80 REMINGTON BLVD

7 LINGBROOK, IL 60440

PHONE: (630)226-0047

ROUTE : 4
CARTONS : 2

CUSTOMER DELIVERY RECEIPT

PLEASE CALL 1-800-788-8080 FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR ORDER

ORDER NUMBER : 71721180
STORE NUMBER : 59081

ORDER DATE : 03/25/98 04:26 PM
SHIP DATE : 03/26/98

SHIP TO :
WHEELING PARK DIST

BILL TO:

CONTACT: PAT ARMITAGE
333 W DUNDEE RD
CHICAGO, IL 60609

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333 W DUNDEE RD
CHICAGO, IL 60609

WHEELING, IL 60090

WHEELING, IL 60090

HOME PHONE : (847)465-3333

BUSINESS PHONE: (847)465-3333

Historical Society

LINE#	SKU	UPC	QTY DELIVERED	QTY ORDERED	TAXABLE	PRICE	EXTO PRICE
1	02018658 91340	052472415233	2	2	Y	6.69	\$13.38
							FAX PAPER 98' 6-PACK
2	06011497 7614	052472336514	1	1	Y	3.99	\$3.99
							ADD ROLL 2-1/4" 12PK
3	10000964 84074	071641840744	1	1	Y	3.59	\$3.59
							EXPO FINE 4-COLOR
4	03002903 FF308	072782052003	1	1	Y	1.99	\$1.99
							FILE FOLDER LABELS-N
5	11003763 10161-9	022473101619	1	1	Y	3.29	\$3.29
							HELVETICA 12-POINT
6	11003781 10166-9	022473101664	2	1	Y	3.29	\$3.29
							HELVETICA 24 POINT
7	11003923 10329-9	022473103293	1	1	Y	3.29	\$3.29
							HELVETICA 24 POINT
8	08012553 69201	079916692012	1	1	Y	6.99	\$6.99
							8.5X11 SIGN HLDR STA
9	03002351 515-25	086486552769	1	1	Y	2.99	\$2.99
							CARD GUIDE A-Z 1/5CT
10	06010693 00125 10	026900901254	2	2	Y	3.99	\$7.98
							#10 ENVELOPE-REG. WH
							Buy 2/get 1 free
	A839, \$20 off purchase \$50					20.00	
							122574347869

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16.86
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Wheeling Park District
Museum
Purchase Order 1998

ITEM	QUANTITY	\$ AMOUNT	PARIC PRICE
✓ 8 1/2 x 11 Copy Paper	1 Case	?	21.99
✓ Picture Frames 8 1/2 x 11 @ 6.49 ea	12	19.47	3.02 25.96
✓ No Smoking Signs @. 3.99	4	15.96	15.96
✓ Postal Scale	1	11.99	6.99
- Rub On Lettering 3 dif sizes @ 2.79	3	8.37	-
✓ Calendar refill 3 1/2 x 6"	1	2.99	.99
✓ Sign Holder (Deflecto) 4 tier	1	13.99	13.99
- Sign Holder " 8 1/2 x 11	1	6.99	-
✓ #10 Envelopes (500/box)	1 box	19.29	3.99
✓ Index Cards (3 x 5) @1.49 pk.	6 pkg.	8.94	4.78
✓ Liquid Paper @ ^{.75} 1.19 /bottle	6 btls.	7.20	4.49
✓ Staple Removers @ ^{.45} .88 ea.	4	3.52	.99
- Staple Gun	1	14.99	1.80
✓ Tape Dispenser (Black)	1	3.47	-
✓ Copier Labels	1 box	10.99	1.59
Printer Ribbons (Silver Reed 500) @4.99 ea.	6	30.00	5.70
✓ BOOK ENDS	2 SET		41.94

The above items were taken from the 1998 Office Max book and the prices probably have since changed.

165.15

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	367.08	988	21,256.92	22,129	52,793	31,536	23,378
	TOTAL REVENUE	367.08	988	21,256.92	22,129	52,793	31,536	23,378
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,696.62	2,620	10,279.19	10,184	31,023	20,744	9,890
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	2,108.67	240	3,050.35	1,760	7,682	4,631	2,143
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	111.45-	270	345.69	773	1,692	1,346	546
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	16	0.00	64	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	265.90	438	1,885.22	2,134	6,359	4,473	2,289
	OTHER	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	0.00	0	0.00	3,000	9,200	9,200	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	4,959.74	3,584	15,561.65	17,915	56,156	40,594	14,868
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	367.08	988	21,256.92	22,129	52,793	52,426	23,378
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	4,959.74	3,584	15,561.65	17,915	56,156	40,594	14,868
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	4,592.66-	2,596-	5,695.27	4,214	3,363-	11,832	8,510

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	17,672.40	20,154	20,889.84	21,141	52,793	31,903	22,771
	TOTAL REVENUE	17,672.40	20,154	20,889.84	21,141	52,793	31,903	22,771
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,611.35	2,599	7,582.57	7,564	31,023	23,440	7,404
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	841.79	840	941.88	1,520	7,682	<u>6,740</u>	2,042
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	336.16	388	457.14	503	1,692	1,235	529
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	16	0.00	48	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	435.22	519	1,620.32	1,696	6,359	4,739	1,939
	OTHER	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	0.00	0	0.00	3,000	9,200	9,200	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	4,224.52	4,362	10,601.91	14,331	56,156	45,554	11,914
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	17,672.40	20,154	20,889.84	21,141	52,793	35,121	22,771
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	4,224.52	4,362	10,601.91	14,331	56,156	45,554	11,914
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	13,447.88	15,792	10,287.93	6,810	3,363-	10,433-	10,857

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	147.90	0	147.90	0	52,793	52,645	32
	TOTAL REVENUE	147.90	0	147.90	0	52,793	52,645	32
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,617.66	2,601	2,617.66	2,601	31,023	28,405	2,735
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	70.62	340	70.62	340	7,682	7,611	432
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	26.89	89	26.89	89	1,692	1,665	73
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	16	0.00	16	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	341.02	580	341.02	580	6,359	6,018	198
	OTHER	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	0.00	0	0.00	0	9,200	9,200	0
	TOTAL EXPENSE	3,056.19	3,626	3,056.19	3,626	56,156	53,100	3,438
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	147.90	0	147.90	0	52,793	52,645	32
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	3,056.19	3,626	3,056.19	3,626	56,156	53,100	3,438
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	2,908.29-	3,626-	2,908.29-	3,626-	3,363-	455-	3,406-

Wheeling Park District
Museum
Purchase Order 1998

	ITEM	QUANTITY	\$ AMOUNT
	✓ 8 1/2 x 11 Copy Paper	1 Case	? 21.99
Pg 211	✓ 8 1/2 x 14 "		27.98 3.02
	✓ Picture Frames 8 1/2 x 11 @ ^{6.49} 6.99 / 3 ea	12	19.47 25.96
58	✓ No Smoking Signs @ 3.99	4	15.96 15.96
Pg 56	✓ Postal Scale	1	11.99 6.99
58	om Rub On Lettering 3 dif sizes @ 2.79	3	8.37
66	✓ Calendar refill 3 1/2 x 6"	1	2.99 .99
102	✓ Sign Holder (Deflecto) 4 tier	1	13.99 13.99
	om Sign Holder " 8 1/2 x 11	1	6.99
Pg 12	✓ #10 Envelopes (500/box) ①	1 box	19.29 ^{will} 3.99
17	✓ Index Cards (3 x 5) @ 1.49 pk.	^{500 pk.} 6 pkg.	8.94 4.78
	✓ Liquid Paper @ ^{75¢} 1.19 / bottle	⁶⁷ 64 wht. copies pentink 6 btls.	7.20 - 10.19
Pg 43	✓ Staple Removers @ ⁴⁵ .88 ea.	4 3	3.52 1.80
Pg 43	om Staple Gun (K-M 11.99-20.99)	1	14.99
Pg 47	✓ Tape Dispenser (Black)	1	3.47 1.59
	✓ Copier Labels	1 box	10.99 5.70
Pg 156	✓ Printer Ribbons (Silver Reed 500) @ 4.99 ea.	6	30.00 41.94
Pg 99	✓ BOOK ENDS 4.95-99 PR	2 pr.	11.90 9.98
The above items were taken from the 1998 Office Max book and the prices probably have since changed.			214.37 165.15

Pat Hancock

WHEELING PARK DISTRICT

MUSEUM FUND 1995

SALARIES & WAGES

Park District Manager	\$ 7,818
Administrative Secretary	2,468
Supt. Finance & Personnel	3,028
Supt Resource Mgt.	5,250
Maintenane Labor-Full Time	4,682
Overtime	150

\$23,396

SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES

Office Supplies	\$ 600
Janitorial Supplies	550
Parts/Fittings-Machinery Equip.	498
Parts/Fittings-Buildings	948

\$ 2,596

CONTRACTURAL SERVICES

Equip.Service Agreements	\$ 336
Postage	120
Printing/Typesetting/Publishing	1,000
Data Processing	440
Contractural Serv.-Other	940

\$ 2,836

MAINTENANCE & REPAIR

M-R Office Equip.	\$ 250
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UTILITIES

Electricity	\$ 2,000
Gas Heating	3,300
Water/Sewer	330
Telephone	1,500

\$ 7,073

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

Building Improvements	\$ 10,000
Ground Fixtures	

\$10,000

TOTAL MUSEUM FUND EXPENDITURES

\$46,908

FUND..... 04 MUSEUM

ACCOUNT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT MONTH		-----YEAR TO DATE-----		ANNUAL BUDGET	REMAINING BUDGET	PRIOR YTD
		ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET			
REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	924.81	0	47,104.78	49,147	49,147	2,042	61,698
	TOTAL REVENUE	924.81	0	47,104.78	49,147	49,147	2,042	61,698
EXPENSES								
	SALARIES & WAGES	2,242.31	2,278	27,060.36	27,073	29,670	2,610	22,524
	SUPPLIES & COMMODITIES	323.98	305	4,630.11	7,027	7,272	2,642	1,571
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	204.80	70	1,095.24	5,690	5,730	4,635	1,357
	MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	0.00	0	0.00	200	200	200	0
	UTILITIES	308.40	541	6,184.86	5,462	6,065	120-	5,711
	OTHER	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0
	CAPITAL IMPROVMENTS	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	18-
	TOTAL EXPENSE	3,079.49	3,194	38,970.57	45,452	48,937	9,966	31,145
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	924.81	0	47,104.78	49,147	49,147	48,222	61,698
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	3,079.49	3,194	38,970.57	45,452	48,937	9,966	31,145
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	2,154.68-	3,194-	8,134.21	3,695	210	38,256	30,553

FUND..... 05 I M. R. F.

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REVENUES								
	TAX RECEIPTS	2,351.66	0	124,086.17	129,803	129,803	5,717	128,407
	TOTAL REVENUE	2,351.66	0	124,086.17	129,803	129,803	5,717	128,407
EXPENSES								
	INSURANCE	9,917.37	9,000	120,865.68	116,900	126,400	5,534	115,932
	TOTAL EXPENSE	9,917.37	9,000	120,865.68	116,900	126,400	5,534	115,932
	TOTAL FUND REVENUE	2,351.66	0	124,086.17	129,803	129,803	127,451	128,407
	TOTAL FUND EXPENSE	9,917.37	9,000	120,865.68	116,900	126,400	5,534	115,932
	NET FUND INCOME/LOSS	7,565.71-	9,000-	3,220.49	12,903	3,403	121,917	12,475

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Horcher, Syke/Ellie	600 McHenry Rd. W.60090	537-2323
Issleb, Bob/MaryLou	291 N.6th St. W,60090	537-2017
Koeppen,Shirley (AH)	1000 Waukegan Apt.C-305 Northbrook, Il. 60062	847-509-8368

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Kostrezewski, Grace/ Ken	4855 Rollingsford Ln. Roscoe, Il. 61073	815-623-3454
Krause, Walter/Bobby	58 W. Jeffrey, W.60090	537-0224
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Rudolph, Clare	223 E. Center St.W.60090	537-0531
Schanley, Joan	1355 N. Sandburg Ter.#2804 Chicago, Il. 60610	312-440-0882
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WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
MEMBERSHIP LIST

July
April 1999
Update

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>PHONE</u>
Abenstein, Bobbie	1509 Sheridan Ct. W. 60090	541-2926
Abruscato, Mario/Judy	125 W. Wayne W. 60090	541-8783
Allison, Don/Marge	537 Isa Dr. W. 60090	537-1817
Bakker, Anna / Henrietta Swierenga	1416 Meyers Rd. Lombard 60148	
Barrie, Betty (L)	8 R. Kroepil 179 George W.	537-0013
Bumgarner, Herb/Peggy	7749 SW Afton Ln. Durham Or. 97224	503-968-2571
Becker, Melvin/Mabel	122 S. Plum Grove Rd. Pal. 60067	
Bingham, H. Douglas	1335 Cypress Trace Rd. Melbourne, Fl. 32940	407-255-7925
Bingham, John (L)	29295 Darrell Rd. McHenry Il. 60050	815-526-5063
Brennan, Margaret	136 N. 19th St. Wheeling, West Virginia 26003	304-277-2241
Buerger, Eleanor (H)	712 N. Green Dr. W. 60090	537-1976
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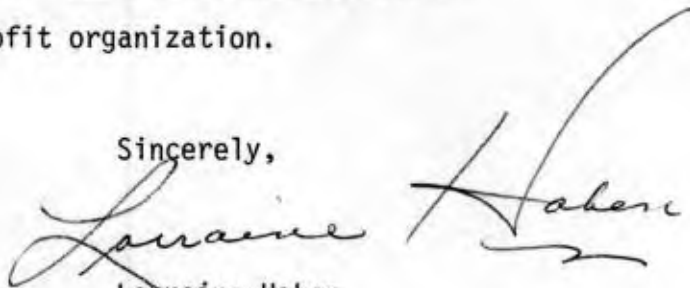
June 1, 1998

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to inform you that the Wheeling Historical
Society's Tax ID Number is ROT E 9997-9659-03.

We are a non-for-profit organization.

Sincerely,



Lorraine Haben
President
Wheeling Historical Society

Telephone: 537-3119



Wheeling Historical Society

Post Office Box 3 • Wheeling, Illinois 60090

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Sincerely,

Frank Schnaitmann
President
Wheeling Historical Society

Telephone: 537-3119



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Call Paul

To Whom It May Concern,

This is to inform you that the Wheeling Historical Society's Tax ID Number is N-4589-081-3. We are a Non For Profit Organization.

Sincerely yours,

Frank Schnaitmann

Frank Schnaitmann
President

IL Dept Reve #917-5258

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STATE OF ILLINOIS
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

February 18, 1977

•Wheeling Park District
222 South Wolf Road
Wheeling, Illinois 60090

Gentlemen:

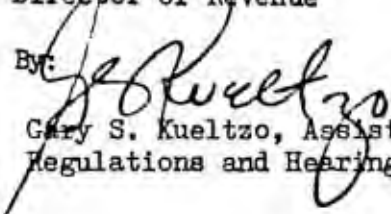
Sales to governmental bodies (including the Wheeling
Park District of Wheeling, Illinois)
are exempt from State and local retailers' occupation tax, State
and local Service Occupation Tax, use tax and Service Use Tax with-
out that type of purchaser having any kind of number from this De-
partment. We are enclosing retailers' occupation tax Rule 40.

We do not issue exemption numbers, but your governmental unit
may use this letter ruling or reproductions of it or refer to Rule 40
in claiming this exemption as a buyer.

Very truly yours,

ROBERT M. WHITLER
Director of Revenue

By:


Gary S. Kueltz, Assistant Manager
Regulations and Hearings Division

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Issued: 4-15-65

Illinois-Retailers' Occupation Tax-Rules

Rule No. 40

SALES TO GOVERNMENTAL BODIES

Sales made on or after March 21, 1963, to a governmental
body (Federal, State, local or foreign) are exempt from the
retailers' occupation tax.

For the foregoing purposes, the date of sale is considered
to be the date of delivery to the purchaser.

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CONSTITUTION

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WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

ARTICLE I
NAME

The name of this organization shall be the WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

ARTICLE II
OBJECT

The object of this society shall be the discovery, preservation and dissemination of knowledge about the history of the Wheeling Community.

ARTICLE III
LOCATION

The location of the society shall be in the Village of Wheeling, Counties of Cook and Lake, State of Illinois.

ARTICLE IV
MEMBERSHIP

Membership in this society shall consist of Paid Membership, Active Honorary, Honorary, and Life Memberships. Fees shall be set by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE V
ANNUAL MEETING

The annual Installation Meeting shall be held in May.

ARTICLE VI
OFFICERS

The officers of the society shall be: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Curator, three elected Directors and an Assistant Curator of the Carriage House shall be appointed by the President. All the above constitutes the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE VII
AMENDMENTS

The Constitution may be amended at any regular meeting by a two-thirds vote of the active members present at any regular meeting of the society, providing a quorum is present, no less than seven shall constitute a quorum of the active membership, and that such proposed amendment has been submitted to the active membership at a previous meeting, and a notice to all active members not at the previous meeting.

ARTICLE VIII
BY-LAWS

The Wheeling Historical Society, or officers and directors of the same shall with the approval of the membership present, enact certain by-laws that may properly guide and direct the activities of the society.

ARTICLE IX
EFFECTIVE DATE

This Constitution dated September 22, 1999 shall supersede any and all prior constitutions of the Wheeling Historical Society upon its adoption by the membership.

Revised by the Rules and Revisions Committee
(President and (Board of Directors) on this
21 day of October, 1998.

APPROVED by the Membership of the
Wheeling Historical Society on
this 22 day of September, 1999

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
BY - LAWS

ARTICLE I MEMBERSHIP

- Section 1: Any person interested in the history of Wheeling may become a member of the society upon enrollment with the Secretary, and payment of dues to the Treasurer.
- Section 2: Honorary and active membership may be conferred upon persons deserving special recognition upon their commendation of an active member to the Board of Directors and a two-thirds affirmative vote of the members present at any regular meeting of the society.

ARTICLE II MEETINGS

- Section 1: The regular meetings of the society shall be held from September through May on the fourth Wednesday of the month. If the regular meeting date falls on a legal holiday, the President and/or the Board of Directors shall designate a substitute date.
- Section 2: There shall be a minimum of seven members including one officer to properly constitute a quorum for the transaction of business in any regular or special meeting of the society.
- Section 3: The Board of Directors may, at the discretion of the President meet during the week prior to the regular meeting. The time and place of the meeting to be designated by the President.
- Section 4: Five members of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum for transaction of business at a Board Meeting.
- Section 5: Special Meetings of the Society or of the Board of Directors may be called by the President.

ARTICLE III DUTIES OF OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1: The President shall preside at all meetings of the society and of the Board of Directors. The President shall be a member ex-officio of all committees. The President shall set up two (2) special committees: 1) Nominating and 2) Auditing Committees. The President shall not be an ex-officio member of these committees.

Section 2: The Vice President shall perform the duties of the President in the latter's absence and shall also serve as Dean of Chairpersons and shall when asked, assist the Chairperson of all committees in their work. He or she shall serve as Chairperson of the Rules and Revisions Committee.

Section 3: The Secretary shall perform the duties of the President and Vice-President in their absence. The Secretary shall keep a record of the proceedings of the society and have them presented for approval at the next succeeding meeting. A record of all persons enrolling as members of the society shall be kept and the Secretary shall maintain an attendance log for each meeting showing the date and names of the individuals present. The Secretary shall send notice of elections and notify Committee Chairpersons and members of their appointments and shall conduct other correspondence of the society that may from time to time, be appropriate.

Section 4: The Treasurer shall be custodian of all society funds. All checks will require the signature of two officers, one of which shall be either the President or Treasurer, the other of which shall be the Vice President or Secretary and/or the President, and/or Treasurer. An itemized Treasurer's report attested by the Auditing Committee will be provided in writing to all members at the end of the Treasurer's term.

All funds received by the society from any and all sources inclusive, shall be reflected on the books of account. Any and all disbursements of funds shall be recorded on the books of account.

Section 5: The Curator shall gather together and carefully preserve, file and catalog the historical materials of this society. He or she shall have charge of all files and historical materials of this society. Records shall show: a) date received; b) accession number; c) address of same. Accession number must be attached securely to the object. It shall follow that the Secretary be advised of receipt of all accessions so that proper acknowledgement can be made.

Section 6: All records kept by the Officers and Committees shall be returned to the Society President at the end of the fiscal year, to be kept at the museum office.

Section 7: The Board of Directors of the Wheeling Historical Society shall make provision for the custody of all material of historical value received by the Society. Should the Wheeling Historical Society disband, the Directors of the Society shall adhere to State laws.

ARTICLE 1V AMENDMENTS

Section 1: The By-Laws of the society may be amended by a two-thirds of the Active Members present at any regular meeting of the society, providing such proposed amendments have been referred to the Rules and Revisions Committee. The Rules and Revisions Committee Chairperson shall present proposed amendments to the Board of Directors. The Secretary shall send a notice of each proposed amendment to each active member of the Society at lease five (5) days before the meeting at which the proposed amendments are to be voted upon, providing there is a quorum present.

ARTICLE V. DUES

- Section 1: The Annual Dues of active members shall be, ^{Fifteen} ~~eight~~ ~~(15)~~ dollars per family and ^{TEN} ~~five~~ ~~(10)~~ dollars per single, (\$100.00 per Life) payable on or before the annual meeting in May.
- Section 2: Members failing to pay dues by the October meeting following the annual meeting will be dropped from membership.
- Section 3: No dues shall be collected from Honorary Members, and they shall have no voting rights. No dues shall be collected from Active Honorary Members, and they shall have voting rights.

ARTICLE VI. PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY

- Section 1: Robert's Rules of Order, Revised, shall be the authority in all matters of parliamentary procedure in which they are not inconsistent with the Constitution or these By-Laws.

VII ELECTIONS

- Section 1: A nominating committee of three (3) members, only one of whom may be a member of the Board of Directors, shall be selected by the Board at its meeting preceding the regular February meeting of the Society in an election year. The Committee shall present a slate of candidates for each office at the regular meeting in March, at which time other nominations may be made from the floor.
- Section 2: The officers shall be elected at the regular meeting in April. If there is but one candidate for any office, the vote may be by acclamation unless objection is made. If there is more than one candidate for office, the vote shall be by ballot and a majority vote of those present shall elect.

Section 3: All officers shall be elected to serve two (2) years. The election of officers will be: The even year: President, Curator and two (2) Directors. The odd year: the Vice President, Secretary Treasurer and one (1) Director. In case of a vacancy, it shall be filled by the President with the approval of the Board of Directors.

Section 4: No individual shall serve more than two successive terms in the same office.

Section 5: The newly-elected officers shall be installed as the last order of business at the annual meeting in May. The most recent Past-President will serve as ex-officio advisor.

ARTICLE VIII COMMITTEES

Section 1. The society shall have five (4) standing committees which will serve from September to September as follows: 1) Membership; 2) Publicity 3) Programs & 4) Social.

Section 2: All standing committees to be appointed by the President at the regular meeting in September.

Section 3. Special committees may be created as required to promote the objects and interests of the society.

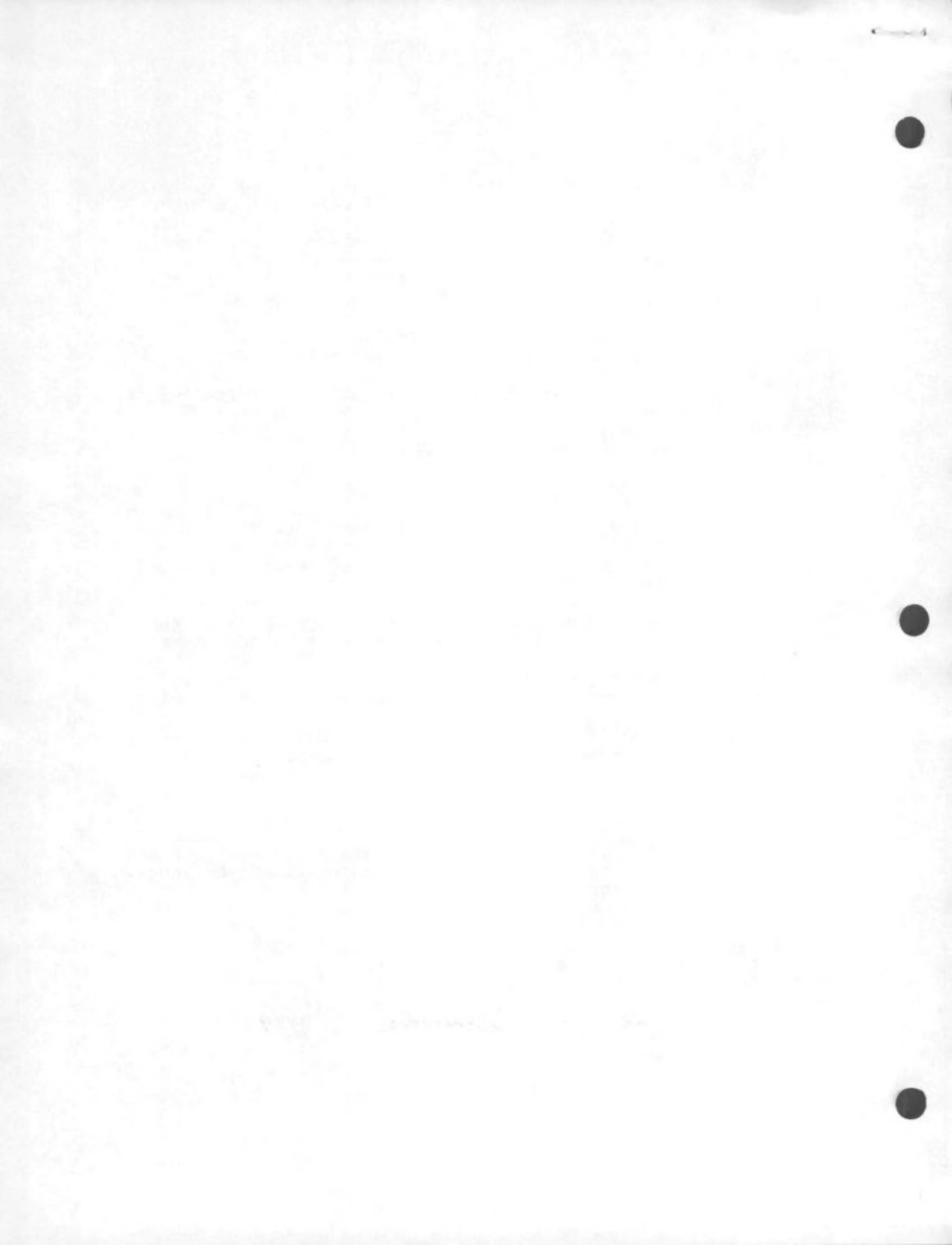
Section 4: Special committees such as a "Rules and Revisions Committee," may be named by the President from time to time to perform other assignments.

ARTICLE IX HISTORIAN

Section 1: The Historian shall be appointed by the President with the consent of the membership at the annual meeting.

Approved this 21 day of October, 1998
by the President and Board of Directors
of the Wheeling Historical Society

Approved this 22 day of SEPT
November, 1999
by the Membership of the Wheeling
Historical Society.





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AGREEMENT

10/7/1976

7/16/1981 Amended

11/6/74
2/22/76
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AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN
WHEELING PARK DISTRICT AND
WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

THIS AGREEMENT made this 7 day of October, 1976,
by and between WHEELING PARK DISTRICT, Cook and Lake Counties Illinois,
(referred to herein as "Park District"), an Illinois unit of government,
and WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY, Cook County, Illinois, (referred to herein
as "Society"), an Illinois not-for-profit corporation.

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, Society has determined that it is in the best interests
of the residents of the Village of Wheeling to preserve those historical
artifacts which would be of lasting benefit to the residents of the Village
of Wheeling; and,

WHEREAS, Park District has determined that it is in the best interests
of the residents of the Wheeling Park District that certain premises located
within the boundaries of the Park District be designated and operated as museums
pursuant to the authority conferred by Section 8-3 and 326 of the Park District
Code; and

WHEREAS, under and by virtue of Section 10 of Article VII of the
Illinois Constitution of 1970, local government units within the State of
Illinois are authorized to enter into Interlocal Agreements providing, among
other things, for the exercise, combination or transfer of any power or function
in any manner not prohibited by law or ordinance, and for the use of their
credit, revenues, and other resources to pay costs relative to intergovernmental
activities; and

WHEREAS, the Park District desires to provide for the payment annually from the general revenues of the Park District of the cost of maintaining the museum properties, including but not limited to, the cost of all repairs, utilities, services, insurance on the structures (including contents), and custodial services.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements hereinafter set forth, the parties hereto do agree as follows:

Section 1: Park District agrees:

(a) That it will acquire and maintain park district buildings and facilities of historical significance for use by the general public.

(b) That it will appropriate and levy needed funds for the operation and maintenance of sites which have been designated as museums.

(c) That it will, with Society approval, retain a Director, whose duties will be determined by the Liaison Board.

Section 2: Society agrees:

(a) That it will continue to raise funds to assist in the payment of expenses of the Society and will prepare and submit for approval to Park District's Board of Commissioners a budget for the fiscal year, May 1, to April 30.

(b) That it will provide the expertise necessary in determining buildings and historical material to be acquired by Park District and Society.

(c) That it will transfer title to Park District, those items of personal property set forth in exhibit A attached hereto and made part thereof.

Section 3: It is further agreed as follows:

(a) A Liaison Board will be appointed consisting of: (1) a member

of Society Board of Directors; (2) Society ^{C. U. RATOR} ~~Director~~, (3) a Commissioner of Park District; (4) Superintendent of Park District; (5) a member of community acceptable to above mentioned members.

The four members representing the parties hereto shall be appointed by the governing boards of each of the parties hereto within 60 days of the execution of this agreement. The fifth member shall be appointed at the first meeting of the Liaison Board. The Board shall have the authority to choose a chairman and secretary and set times for meetings (which shall not be held less than quarterly during each calendar year.)

The Liaison Board shall develop and recommend to Park District and Society Boards policies to be adopted pertaining to the implementation of this agreement, which when approved by Park District shall be the policies governing the Liaison Board.

Section 4: The terms of this Agreement may be altered or amended, by the consent of the parties hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by their proper officers duly authorized to execute the same.

WHEELING PARK DISTRICT

By: _____

ATTEST:

Secretary

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

By: _____

ATTEST:

Secretary

AMENDED AGREEMENT
BY AND BETWEEN
WHEELING PARK DISTRICT AND
WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

THIS AGREEMENT made this 16 day of July, 1981
in amendment of the October 7, 1976 agreement, by and between WHEELING PARK
DISTRICT, Cook and Lake Counties, Illinois, (referred to herein as "Park
District"), an Illinois unit of local government, and WHEELING HISTORICAL
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WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Society has determined that it is in the best interests
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not prohibited by law or ordinance, and for the use of their credit, revenues,
and other resources to pay costs related to intergovernmental activities; and

WHEREAS, the Park District desires to provide for the payment annually
from the Historical Fund tax revenues of the Park District the cost of improving
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NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements
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(c) That it may, with Society approval, retain a staff person whose duties would be mutually agreed upon by the parties.

(d) That it shall during the annual budget deliberations, consider the input of the Society in the allocation of financial resources derived from the Historical Fund tax levy pursuant to Section 2(b) of this Agreement.

Section 2: Society Agrees:

(a) That it will continue to raise funds to assist in the payment of expenses of the Society and adopt an annual budget to be approved by the Society membership.

(b) That it will submit not later than November 30th of each year, to the Park District's Superintendent of Parks and Recreation, a proposed Park District Historical Fund budget for the Fiscal Year January 1 to December 31. This proposed budget shall recommend how the Historical Fund tax receipts budgeted to be collected in the Fiscal Year, be allocated. The Society's proposed Park District Historical Fund budget shall include the detailed justifications necessary to support the proposals of the Society.

(c) That it will provide the expertise necessary in determining buildings and historical material to be acquired by Park District and Society.

(d) That upon any dissolution of the Wheeling Historical Society, it will transfer title to its artifacts, assets and other personal property to the nearest museum.

Section 3: It is further agreed that a Liaison Board will be maintained consisting of three Society Members and three Park Commissioners. Liaison Board Members shall be appointed annually by the President of the Society and the Park District and shall serve until their successors have been chosen.

The Liaison Board shall have the authority to choose a Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson and other such officers as appropriate and set times for at the minimum, quarterly meetings to be held in February, May, August and November of each year.

The Liaison Board shall develop and recommend to the Park District Board and the Society membership policies to be adopted pertaining to the implementation of this agreement, which when approved by the Society membership and Park District Board shall be the policies governing the Liaison Board.

Section 4: The terms of this Agreement may be altered or amended by the consent of the parties hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by their proper officers duly authorized to execute the same.

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Secretary

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[Signature]
Secretary

WHEELING PARK DISTRICT

By: [Signature]
President

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

By: [Signature]
President

CURATORS
Report

CURATOR'S REPORT APRIL, 2001

UPDATE:

Our presentation program for the Indian Trails Library program will be July 31, 2001 at 1:00- 2:00 pm. We will be showing the video Celebrate Tomorrow with Yesterday's Memories and Shirley McConnell will be helping me with a Q & A. tim. Would also like to have anyone wanting to help with a hand-on table with some artifacts from the video or museum.

Our museum exhibit at the library's exhibit case is on going and Eleanor Buerger is helping me assemble some pictures and artifacts. I do need some people to help with labeling, framing and transport and set-up the last week in May. This exhibit will run from June-August.

Sent a copy of Forbach's Relic House (what years were they there?) to David Iglor, owner of Hangouts at 322 N. Milwaukee Ave. He was in asking about history on the house. Anyone that has any more info please let me know. I have a person by the name of A. Kokocus living there in 1966-67.

(The maintenance crew has fixed the sump pump and it is working great again. They also put on a new sash lock for the front window. Thanks guys.

DONATIONS: DICK LORD- 1 pretzel cutter w/box & recipe book, 2 crock bowls, 1 beaded coin purse, 1 alum. folding drinking cup, 1 small crock (Win Schuler restaurants), 1 small rolling pin w/black handles, 1 large black mixing bowl, 1 med. Crock w/lid (cheeze), 1 small Christmas tin w/handles, 1 small enameled tray, 1 canoe paddle, 1 jello mold (Christmas tree form), 1 old screwdriver w/red handle, 6 pieces of silverware.

PATTI HANCOCK- 1 large Indian Dream Catcher, 1 nail puller w/wooden handle, 1 knife (I.P. Hyde-Southbridge, Mass.) w/wooden handle

MARILYN CHROMY- 1 1950's 40 cup coffee pot w/ wooden legs

WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY- 2 brown mini-crock pots, 5 small spice jars w/glass tops and wooden display rack, 1 cast-iron man-figure nutcracker w/red base.

CURATOR'S REPORT FEB.& MARCH, 2001

UPDATES: New exhibit on Summer Activities in the Good Old Days is now ready.

The Museum will open on MARCH 4, 2001 with Lorraine Haben and Eleanor Buerger as volunteers. The sign-up sheet will be passed around at all meetings so please look for it and volunteer for some Sundays 2-4pm.

Lynne Valentine called for information on concrete silos in Wheeling and who built them during the 1920's-1940's. She is doing some research on a family in Schuamburg and 2 brothers were mentioned that they had built the family's silo, but couldn't remember the name. Anyone with information please let me know what you know. Park District maintenance crew has fixed the chimney bricks, the kitchen roof shingles, and any winter damage done to the gutters. They also put a new roof on Childerly Chapel's library. Thanks guys for a job well done.

The Fire Department exhibit has been moved over by the sewing machine and some new items have been added to it. Thanks Patti for all your work!!

WEBSITE: Our website has been submitted to hotrate.com and been given ****4 stars for our bi-lingual site. One opinion was: we have a charming small town museum and the 1st local historical society site that is bi-lingual. Our website address is:

<http://www.northstarnet.org/wgkhome/WHSLLR/>

DONATIONS: LINDA READING- 6 miniature cast iron fire engines, 1 Motorola cell phone 1990's

PATTI HANCOCK- 2 ladies swim suits, 1960's & 1970's

VIRGINIA MEIER- 1 old school picture (no date) & 1 pictures of homes across Willie from old public school, June 1928.

LORRAINE HABEN- 1 children's book belonging to Virginia Port "The Little Colonel" dated February 1913.

LOANS:

CRAIG SAPPINGTON- 1 English riding helmet, 1 riding crop, 1 pr English riding boots

FUTURE EXHIBITS: At the Indian Trails Library for June, July & August an exhibits on Wheeling's past history in pictures and artifacts. The museum will be showing the life and history of our town from 1900's - 1940's. Watch for it this summer!!

THANK YOU: To everyone who has volunteered for this spring and summer. We are getting known and I would like to keep the museum and the carriage house opened as much as possible.

N.E.I.L MEETING: There will be a Genealogy Research Workshop at the Newberry Library on Saturday, March 24, 2001 from 9am-12pm. There is a fee of \$20.00. I attended this workshop on behalf of the museum. Thanks to the society for paying my fee.

OTHER EVENTS: Prospect Heights Library presented on March 19 at 7:00pm, Sandra R. Hansen, performed a 1-woman play "CIVIL WAR WOMEN"

PALATINE H.S. is having a Victorian Tea April 21,22,28, & 29 Admission is \$15 @ person. Two seatings daily: noon & 3pm. Call 991-6460 for tickets.
Also Palatine is having a Cemetery Walk Sunday May 20,2001 1-4pm. Hillside Cemetery. Fee -\$ adults and \$2 children under 12.

GENEALOGY FORMS: You can now download free genealogy forms such as pedigree charts and family group sheets,Website address is:

<http://www.pbs.org/kbvuu/ancestors/index.html>>

Research logs are available at:

<http://www.rootsweb.com/genclass/110/pictures/research.jpg>>

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The Illinois State Genealogical Society would like to announce a new project to honor the memory of Illinois Civil War Veterans. There will be a choice of two certificates awarded to direct descendants.

- 1) For a veteran who served in an Illinois Military Unit between April 12, 1861 and April 18, 1865.
- 2) for a Civil War veteran who lived or died in Illinois.

There is no residency requirement for applicant. In an effort to record and preserve material submitted for future generations, the society will publish submissions. For an application, write to:

Marion Richter Schuetz
25W611 Burlington Ave.
Naperville, Il 6053-1609
Email: mjudge2@juno.com

CURATOR'S REPORT JANUARY, 2001

DONATIONS:

CLAIRE RUDOLPH: 3 boxes of picture frames; DOLLY HEIN: 1 raccoon fur hat w/hat box; READING ELECTRIC, INC: 1 fax machine for museum use & VCR for recording activities.

UPDATES: Sent letter to Lynore Rakittke, daughter of Mr. Belpulsi, for any info she could send us on her father's studio.

Received plastic covers for Mr. & Mrs. Santa Claus's chairs from Lollipop Lane.

Tammi Schlanger Sarlo called asking to buy a copy of "Wheeling Thru the Years" book. Will put her on a waiting list. Anyone wanting to sell or donate a copy to the museum let me know.

Frank Scharringhausen and I assembled an album from copies of 19 pictures of Wheeling in 1926-1955 for his mother Elaine. She lived on Wolf Road next to the Clessen family as a young girl and now lives in Buffalo Grove at the tender age of 74. She has just retired from many years in nursing. Hope she enjoys the album.

Still have 4 -2001 Vision calendars left, price is \$5.00.

Patti & I are in the process of assembling new exhibits for the museum and this will include a set-up for viewing VCR tapes upstairs in February. Anyone willing to help let us know.

N.E.I.L. meeting was Jan. 13 and was at River Grove Historical Society.

NOTE: Museum will be opening in March so will have sign-up sheet available for volunteering to sit on Sundays 2-4.

Curator's Report November, 2000

UPDATES: Received VCR tape on Jerry Orbach Show on A&E Cable Channel. Will be sharing it with Steve Carasso at Park District. Sent her a Thank you letter.

Museum is now closed on Sundays until March, 2001.

There are 6 calendars left to buy.

Check out a new web-site <http://www.museum.com> this is a database for all museums in the world.

Sent out a letter to Lynore Rakittke, daughter of Mr. Belpulsi asking any information she could give us on her father & mother.

DONATIONS:

BARBARA LaHAY: Red 1950's crepe & chiffon sleeveless party dress w/shawl
red dance hall Diamond Jubilee dress, 1-metal rug beater

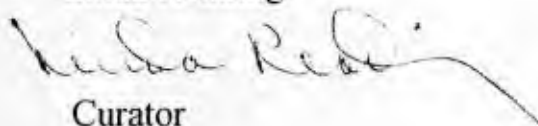
VIRGINIA SORCA (by Fran Eagan) mink hat, beaded hat, blue net hat, white peddle hat, powder blue net hat, 1 rhinestone hat pin, 3 1900's nightys, 1 pr ladies underpants

LORRAINE HABEN: 1 pearl & bead 1950's sweater/dress collar

THANKS YOU'S: To everyone who has volunteered to sit at the museum this year and helped to keep the museum clean. To all who has helped with the tours this year.

NOTE: Next N.E.I.L. meeting is Jan. 13, 2001 at River Grove Historical Society

Linda Reading



Curator

CURATOR'S REPORT OCTOBER, 2000

UPDATES: Buggy seat has been upholstered by Universal Upholstering, Inc. in Dunhurst Shopping Center. Material is a velveteen ,color is Tobasco. It is back on the buggy and looks great.

Had a letter from Sandra Bottcher asking about info for a Wheeler & Wilson #9 sewing machine. The museum doesn't have any info on Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines. Sent a letter stating this and to search out various department store old-time catalogs , Chicago's Historical Society or the Il. State Historical Society in Springfield.

Sent museum location & phone # to Lydia Barnes Yellow Book.com for free ads on the web site.

Holy Family building has been sold to resurrection Hospital and will be remodeling the various rooms soon.

Watch for more historical pictures in the Village Newsletter as Dale Kimmery has been gathering more pictures from our museum files.

Library is going to finish up taking the cemetery pictures so this project can be done before the snow flies..

DONATIONS:

LINDA READING: Ice Pick -1950'S

LORRAINE HABEN: 1950'S gray & white porcelain table, Red Diamond Jubilee dress, Calif. paintscreen map on linen 1950's,

AARP: 2-drawer file cabinet

MARILYN CHROMY: 1979 Wheeling High School Yearbook Lair, set of 3 books the Guild of Play of Festival & Dance by G.T. Kimmins

RUDY HORCHER: List of Civil War Veterans buried at Wheeling Cemetery.

TOURS: The Antique Club of Wheeling took a tour of our Museum and Carriage House winding up with their meeting in the Old Church on October 16,2000. THANKS YOU to Patti & Wedge Hancock, Shirley McConnell, Dolly Hein and Lorraine Haben for helping host this event.

Last Sunday for the museum open hours is October 29,2000. We will be closed for the winter except for Thursday mornings. Will be brain-storming ideas for new exhibits to present in the Spring. If you have a idea please let us know.

NOTE: Did anyone see the A&E cable program on Jerry Orbach? Did you see our posters on Chevy Chase Summer Theater?

Notice that Wheeling is now on the T.V. channels weather maps. This is because of the Automated Surface Observation System installed at Palwaukee Airport.

The Vision Calendars are here and the cost is \$5.00. They will be on sell at the October meeting. There are 6 calendars left.

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Patti & I cleaned out the window wells and the window covers. Trimmed the bushes around the building and planted some irises by front door. This spring the museum should have some color to it.

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Submitted 2 pictures Dam #1 w/swimmers of Parkview w/Strong School & Allison homestead ~~to~~ to the High State 2001 Calendar "Vision". I was accepted again. Calendars will be on sale ~~for~~ soon as we receive them. Plan to buy one. also

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MASONIC LODGE: Card table used by the lodge for card parties during the 1950's and other functions. It displays ads from the various businesses in town. 1 Sesquicentennial Anniversary coin given out to guests celebrating the event honoring the lodge for 150 years on Sept. 17th, 2000.

GLENVIEW HISTORICAL SOCIETY: A book "Glenview- The First Centennial"

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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WHEELING HISTORICAL SOCIETY
APRIL 26, 2000

The meeting of the Wheeling Historical Society was held on April 26, 2000 and was called to order at 7:40 p.m. by President Haben at the Wheeling Community Center, 251 N. Wolf Road, Wheeling, Illinois 60090.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The pledge of allegiance was led by the President.

There were 19 people in attendance. Cheri Klumpp, liaison of the Park District was present. The President introduced guests Bernadine Horcher and Barbara LaHay.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of March 22, 2000 were submitted for approval. Motion was made by Dolly Hein to approve the minutes; seconded by Patti Hancock. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer, Elaine Simpson gave the Treasurer's Report. Motion was made by Frank Schnaitmann, seconded by Eleanor Buerger to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried.

CURATOR'S REPORT

Linda Reading gave the Curator's Report for April. She has copies available. Important matters are sign-up sheets for Sundays from 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the Museum and field trips. May 9 - 3:45 p.m. Brownie Troop - The Brownies are doing badge work on the community and would like some stories of the first settlers of Wheeling. Invite anyone to come who would like to share stories. May 11 - Girl Scouts 5:30 - 7:30 Would like to have the Carriage House open also. Possibly 48 women coming to Wheeling in June to see some historical sights in Wheeling. The Walking Tour of Wheeling is being updated - possibly adding some buildings from the 50's and 60's to the tour. Linda forwarded some material to Donald Theroux regarding Marshall Theroux, the past Wheeling Township Assessor. He was grateful for the information. The 94th Aero Squadron Restaurant is adding another period room. Linda invited everyone to come to the Railroad Exhibit and the military exhibit has been changed. Lorraine Haben thanked Linda and Patti for their hard work.

LIAISON REPORT

Cheri Klumpp said the Park District is getting ready for the summer camps and programs and then the opening of the Aquatic Center. The Park District has given the Society passes to use for prizes at the Installation Banquet.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership - Frank Schnaitmann reported that Barbara LaHay is re-joining the Society. Members will start renewing their memberships at the Installation Banquet in May.

Social - Lonnie Schnaitmann advised that Margaret and Barbara Forke and Lonnie Schnaitmann brought the desserts for this evening.

OLD BUSINESS

Election of Officers - Lonnie Schnaitmann reported Nominating Committee's Slate of Officers: Lorraine Haben - President; Marilyn Chromy - Director - 2 years; Frank Schnaitmann - Director - 2 years. Asked for any nominations from the floor. There were none. Linda Reading made a motion to accept the slate of officers and to close the nominations. Shirley McConnell seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Linda Reading reminded everyone that the Museum is open on Thursdays from 9:00 – 12:00 for anyone who would like to help with any project. Lorraine Haben put together information on the Wheeling Nursery. She received some information and pictures of the Wheeling Nursery from Peggy Kruse Baumgartner. Lorraine is trying to contact the owners who purchased it from the Kruse family to see if they have any material. Shirley McConnell lives in the house that was formerly the Kruse house. Shirley commented that before the Kruse's bought the property it was the Murbach farm and they were one of the founding members of the Wheeling Presbyterian Church. Lorraine asked Shirley if she could put together some further facts. There was discussion on Childerly. Someone in the Haben family received more information on Childerly, which she forwarded to Lorraine. Shirley wondered if the Society ever received any information from Harold Glant (who lives in Highland Park). His father was a director at Childerly and Harold grew up there. The Society can follow up. Last year the first 2 children that were at Childerly stopped in Wheeling to visit with various people.

POT O' GOLD

Elaine Simpson won the Pot O Gold.

ADJOURMENT

Motion was made by Dolly Hein, seconded by Patti Hancock to adjourn the meeting at 8:35 p.m.
Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Forke
Secretary

CURATOR'S REPORT APRIL 2000

MUSEUM IS NOW OPEN FOR THE SUMMER. IF YOU HAVEN'T SIGNED THE VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE I WILL HAVE IT AT THE APRIL & MAY MEETINGS. PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU SIGN UP TO HELP AS IT IS A VERY ENJOYABLE AFTERNOON SPENT.

FIELD TRIPS:

GIRL SCOUT TROOP 697 MAY 11TH 5:30-7:30 pm
NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR MUSEUM & CARRIAGE HOUSE
THIS IS AN EVENING FIELD TRIP SO FOR THOSE WHO CAN'T HELP DURING THE DAY THIS IS THE TIME YOU COULD VOLUNTEER TO HELP.

REPORTS:

PRESENTED A 1957 BLUEPRINT COPY TO WONDER THRIFT STORE . THEY WERE VERY APPRECIATIVE AS THEY ARE DOING SOME REMODELING AND DIDN'T HAVE ANY PRINTS FROM WHICH TO WORK. OH APRIL 6TH WAS THE 70TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE TWINKIE. FOR ALL YOU TWINKIE LOVERS OUT THERE.

94TH AERO SQUADRON RESTAURANT IS ADDING ANOTHER PERIOD ROOM. THE 8TH BOMBERS DIVISION?

RECEIVED AN E-MAIL FROM DONALD THEROUX WANTING SOME INFORMATION ON MARSHALL THEROUX, THE LATE ASSESSOR OF WHEELING TOWNSHIP. I WAS ABLE TO GATHER SOME FAMILY HISTORY AND ALSO TALKED WITH DOLORES STEPHAN , THE PRESENT ASSESSOR. SHE SAID SHE WOULD BE PLEASED TO SPEAK WITH MR. THEROUX. THEREFORE WAS ABLE TO GATHER MORE INFORMATION FOR OUR FILES ON WHEELING TOWNSHIP, AM MAKING A BOOKLET FOR OUR LIBRARY. SENT OFF THE REST OF THE INFO TO DONALD.

JIM CAMPBELL FROM MICHIGAN INQUIRED ABOUT DONALD PRINCIPE , A SALESMAN FOR AL MUNTZ RADIO/T.V. STORE BACK IN THE LATE 40'S TO 1955. ANYONE KNOWING DONALD PLEASE LET ME KNOW AS I HAVEN'T FOUND ANYTHING ON HIM YET. AL MUNTZ RADIO/T.V. WAS BOUGHT OUT BY RCA.

SOLD SOME COPIES OF THE FASSBENDER STORE TO THE MASONIC LODGE AS THEY WERE LOCATED ON THE UPPER FLOOR BEFORE THEY WENT TO THE OLD WELFIN STORE. AT 16 S. MILWAUKEE.

AM WORKING ON AN UPDATED VERSION OF THE WALKING TOUR OF WHEELING. HOPE TO HAVE IT DONE BY THIS SUMMER. SO MANY BUILDING ARE GONE NOW, BUT I AM ADDING SOME FROM THE 50' & 60'S. ANYONE INTERESTED IN HELPING LET ME KNOW.

RECEIVED SOME PICTURE OF G.S.SINGING GROVE, HALLOWEEN GROUP AND SCHOOL GROUP FROM PEGGY BAUMGARTNER BY WAY OF LORRAINE HABEN.

CURATOR'S REPORT MARCH, 2000

MUSEUM UPDATE: More info on Mrs. Lillie Crane's homestead. In 1910 was bought from William Hopps, known locally as the Englishman. He killed his wife while she was leaning over the wash tub. He was put on trial and acquitted on basis of insanity and went back to England. Neighbors were upset about the acquittal. He later came back to live at Dunning Insane Asylum where he died. He is buried in the Wheeling Cemetery. The 1st manager of the farm was Mr. McComb for a short time, then the Bingham's managed the farm. Mrs. Lillie died in 1958 and the farm was sold for a Hollywood Ridge subdivision. The house was pushed over and the big dairy barn was burned down. The house was located where St. Armand Court is today at the top of the hill.

Mirsada Kunica-Wheeling High School graduate, won 3 gold medal & 1 silver as a member of the USA Track Team during the Olympics World Games in N.C. this past summer of 1999. District 214-received the 1999 "What Parents Want" Award from School Match, the nation's largest school selection consulting firm.

Cemetery- took some pictures of some of the old settlers markers to add to the cemetery book.

Schoenbeck Road- Rudy H. gave me more info about the road. 3 families of Schoenbeck lived & farmed along the road. They were Bill, Chris & Fred. The road was named for the families so I called Ron Scheonbeck to give him the info and Rudy's phone number to call him if he needed anymore information.

Marion Engelking- needed info about Charles Miller Columbia Hotel & Tavern. Lorraine & I supplied her with some family names and pictures of the tavern. Art Miller was his son and Art installed a bowling alley in the building during the 1940's.

Henry Michol-consulting architect,needed some history on the Schminke house(Don Roth's) and any village ordinances from the 1890's and 1900's.

Pyrogenic Museum- Someone called asking about a pyrogenic Museum on Wolf Road. Anyone heard of anything like that?

Chicago Bagel & Baileys- the building has now been vacanted but their new building on Milwaukee(where Harrison Supply was) isn't finished yet.

Taco Bell & Kentucky Fried Chicken- the Pizza Hut building will soon be the site for these businesses. The building is ungoing some remodelling. Watch the ongoing development.

AIMHS: sent back the Il State HS 2000 survey on our organization.

Wheeling Pottery Co.-Lorraine received a letter from our sister society in Wva.They had a large pottery industry early in their history and Wheeling Pottery was one of the largest. They marketed their wares to the Midwest.

FIELD TRIPS:

Doris Zinni- to arrange a field trip for 48 women from Addison to tour historical sights in Wheeling. I need some volunteers in June to help with the museum and carriage house.

MARK TWAIN BROWNIE TROOP- May 9th-3:45pm are coming to see our museum and carriage house. Need some volunteers to help open the buildings.

ARTIFACTS:

Lorraine has put together a picture album on the Wheeling Nursery for us. Drop by and take a look at it.

Virginia Meirer: donated some pictures.

DONATIONS: have sold all the cookbooks and have only 4 calendars left. \$11.00 of donations came in from people doing research.

THANK YOUS: Thank you Lorraine for the Wheeling Nursery album. It is very interesting and we also will be putting in some present pictures.

POINTS OF INTEREST:

Norman Rockwell exhibit at the Chicago Historical Society Feb.26-May 21. Hours daily 9:30-4:30pm and Sundays noon-5:00pm.

Des Plaines Historical Society-Gardening with Heirloom & Historic Plants-April 4,7:30-9pm

Historic seed planting- April 9, 1:30-3:30pm Fee\$4:50@planting

Victorian kite making-May 7-1:30-3 pm\$3:00 @kite

CURATOR'S REPORT FEBRUARY 2000

MUSEUM UPDATE: Alan Slagnolia called and wanted to know what year these businesses came to Wheeling. Sent him the following --Dog N Suds--after May 1967, Henry's Hamburger's--after May 1967 and Ace Hardware---1954.

Kim Krimer called to know address of her parents Robert & Bernice Woodburn. Thought they had a single family home in 1961. I couldn't find anything on them. Village license clerk said they would need the address to find any info. Anyoneknow the Woodburns?

Ron Schoenbeck called wanting information about Schoenbeck Road and how it was named. I called him with very little info, but am still looking. Anyone with any history of the road please let me know.

Dale Kimmery from the Village Newsletter came by for more pictures & info for his column "The Way We Were"

Joan S. from Harrison Supply wanted a picture of the building when it was Pieper's Blacksmith Shop for her husband's birthday present.

The house at 332 W. Dundee Rd has been sold, but I don't know to whom. That is the house w/fountain out front across from the Park District Recreation Center.

Sent info from Joan Pound's book on the Kamps & Witts to Marvin Kamp, Bradenton, Fla.

Shirley McConnell gave info about Belpulsi Studio's and also his daughter's address. His 1st studio's location was north of The Old Munich Inn on N. Milwaukee, then he bought the Sick's property. He was a graduate of Lake Forest College. He has since moved to Missouri.

Kathy, manager of Wonder Thrift Store would be interested in information about the building and when it was built.

ARTIFACTS: 1 black Brownie Box camera-1 black case w/lock from **Nancy Jansen**
2 interior pictures of Hagerstrum Studio, research correspondence between Barbara Endter & Charlotte Dolgopol who worked for Ernst Hagerstrum for 20 years, and some magazine articles covering the art works of Mr. Hagerstrum from **Charlotte Dolgopol**

Pictures of Mrs. Lillie Crane's homestead and dairy farm, and various pictures that were used in the video tape from **Lorraine Haben**.

DONATIONS: Sold two more calendars. Calendar error-**Memorial Day is May 29 not 22.**

THANK YOU: For Time Capsule ideas at the January meeting, Shirley McConnell for more info on Belpulsi Studio. I also found a pottery bowl made by them. and thanks to Wedge for assembling another storage shelf for the basement.

UPDATE:

PASSPORT PROGRAM: has been cancelled for this summer. Cheri & I decided we would reconsider the program earliert next year. We need a volunteer from the society to work with the park district on this program.

WHEELING NURSERIES: They are going out of business and selling the land. The Garden Center & Western Wear is closing and the Showcase Gallery is moving up north. There is a 50% sale going on with their merchandise and the nursery will not have any plants this summer. Stop in and say goodbye, maybe pick up a bargain.

WEB SITE: I attended a workshop at our library on "How- to" update our site, just need to apply

CURATOR'S REPORT JANUARY 2000

MUSEUM UPDATE: WHS Spokesman Editor dropped in for some facts & stories about Wheeling. Were there any spooky stories I could tell her from the October Halloween article. We talked about the ghost in Chin's Crab House tower and the Chevy Chase tunnels. Haven't seen the newspaper articles. If anyone has it I would like to read it.

Had 2 museum critique in Oct-Nov from visitors. They enjoyed our museum, liked the jewelry display and pictures. Would like to see more memories and both plain on visiting again.

✓ Several news reporters have been in to gather information for their turn of the century or

✓ Millennium articles. Village newsletter will be having a historical section in future printings.

✓ Check it out as the pictures & info comes from the museum.

Provide background info on 332 Dundee Road & a picture of Koeppen homestead for Lori Hunter who said she was interested in the property.

I got a call from Henry Inselberg about his 48 star flag he loaned the museum in 1992. He said he didn't receive a letter stating we had received the flag on loan. Patti & I sent him a letter of thank you for the loan and that the flag is on display in the military exhibit. We also ask if he would like to have it returned or would he like to donate it. Have not heard from him yet.

✓ Sent a report on the Belpusi Studio to Flo Ann at Chamber of Commerce. She has a lady call her about a large white ceramic dish bearing a pottery marking of a wreath w/Wheeling Pottery Company. He had bought the Sick's house in 1958 (where the SportMart used to be) and had a pottery business in the garage. The Historical Society brought the barn over to Chamber Park and it is now our Carriage House. Anyone with more info about the Pottery Company please let me know.

Patti & I are changing 2 display cabinets this winter so we can have some new article for the spring opening.

Museum sign-up will be at the next 3 meetings so be ready with your calendars and dates.

DONATIONS: Sold some more Diamond Jubilee books from Oct.-Nov. Sold some more cookbooks & 1990 Christmas ornaments at Lollipop Lane.

✓ **TIME CAPSULE:** Bring any ideas for what should go in the capsule to the next 2 meetings. Will be gathering articles and will have it sealed at March meeting to be stored at museum.

✓ **THANK YOUS:** Thanks to everyone who helped keep the museum open while I couldn't there. I really do appreciate all the dedicated people who help with the museum.

✓ **CALENDARS:** The Vision calendars for 2000 are here and will be on sale for \$5.00 ea. People who have signed up for one are: Eleanor Buerger, Marilyn Chromy, Barbara Forke, Patti Hancock, Lorraine Haben, Dolly Hein, Cheri Klumpp, Clare Rudolph, Lonnie Schnaitmann, Elaine Simpson and myself.

ARTIFACTS:

MUSEUM UPDATE: Patti & I are organizing the office & the library to make room for more cabinets & the computer system. Wedge has made a pegboard for the tools over the work bench. He is in the process of making shelves for the picture framing section of the storage area.

Wedge also fixed up a wooden cabinet & hung it in Ladies Restroom and it has some medical artifacts and bottles in it. A framed Medieval mural from Chevy Chase's lobby has been hung in the Men's Restroom along with one of the shields.

Pat West came in looking for info on Emil Sigwalt and has been listening to the cassette tapes of oral history. She has been cataloging the subjects on the various tapes.

I am submitting 3 old pictures to the Il State Historical Society for their calendar, Illinois Visions. Also any business or organization that have been in continuous operation for 100 years or more, the Il State Historical Society wants to know about so they can be honored this year at the Annual Centennial Business Banquet on October 1 at the Palmer House in Chicago. I am submitting Horcher's Farms & Wheeling's Masonic Lodge. If you know of any others please let me know.

Completed & SENT SURVEY ON OUR ORG. TO AASLH (Amer. Assoc. for STATE & LOCAL HISTORY) for their 15th Edition of their Reference Publication

PASSPORT PROGRAM: The books haven't come yet and I have given the kick-off class at the Park District June 6th. Patti & Wedge are picking them up whenever they are available. Everything is ready & waiting for the books. Volunteers just stamp the booklets when the children come in & hand out their questions.

VOLUNTEERS: For the month of June are: 20th- Barbara & Margaret Forke; 27th- Elaine Simpson & Clare Rudolph. For July: 4th closed, 11-Eleanor Buerger & Shirley McConnell; 18th-Rudy & Barbara Horcher; 25th-Marilyn Chromy & Lorraine Haben. For August: 1st-----; 8th-Gertrude Trunda; 15th-----; 22nd-----; 29th ----- Sept. 5th Closed; 12th-----; 19th-----; 26th-----; Oct. 3rd-----; 10th----- 17th----- 24th-----

If you can volunteer for any of the open date please call me or Patti to sign-up. We also need any volunteer for the remaining dates for the carriage house.

2 lantern (1 brown - 1 white) 1 sign - 1 picture, car picks - Rudy

DONATIONS: Aerial pictures of Pal-waukee & Chicagoland Airport, Rudy Horcher & his brothers at his wedding reception, basement of AmVets 1950's from Rudy, baseball hats - John Deer, Sox, Kane County Cougars - Ron Reading, sold another Diamond Jubilee book, pictures of outside of 94th Aero Squadron from Bev Rossmann.

ARTIFACTS: Patti & Wedge bought a hand-operated bottle capper w/supply of bottle caps. Pictures of the May Installation Banquet at 94th Aero Squadron Rest.

TOURS: May 17th the 2nd & 3rd graders from Mark Twain, Gerni Hunt's class visited the museum & carriage house. May 20th Holmes 6th graders, Mrs. Lopez's class, walked down to visit us & everyone enjoyed their visit. They even brought along an interpreter for the Spanish-speaking children. The 27th was a rain day so I cancelled that tour, but found out to late that the other 6th grade teachers wanted to visit on that day.

THANK YOU: Thanks to everyone that helped with the tours so we could have both the museum & the carriage house open. Thanks again to Wedge & Patti for their continuing help at the museum.

CURATOR'S REPORT APRIL 1999

MUSEUM UPDATE: All the cabinets & exhibits are cleaned & the drapes are up. Patti & I are doing some fine tuning with labeling & framing pictures. We have changed some of the pictures and have put in a Diamond Jubilee Exhibit. **BIG THANKS** to the many workers who helped out with the cleaning, polishing and putting back all the exhibits, cabinets and etc. Patti & Wedge Hancock, Bev Rossmann, Barbara Forke, Marilyn Chromy, Eline Simpson, Shirley McConnell, Frank Schnaitmann, Dolly Hein, and Eleanor Buerger. If you couldn't make the museum cleanup Rudy & I are working this Saturday May 1 starting at 10.00a.m.til done on the Carriage House. We are cleaning, dusting, tagging some artifacts, and straightening up the place. All help is much appreciated.

HUNT PROJECT: The book has gone to print and I got a look at it. Gerri did a fine job and it will be a great tool for the 2nd & 3rd graders to learn about our local history. They will be performing a small sketch about Wheeling history in their school sometime in May. Anyone interesting in seeing it just let me know and I'll let you know the date.

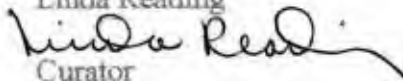
DONATIONS: Illinois Book from Lorraine, Cigar box from Rudy, wooden cardboard table from Masonic Lodge showing various businesses from the 1950's. Mrs. Mundt came in to gather information about Louis Fisher & his father Ludwig Fisher who was Wheeling's first chief magistrate. She found several items and was very pleased with all the information.

PASSPORT: Sign-up sheet is here. I am also trying to get volunteers to help keep the Carriage House open this summer. This will probably take people signing up more then once. Please take a turn at both , the Museum & the Carraige House as we have some wonderful building to present to the public.

TOURS: May 20th & 27th the 6th graders from Holmes Middle School are coming over on Thursday 9:30a.m. If you could be here to help, please sign up. Since I will be in Va. on the 27th I need some volunteers to help on that Thursday.

THANK YOU'S : I want to thank again the Park District for all their help in getting the museum in ship-shape for the summer. The maintainence guys hung the drapes this week and I even got a work bench built downstairs in the work room. What a great surprise!! Also thanks again for all the helpers who gave up their Thursdays and Saturdays to clean, dust furniture and sparkle glass.

Linda Reading


Curator