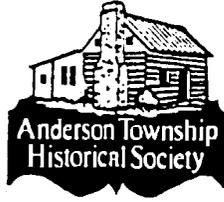


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ATHS meetings are held the first Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p. m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Bartels Road, unless otherwise noted.

FLEA MARKET SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 24

Back by popular demand, Judy Radcliffe (474-5377) once again plans a flea market on the grounds of the Brick House, Saturday, April 24, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Space rental is \$15, with table rental \$5. Ads will be placed in the Forest Hills Journal soliciting both participants and customers. (Donations of discount coupons for a classified ad in the Community Press, are welcome.) New clothes and food will be sold in the Brick House. Call Judy to reserve a space.

Due to the Tea Party in May, there will NOT be an ATHS sale of flea market items. Cobweb Corner leftovers were taken by St. Vincent de Paul. **Please do NOT drop off any items at the Brick House for Cobweb Corner until after May 16.**

MONTHLY MEETINGS

Wednesday, May 5 - 7:30 p.m. – TBD

Wednesday, June 2 - 7:30 p.m. – TBD

Wed., July 7 – Potluck Picnic at the K or C Hall (air conditioned comfort). Meat & drink provided – bring a dish and your place setting. Please use the following guidelines for your covered dish, using the initial of your last name:

A-D	Desserts
E-L	Salads (jello/fruit/slaw, etc.)
M-R	Vegetables
S-Z	Starches (potatoes/rice/macaroni, etc.)!

SUMMER OPEN HOUSE VOLUNTEERS

Before ATHS can commit to being open on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month, June - Oct., from 1-4 p.m. Bev will pass around her sign-up list at the April or May meeting. Eight spaces are OPEN.

<u>1st Sunday</u>	<u>2nd Sunday</u>
June 6	June 20
July 4 (holiday)	July 18
August 1	August 15
September 5	September 19
October 3	October 17

Please Pay Membership Dues Now!

Single	\$10
Family	\$20
Lifetime(ssl)	\$150
Lifetime (cpl)	\$200

Please send payment to:

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“CHRISTMAS IN JULY” ON JULY 17 & 18

In lieu of the Christmas Boutique, this year we are trying “Christmas in July”. With tons of competition around the holidays we thought we’d try something different. Cobweb Christmas items, Department 56, Precious Moments, and collectible teddy bears will be featured in the barn. Boutique items will be in the cabin. Food will be served and there is talk of Ice Cream Sundays. You never know what you might find at a Christmas in July Celebration. Stay tuned, come to meetings and find out more about it. The Sunday will be a regular open house week, so it should be lots of fun for all.

MISCELLANEOUS BITS & PIECES

- **Makepeace Property** - No settlement on the court case. Heat and water are working. There is a GREAT NEED for a clean up crew to empty the house, trim the yard and weeds, clean out the shed/garage and eventually a painting party. As soon as the suit is settled we will make a decision about what to do with the site.
- **Brown Property** – the law mower is dead. We hope to get a used riding mower of some type. A donation would be nice. The garage/shed must be repaired to secure and store the mower.
- **Log House Upkeep** - **Bob Radcliffe** and **Bill Dreyer** worked many hours to straighten out the problem with the electricity in the cabin. All circuits, plugs and lights are working at this time. YEAH! Varmint control is still a problem. **Bob** spend 3 hours doing a small patch with hydraulic cement where damage had occurred. Members are invited to check out the repair to determine if we should continue making repairs in this fashion. Look on the garden side of the cabin.
- The Board has again approved the disbursement of 3 **Marjorie Frame Historian Awards** - \$150 honorariums for an outstanding history student at Turpin, Anderson, & McNicholas High Schools.
- Raccoons in the barn have made a mess & damages.



Tea Party

THIRD MOTHER/DAUGHTER TEA - MAY 15 & 16 AT 12:30 AND 3:00

This year's third bi-annual **Mother-Daughter Tea Party** plans are well underway. VIP invitations have been sent. A sign up flyer for members is enclosed. If you do not plan to attend, please pass your flyer along to someone who might want to join us. Remember, Saturday has the least crowded sessions (less competition for door prizes). Help of assorted kinds is needed.

Clean-up sessions –9 a. m.– Noon, May 1st & May 8th
We can use a variety of helpers, including counting flatware, washing punch cups, new clear glass plates, annex cleaning, garden, etc. We need to spiff everything up for the big day. Youthful volunteers will be available as well, so you could be asked to supervise.

Items to donate – baskets for door prizes, creamy (not crunchy) peanut butter, grape & strawberry jelly, peach & strawberry preserves. *Leave at Brick House before May 2.* If you don't want to donate an item, Diane and Lyn will take up a "collection" at the May meeting to help buy items like lemonade and tea mix for the event.

Items to bake – we need *lots of people to make scones* both plain and chocolate. We need 300 scones. Mix and directions will be provided if you can make a batch or 2 or 3 (232-1559). They can be made ahead and frozen in airtight containers, like tupperware. No room? We'll put them in the freezer of the brick house or annex.

Help at the event – **Task workers** and some kitchen help would be welcome. Craft demonstrators include, Mary Brafford (quilting), Edmund Motz (walnut cracking and whittling), Stan Brown (corn shelling), Karen Berry (spinning) and we hope to have a butter churn for the girls to make butter for the tea party. Tours of the "root cellar" are a possibility. We'll need a "spotter" on the stairs to prevent falls on oversize steps.

Tea Party Raffle Prizes – Mother/Daughter pink pearl set, Felicity Doll, 4 American Doll clothes outfits, Mother/Daughter fun fur scarves, and Mother/Daughter Tea Pot jewelry have been donated for the main raffle.

Lynne Riesenberg has written a new story about a Sugar Camp (tapping the trees and boiling the sap for sugar). A "tent" re-enactment will be on the lawn.

ATHS Promo at Anderson Library, May 5 – Diane Schneider will organize a reading of the Log House storybooks and a mini tea by reservation only.

Garden & Grounds Need Spruce Up – The garden is always in need of help, especially since it is featured as the background for souvenir photos.

Tea Registration Form Enclosed – Space fills up fast. If you can't use it, pass it along to a friend who can.

GENEALOGY DEPARTMENT DONATIONS

We want to thank the following contributors to our library. Joan Barnes purchased an ink cartridge for our copier. Her gift was in memory of her mother Thelma Hannah Koester.

The following were donated to our library:

- Jean Belleville the Huguenot given by Marge Thomas
- History of Blue Ash and Guides from Walnut Hills High School given by William Simpson
- The Methodists of Potato Neck Maddux Family of Maryland given by Kenny Burck
- The Hutton of Southern Indiana 1700-2000 given by the author Edward L. Hutton
- The Heckel Family written by Paul E. Heckel and The Family of Roger Sherman Ayer written by Robert Ludlow – donors unknown

KROGER CHANGES PLAN AGAIN

Al Wettstein has the last \$5000 worth of certificates. When those are gone, we will have to buy a \$5 card which you can "load up" at the Kroger service counter in whatever amount you want. As you use the card, the amount you spend will be credited to ATHS. When a total of \$5000 has been recorded from all the ATHS cards in use, the Society gets \$200. You can reuse and reload your card. The only cost to you is \$5 initial fee for the card, which is linked to the ATHS account. After that, you just buy your groceries as you normally would. Your receipt will tell you how much is left on your card. It couldn't be easier and if you run out of \$\$ on your card you can "reload" on the spot at the service desk. Call (474-0855) to get more information in May.

IN MEMORIAM

Our sympathy goes to **Butch and Linda New** on the recent death of her daughter.



Some views of the Union Terminal Museum Center and the "mall" contributed by **Bill Dreyer**.