Chagrin Falls Exponent

Chagrin Falls Historical Society 21 Walnut St. Shute Memorial Building

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Shute Building Program

Thursday, September 16, 2010, 7:30 p.m.

MECHANICAL & STILL CAST IRON BANKS

A Talk by Al Hancock

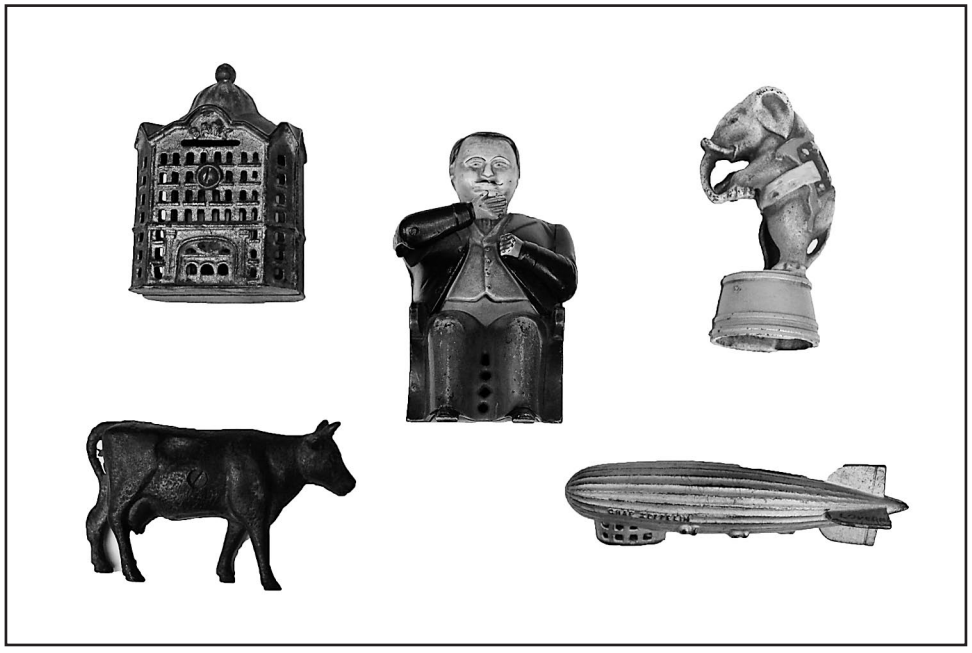


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Refreshments: Cake Night!

Condolences

To The Family of

Mil MacRitchie

Upon her death

To The Family of

Jim Hubbard

Upon his death

To The Family of

Lucille Spresser

Upon her death

NEW CHAIRPERSONS

Most of last year's chairpersons for our standing committees have agreed to serve for 2010-2011 as well. A new chair will be Ann Burr for Publicity. Acquisitions will be by a committee that will include John Bourisseau, Pat Zalba, Zo Sykora and Laura Gorretta.
The Hospitality chair is still to be filled.

SEPTEMBER PROGRAM AT THE SHUTE BUILDING

Al Hancock, a collector of cast iron banks, will talk to us on MECHANICAL AND STILL CAST IRON BANKS at our Program Meeting on Thursday, September 16, 2010, at 7:30 p.m. He will bring samples from his own collection, and also discuss some of the banks in the Historical Society's collection from our upstairs display room. Cake, coffee and tea will be served as refreshments.

FIELD TRIP IN OCTOBER

Our Fall Field Trip will take us to downtown Cleveland on October 21, 2010 where we will have guided tours at the Soldiers & Sailors Monument, the Old Stone Church and Gray's Armory. Lunch will be at the Marriott Restaurant in downtown Cleveland. A form to make Reservations and Lunch Choices will be included in the October Newsletter. In order to keep costs down we will car-pool the ride to downtown Cleveland, as we did in our trip to the Maltz Museum last April. Hamlet Village has graciously offered to provide their small bus (capacity of 20) for some of the persons going on the field trip. (Details on this trip will be in the October Newsletter.)

OUR MEMBERS RECEIVE AWARDS

Hamlet Village formed a 21 person committee of prominent local residents to select local persons who have provided outstanding service in the community. Those selected were presented with engraved glass plaques and Congressional Proclamations by Congressman Steven LaTourette at a special luncheon at the Hamlet Atrium on June 3rd. We are proud that a number of our members were among the honorees - Curator Pat Zalba, Margaret Ardill, Jo Ann & Tom Neff and Florence Cross.

CONGRATULATIONS!

THE ANTIQUES AND COLLECTIBLES FAIRE

The Historical Society's Antique & Collectible Faire, held on July 31, was a wonderful success! Over 550 people shopped throughout the day and we made over $5,400 for the Museum's Acquisitions Fund. Our objectives were to de-access some of the duplicate and excess dolls from our extensive collection, raise money and to promote the Society's work to the community. Thanks to our many members, we were able to accomplish these objectives and present a fun event to the Chagrin Valley.

The committee members who were instrumental in the planning and implementation of the Faire were Pam Lubs, Zo Sykora, Mareen Wolfe and Pat Zalba. We appreciated the great donations of antique and collectible items we received from so many members and valley residents which were sold in the Society's booth. Our volunteers did a super job in promoting, sorting, pricing, packing, moving, setting-up, greeting, selling, repacking, moving back and cleaning up. Thank You to Louise Brick, Barbara Campbell, Patti Del Villan, Gini Fast, Joan Ford, Marjorie Fow, Mary Lynn Fruit, Ann Goss, Jan Hridel, Patty & Jerry Hridel, Ron & Joanne Humphrey, Peter Lubs, Arnie Marcus, Arline Moore, Mary Beth O'Neil, Mary & Gary Rivin, Carolyn Sihler, Betty Solether, Karen Thailing, Beth Van Lente, Anne Wombwell deConingh and Scrap Zalba. Without the generosity of their time and talents, this special event would not have been possible.

Nancy Haag, Chair

THE HERITAGE FUND

A gift to the Heritage Fund is a most enduring tribute to those we love and cherish. The following family and friends have made contributions to our Heritage Fund;

IN MEMORY OF
MILDRED (MIL) MAC RITCHIE

Larry and Kathy Alstrom, Ken and Rosemarie Aulson, Donna and Don Barriball, Lucy L. Beattie, John Bourisseau, Chagrin Falls Suburban Volunteer Fireman's Assoc., David and Karen Bricker, George and Pat Clemens, Jim and Jean Evans, Pat and Wayne Hosmer, Robert and Doris Jones, Tim Martien, Kelann M. Maus, Charles and Marjorie Miralia, Arline M. Moore, Larry and Joyce Moore, Jo Ann Roeder and Family (Jo, Gayle, Carl, Todd), Donald and Joan Satava, Herb and Carolyn Sihler, Barnes and Sally Taft Family(Virginia, Tad and Megan Taft), Scott and Bobbie (Roeder) Timmerman, University Dermatologists, Inc., Richard and Jan Wilks, Pat and Scrap Zalba.

Lucy Beattie

Our Members Receive Awards



U.S. Rep. Steven LaTourette (from left) presented Hamlet Village Outstanding Senior Awards to Pat Zalba, Margaret Ardill and Jo Ann and Tom Neff.

Photo by Itamar Gat

CURATOR'S CORNER

Overview Calendar

September	8	Program and Tour of Museum for the Shaker Heights D.A.R., 2:00 p.m.
	11	Village Yard Sale with items for the benefit of the Historical Society at the Zalbas' driveway, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
	14	Historical Society Board Meeting, Shute Bldg., 10:00 a.m.

We've Had A Busy Summer:

The Program, Doll, Antiques Faire, Oral History, Heritage Fund and Photo Collection Committees have been busy carrying out their work planning and/or holding events this summer and for the next year. We welcomed visitors from near and far on each Thursday, and answered many requests for historical information.

Jo Roeder, Betty Solether, Zo Sykora and Pat Zalba hosted four special Open Houses at the museum for "Chautauqua Tuesdays" in July and August. The Chautauqua display, which includes research by Don Barriball and photo scans by Zo Sykora, tells about earlier (1900s) Chagrin Falls Chautauqua programs. The display will continue throughout September for your perusal.

Accessions with a Chagrin Falls Connection:

Children's clothing circa 1930s: Handmade boys' romper suits, socks and shoes. (Now on display on the "kitchen" chair**.)** ***Sue Lezak***

A "Dink's" (Restaurant) apron. ***Tom Mattern***

Artwork: a wooden carved bas relief of Squaw Rock. ***Ray Henderson***

A Chagrin Falls postcard photo (No. 5) of a 1919 4th of July Parade of WW I veterans marching. ***Stewart Mathews***

Equipment Donation:

Thanks to Patty Hridel for a Visioneer one touch Scanner for archival use at the museum.

Pat E. Zalba,
Volunteer Curator