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ATHS meetings are held the first Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p.m., at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Bartels Road, unless otherwise noted.

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* COUNTRY STORE OPENS SEPTEMBER 18, 10 - 5, & SEPTEMBER 19, 12 - 5 *
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* Members and friends are hard at work to make Country Store 1993 a resounding *
* success. As you know, proceeds from our annual money maker help maintain our *
* lovely 200-year-old cabin and grounds, and it takes a lot of money and elbow *
* grease to keep a bicentennial structure in tip top shape. *
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* Departments always need donations, workers and most importantly, SHOPPERS!! *
* Tell your relatives, tell your neighbors, tell your friends -- better yet, *
* BRING THEM! Invite them to lunch on our delicious bar-b-que, do a little early *
* Christmas shopping, buy the grandkids an ice cream cone or the new baby a *
* quilt. Whatever, you do, please support our worthy cause. WE NEED YOUR HELP!! *
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MONTHLY MEETINGS

Wednesday, September 1 - 7:30 p.m.

George Trenn will talk about Cincinnati's historic Hauck House, and we will finalize our Country Store plans.

Wednesday, October 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Elvin Blasdel will give a slide presentation on Indiana in the fall, featuring Versailles State Park.

Wednesday, November 3 - 7:30 p.m.

Bring a small American flag, we'll be "Celebrating Americanism" and Thomas Jefferson's 200th birthday anniversary. George Keller, of the Sons of the American Revolution, will be our speaker.

Wednesday, December 1 - 7:30 p.m.

Patsy Gaines will be back with one of her famous monologues. Her topic for the night is Silent Night, the Miracle Carol.

BICENTENNIAL HOUSE TOUR - OCTOBER 3

The Miller-Leuser Log House will be one of the homes featured in the Anderson Township Bicentennial House Tour, Sunday, October 3. Jane King will be looking for members to host the tour. Watch your local paper for details of time and other historic houses open for viewing.

PAST TIME TO PAY THOSE MEMBERSHIP DUES

Please mail to Kay Wambach (232-6185) 1727 Sutton Avenue #3, Cincinnati, OH 45230. \$5/sgl; \$10/dbl. If you have not renewed your membership due since May, do so immediately. THIS WILL BE YOUR LAST SURVEYOR. Unpaid members will be purged.

ATHS BICENTENNIAL EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

September 18 & 19: Country Store Weekend!

October: Cider, kraut making & taffy pulling are this fall's specialties and will be featured during the house tour, Oct. 3.

November: Spinning & Weaving demos

December 4 & 5: Christmas Open House.

GIFTS TO THE SOCIETY ARE WELL APPRECIATED

ATHS would like to acknowledge the accessions received to date in 1993:

One antique agriculture sprayer given by Louis Breitenbach.

A portable dental drill and a wool winder dated 1830 given by M/M Wm. Climer. These items belonged to Nell Garrison's husband and family. Nell was a member of ATHS, now deceased. Mr. Climer is Nell Garrison's brother.

Vintage clothing & linens given by Shelley St. Pierre.

Baby clothes 100+ years old from the family of Joe Elliott given by Irma Halfter.

A posthole digger and a potato hoe given by Lauren and Gertrude Keil.

Mary Brafford - book "Spirit of Anderson".

Judy Rollman - antique child's chair

Nola Stimpert - refinished and caned the seat of child's chair (above).

Lynn Bellamy - repaired wooden child's wagon, which was pulled in the parade.

In addition to the above, 604 acquisitions were made by Research & Genealogy.

SPINNING LESSON MAY BE AVAILABLE

Jane King is asking for members interested in learning the art of spinning. She is hoping to get an instructor in October and be all set for the November Open House.

Jane didn't write down names when people mentioned they were interested, but provided the following list of potential students: Florence Makepeace, Martha & Barb Christman, Mary Brafford?, Nola Stimpert?, Sue Wettstein and Jane herself.

CABIN LOGS ARE NOW PROTECTED FROM WEATHER

At long last, the logs on the cabin were sealed against water & weather damage. Ground hogs are still undermining places in and around the barn and cabin. Al Motz has captured two so far in "have a heart" traps. Apparently they love cantaloupe!

COUNTRY STORE POSTER - A GENEROUS GIFT

Judy Johns designed and her daughter, Karen, created a computer-generated poster. It took 11 hours to print the full color copies. It's beautiful!

IMPORTANT COUNTRY STORE REQUESTS

Contact Carol Vorhees (232-1166) OR Connie Whitaker (474-1637) if you want to do something for Country Store. They'll find you a job that fits. We need workers, donators and SHOPPERS, SHOPPERS, SHOPPERS to make Country Store 1993 a success.

BAKERY - Kay Wambach can use all the baked goodies our members can create. Thanks to all of your generous donations, this is pure profit. We have an upright freezer in the kitchen that will hold loads of baked goods. Please start baking now. Yeast breads are hot sellers!

CHILDREN'S GAMES - These games and prizes are always a treat for the kiddies.

KITCHEN - Gregg Dietrich, assisted by Libby Dietrich, need people to make desserts for the kitchen. Chocolate anything is always a favorite. Fruit pie or cobbler makers are also needed. Apples are plentiful, so if you want to bake, we can help you with the fixings.

DRIED BARN - Florence Makepeace, Ruth Clark, Inez Check and Ellen Mueller have once again created beautiful arrangements for this department. I'm sure they could use some helping hands the day of the sale and help cleaning out the kitchen.

COBWEB CORNER - Marie Anderson has broken her arm and cannot work in this area. Judy Radcliffe has agreed to organize and price items, but she need people to sort and arrange items in the 2-3 weeks before Country Store. This takes a little time, since things have been piling up over the summer. Sale workers and donations are also wanted. Call Judy: 474-5377.

DOLLS & TOYS - OPEN We STILL need someone to come forward and help organize this department - schedule workers, etc.

IN MEMORIAM

Betty Gerwe - Thelma Heflin - Lois Barnes

CLEAN UP - FIX UP DAYS SCHEDULED AT CABIN

Saturday, Sept. 11, will be CLEAN UP DAY at the cabin. Since Jack Massey is unable at this time to do too much work after his illness, board and general members are asked to donate a few hours, from 9 to 12 to spiff up the Cabin for Country Store. Jack & Alice will both retain their positions as "chairs" for Log House and Accessions at this time.

Florence Makepeace is organizing a flower bed clean up day on Sept. 14, at 9 a.m. to clear the weeds out of the landscaping.

DAY TOUR TO COLUMBUS VILLAGE SET OCT. 16

We'll be leaving at 8 a.m. and returning at 8 p.m. after a full day at the Ohio Historic Village in Columbus. A "tentative" price is around \$30. More details later. Call Helen Sweet: 474-5678.

FARMER'S MARKET - Jane King needs LOTS AND LOTS of fresh produce from your garden. She also needs some assistance, since Judy Radcliffe has agreed to take over Cobweb Corner. House plants, flowers, perennials, etc. are also welcome. Any one out there have a pumpkin patch? The kids love them.

RAFFLE - Get your tickets and you can win either our treasured "Dinner for Eight at the Log House", B&B luncheon cruise tickets for 4 or "basket of goodies" selected from Country Store departments.

ICE CREAM - Once again, this cool and delicious treat will be available in a bowl or cone OR scooped upon your apple pie or cobbler. Mmmm! Mmmm!

NATURE'S NICHE - Thistle and sunflower seeds, bird feeders and bird houses will be available. Any woodworking items will also be at this booth. We need inventory. HERBS & EVERLASTINGS will also be sold in Nature's Niche.

BEVERAGES - Edwina Rees has agreed to take over this department. Please leave donations and sign the list in the basement of the brick house. There are only a few short weeks left to watch the sales for bargains on pop.

STITCHERY - Mary Brafford (231-0763) needs to get your Victorian items immediately, so she can clean and press them for sale. Donations of handmade items are also welcome, as well as workers either day.