Bothell Historical Museum

Bothell, Washington

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Help Decorate the Museum for Christmas!

Monday, November 27th
10 am

Volunteers are needed to decorate the Museum buildings and the interior of the Hannan House. Bring greens if you have them.

Fall Annual Membership Meeting

Saturday, November 4th, 2017
10 am to 12 pm at McMenamins’ Thorndike Room

Our annual business meeting is required to inform members what the Museum has accomplished this year. We will also have an election of members to the Board of Trustees. There is an open position on the board, and will open to nominations to fill that position.

Margaret Turcott will present stories that did not make it into her new book “Images of America—Bothell.” Her presentation will be interactive and audience participation will be welcomed.

Membership Renewal

It is time to renew your membership!

The 2018 membership form is on the last page of this newsletter. You may renew by mail, at the fall meeting November 4th, or at the Spring meeting in April.

We do not take credit cards.
Message from our President

Pat Pierce

It is good to take stock of our progress once a year. We had so many of our members give their time and effort to make the museum a great place to visit and learn. The upstairs was opened for viewing with excellent work from the staging committee, which worked on the children’s room and master bedroom. The clothing committees made sure the clothes were properly preserved and displayed some throughout the Hannan House. The collections committee has made progress cataloging every item in the museum so the whole collection can be placed on the computer with all the information and a picture of the item.

The docents are vital to our success - and have been very busy this year; one Sunday there were 140 visitors! We need to specially thank these people because without them, no one could enjoy the museum. Each Sunday, it is exciting to see the diversity of people going through the buildings. Mary Anne has given tours to elementary school children and organized the treasure boxes. It is never too early to teach them our history.

We have been working closely with the city and their Explore program. They are pleased to have our wonderful group of volunteers working toward our common goals - to preserve the history of Bothell.

There are many, many of you who are not mentioned, but your interest, your energy and your hard work have been noted and appreciated. We look forward to another fruitful year with your help. Thank you for all that you have done for the museum. Overall, it was a successful year. I look forward to more progress, more goals, and more communication with the members – to more success.

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An Old Fashioned Holiday Tea and Open House

We are looking forward to once again hosting our Old Fashioned Holiday Tea on Sunday, December 3, 2017 from 1-4 PM. There are many ways you can help with this special event beginning with decorating on Monday, November 27 at 10 am. Bring greens, if you have them, to decorate the buildings. We also need dozens of cookies for the event. On the day of the tea we will need help setting up, greeting, serving and cleaning up. A sign up sheet will be available at our annual meeting on Saturday, November 4th.

Museum Openings This Year
Mary Anne Gibbons

At the end of this month we will conclude our Sunday afternoon openings to the public. In winter we are closed to the public except for our Christmas Tea/Open House on Sunday December 3. Of course, special openings can be arranged as requested throughout the winter. We resume our Sunday schedule in April.

This past summer, each Sunday we greeted an average of 80 visitors from all over the world plus many descendants from early Bothell families. It is always fun to meet them and share their history with them. Visitors enjoyed having our “upstairs rooms” open for viewing as well as more examples of our extensive clothing collection which have been displayed on mannequins throughout Hannan House. We appreciate the hard work of the Clothing and the Display Committees.

We also appreciate the dedication of our Sunday docents. With 3-4 docents needed per Sunday, we always welcome more. If you know of someone interested, please let Mary Anne Gibbons or Jill Keeney know.

We appreciate the support of these Bothell businesses

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______ Senior $10.00 (65+ years) _________ Other

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______ I would like to make a donation $ ____________ _________ I have items to donate

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