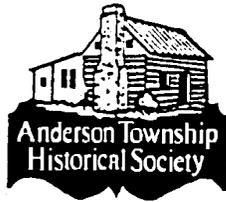


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ATHS meetings are held the first Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p. m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Bartels Road, unless otherwise noted.

1999 Country Store – Ole Time Fair & Festival Saturday, September 25, 10 - 5 & Sunday, September 26, 12 - 5

Here we go again. With no designated chairperson for Country Store, various Board members have taken on the tasks of calling and coordinating. If we didn't call you, **CALL US!!!** We can use all the help we can get, especially in the kitchen, bakery (we need lots of homemade goodies). At the very least, please come and bring your family, your neighbors and your friends to visit, work, spend the day, eat lunch or dinner & buy some crafts, vegetables, plants, desserts, cobweb items.

We can't pull this thing off if we don't have the support and effort of each and every member.

MONTHLY MEETINGS

Wed., September 1 – 7:30 p.m. – Member **Karen Berry**, dressed as an Eastern woodland maiden with a basket of props, will present the Dress and Customs of Native Americans around the U.S. - starting with the Eastern woodland tribes, South to the Cherokee and Seminole, on to the Southwest (Apache and Navaho) up into the great plains (Sioux, Pawnee) and North to the Tlingit, and Alaskan tribes. Discover how many buffalo hides it takes to make a teepee, how they caught eagle feathers and cooked before iron pots. (Editor's note: Did you know Alaska's Athabascan can understand the Apache & Navaho language? Distant cousins, no doubt.)

Wed., October 6 – 7:30 p.m. - To be announced.

LOG HOUSE OPEN 2ND & 4TH SUNDAYS, 1 - 3

Our 202 year old historic treasure is open on the second & fourth Sundays with August 8 & 22, September 12 & 26 (Country Store), and October 10 & 24 remaining, from 1 to 3 p.m. **Two volunteers are still needed for Sunday, Oct. 10.** Call Lyn Scheper (232-1559) and sign up as host/hostess on this date.

Jane will also be teaching a tour guide class in late August before retiring due to ill health. We're still hoping to get an Ohio flag from the year we became a state. A replica will do it! Any offers, suggestions?

DONATIONS ACKNOWLEDGED

- **Doris & Bob Newton** donated 2 hooked rugs and some genealogical books.
- **India Boyer's estate** will send a check to the Society.
- **Dorothy Scott** donated an anvil from her grandfather's shop - a wagon maker & wheelwright.

BROWNE PROPERTY LOANS REPAID

ATHS Board cashed in low-interest bearing EE bonds to repay the members who made NO-interest loans to the Society to purchase the Browne property last year.

Many thanks to the following members who "loaned" a total of \$23,000 to complete the purchase: **Lynn & Ruth Bellamy, Kay Carter, Inez & Carolyn Check, Mae Donovan, Nelson & Florence Hoffman, Ron & Carol Makin, Nancy McClure, Jeannie Peters, Bob & Judy Radcliffe, Wilbur & Edwina Rees, Kay Wambach, and Al & Betty Wettstein.**

We are also grateful to **Jean & Howard Meyers, Beulah Dowers and Diane Schneider** who made donations totaling \$1300 toward purchase or repairs. **Bob Greer** has volunteered to paint the Browne house porch with Olympic stain donated by **Lyn Scheper**. It will be grey/blue with white trim. Tenants at the Browne house have been cleaning and fixing the inside; they propose an open house for members when "ready".

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS NOTES

- Twenty-five members attended the Showboat Majestic performance on the public landing.
- Sliced ham and potluck dishes and desserts were a big hit at the August picnic at the brick house. Thanks to **Mae Donovan** and **Judy & Bob Radcliffe** who cleaned and set up tables and chairs.
- New display cases will soon be filled with various Society treasures. Artifacts in a Beechmont Mall storefront will be on display until September 4.
- **Diane Schneider & Nancy McClure** entertained 35 Girl Scouts with the Society's "traveling suitcase".
- Don't forget to see **Al Wettstein** for **Kroger certificates** which benefit the society.

Refreshment Co-Chair Needed - Jane Hornschemeier needs help. Joan Barnes can no longer help due to a back problem. In addition to lining up desserts, coffee, drinks, ice, paper products, etc. must be purchased and brought in.

Country Store 1999 - Saturday, Sept. 25, 10-5 & Sunday, Sept. 26, 12-5

RAFFLE - Al Wettstein will sell chances for \$2 ea. or \$3 for \$5. First Prize is **Dinner for 8 at the Log Cabin**, Second is Basket of Country Store Goodies & Third Prizes is B&B Riverboat Cruise tickets.

DOLLS & TOYS - Carol Voorhees & Sue Wettstein will co-chair this department & create their usual miniatures. Betty Wettstein is busy stitching & stuffing. They need donations of children related items for sale.

STITCHERY - Mary Brafford (231-0763), assisted by her daughter Lyn Scheper (232-1559), and Ruth Bellamy, are busy making items for this popular department. Watch for vintage linens for the Victorian Table. Call Mary (231-0763) to help or donate.

FARMER'S MARKET - Anne King Chapman (231-9557) needs your donations of home-grown produce and perennial plants for this very popular booth. The Kings will be assisted by Carol & Edmund Motz, Butch New and Jane Hornschemeier. Lynn Bellamy is making & decorating whimsical birdhouses from gourds.

CHILDREN'S GAMES - Trisha Sears and son Micah (Bellamy's daughter and grandson) are busy planning some old fashioned games for the children to enjoy. Prizes will be welcomed donations.

COBWEB CORNER - Lynn Bellamy & Judy Radcliffe are teaming up with Inez Check, Florence Makepeace, Brenda Greer and Sandy Smith. This year they will take up the entire barn space. We gladly pick up your garage sale leftovers & give you a receipt. Call Judy (474-5377) or Lynn (231-9537).

BAKERY - Kay Wambach & Beulah Dowers are back and heading up this department. **Please start baking and freezing NOW.** Items are needed for both Saturday and Sunday - **we always sell out early.** Tasty Cheese Spread, made by Michelle Scheper, some cheese will be sold along with baked goods.

PHONE COMMITTEE - OPEN. If you can't sew, bake or work, please offer to make phone calls the week before Country Store to remind people to bake, etc.

BEVERAGES - Barb & Marty Christman are standing by this department again. **We need donated sodas; last year we had to purchase a lot.** Please leave soft drink & coffee donations in the Brick House. Please check the expiration date on the bottom of diet soda.

KITCHEN - Mae Donovan is coordinating this community project: Ron Makin will clean up the kitchen; Catherine Ewers is scheduling food donations; Ruth Bellamy is calling workers; and Judy Radcliffe is making roast beef and pork for our delicious repast.

SILENT AUCTION - This booth was a big hit last year. Bob King has volunteered to assemble offerings from local merchants and entertainment venues.

DRIED ARRANGEMENTS - A limited number of dried items will be sold in the cabin's lean-to kitchen this year.

Set Up - wettstein, Sweet, Motz, Denning, et.al.

Finance - Bob Radcliffe

VISA/Master Card - Wilbur Rees

Security - Ron Makin

Sign Updates - Florence Makepeace & Ron Makin

In Memoriam

Our condolences go to the family & friends of:
Ruth Wolfangle; Bob Zimmerman; Mike McGee, brother to Pat Meyer and son of the late Sarah McGee; and **Richard Hughes**, beloved husband of Charlotte Hughes.

Membership Past Due Reminder

Please make your payments payable to ATHS.
DUES ARE: \$5 - single; \$10 - couple; \$15 - patron. **Please send your dues to: Shirley Smith 7118 Barbill Place, Cinti., (45230)**

ATHS Contributor List

ATHS gratefully acknowledges the following gifts and donations made throughout 1998:

In Memoriam:

Betty & Al Wettstein for Erma Elder
George Wuest for Jean Wuest
Claire Alfieri for Amy Lowery
Annett Arden for Amy Lowery
Donald & Nancy Branham for Amy Lowery
Barb Christman for Amy Lowery
Luella Copp for Amy Lowery
Leona Darling for Amy Lowery
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Ed Schierloh for Amy & Roland Lowery
Carol Voorhees for Amy & Roland Lowery
Betty & Al Wettstein for Amy & Roland Lowery
Sue Wettstein for Amy & Roland Lowery

In Honorem:

Edwina & Wilbur Rees
for Bill Strayer's 90th Birthday

BEST WISHES TO JANE KING & HAROLD WILEY WHO HAVE BEEN IN POOR HEALTH.