

# Heritage & Museum Happenings

## JULY/AUGUST 2017



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### President's Message

As we enter the Summer season, we begin with a change of THMA officers for a 2 year term following the May election. Welcome: Vice President: Regina Sotor, Secretary: Meg Herring, Recording Sec.: Carolyn Amoss, Treasurer: Jean Tracey, Assistant Treas.: Regina Sotor. Standing Committee Chm./ Museum: Carroll Hahn, Past President: Nancy Eyler, Membership: Patty Fazenbaker, Social: Fairy Flickinger, Ways & Means: Dan and Diane Wilhide, Publicity: Elaine Hoover. We need a Program chm. for 5 programs a year. Please call and volunteer.

Hudson Day in June was well attended and it is planned to continue in 2018. Our 13th Anniversary will be Saturday, August 5th from 1-4 p.m., with an ice cream social. We have several other summer events on our agenda in July and August (Friday, Sept. 15 is the Golf Tourney). Do come out and participate in any or all of our activities!

Just like the back steps at the museum, this presidency is also new to me and will be a learning experience - one new step at a time with all of you.

...Sandy Crouse, President  
 (410-756-6077)

### What's going on at the Museum?



In June we hosted the Hudson Car Event which was well attended with 5 old Hudsons, a 1929 Essex and 3 display cases with Hudson items. The blue 1949 super 6 by the traffic signal was sold at Koons Garage which was at this location before the museum. I want to thank the Hudson owners for bringing their cars and chatting with our visitors. We plan on this being an annual event.

The quilt display has proven to be a big hit with visitors and has drawn quilt enthusiast's long distances. It is so nice to see the steady flow of visitors and how

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### Calendar of Events

**Saturday,  
 August 5**

1 - 4 p.m.

**Museum 13th Year**

**Anniversary Celebration**

Light refreshments will be available

**Friday,**

**September 15**

Registration 7 - 7:30 a.m.

**One More Round For George  
 5th Annual Golf Tournament**

Quail Valley Golf Course, Littlestown

**Friday,**

**September 22**

1 - 4 p.m.

**Quilt 'Tea and Talk'**

### Hudson Day at the museum



We were able to utilize our garage to display a 1929 Essex





## Fundraisers

### Ways and Means Committee

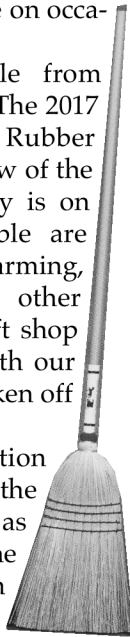
Saturday, June 17 we had our first outing selling brooms at the Art & Wine Festival at Memorial Park. We sold 11 brooms which was a great day. "Many Thanks" goes out to our volunteers. Remember, you may purchase brooms at Crouse Ford, Wantz Chevrolet, RUST, and the museum. If you need a sturdy broom, we have it for your family or friends. The Farmers Market has just started and we may be there on occasions later in the summer.

Ornaments are available from 2008 to the present for \$12. The 2017 depicts Cambridge Rubber Company with an aerial view of the early buildings. The history is on the back of each. Available are many books on history, farming, and baseball, and many other 'goodies' for sale in our gift shop which is growing along with our broom collection and has taken off quite well.

The broom "information flyer" and also pictures of the new ornament, as well as other items, are posted in the Gift Shop on our museum website... [taneytownhh.org](http://taneytownhh.org)

Thank you for your support.

...Diane Wilhide



### What's Going On...

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it makes the days go fast for our volunteers.

Coming on August 5th is our 13th anniversary celebration complete with ice cream and drinks.

If you have any ideas for events you would like to see at the museum please contact me or any volunteer.

New steps that meet the building code have been installed to the rear deck for volunteers access to the rear of the house.

... Carroll Hahn  
Museum Chairman



### Taneytown School Bell Dedication

The dedication of the school bell took place with the plaque installed, at the April 2017 opening of the History Museum.

*Pictured are Sandy Crouse and George Naylor.*

### Museum Hours

The Museum is open Friday, 10:00-1:00 and Saturday/Sunday 1:00-4:00, or by appointment. *If you have a group or family and friends in town who would like to come another day, we're always glad to make arrangements for your visit.*

### Historical Snippets

Beginning as the Copperville Farmers' Club picnic in 1897, the **Carroll County Fair** opened at their new fairgrounds, in Taneytown, on September 11, 1923. The Fair Association tried to hire the best entertainment and side show attractions. There were fireworks, harness races, and exciting rides. Along with the cattle, swine and poultry exhibits, there was a Farm and Home Building with home economics exhibits of canned goods and needlework. Families were encouraged to attend for children's games, ball games and horse-shoe pitching. Public weddings were a popular attraction. Although the Carroll County Fair Association made every effort, the fair suffered financially, and was forced to close after the fair in 1946.



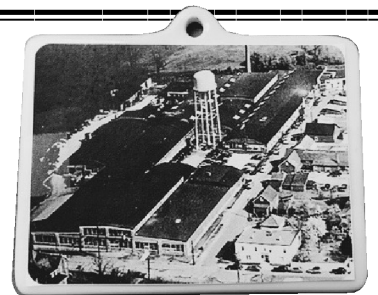
### One More Round For George

#### 'Heads Up' for Golf

The 5th Annual 'One More Round For George' Golf Tournament will be Friday, September 15, at Quail Valley Golf Course near Littlestown.

Chm. Ken Crouse and committee are at work to sign up foursomes and singles, \$80 a golfer. Sponsorship packages from hole sponsors are \$75 or \$50 for renewals. Sponsors of beverage cart, Gold and Platinum donors of \$300-\$1000 greatly helps along with Patron donations. Please consider being a golfer, donating to a fund, or soliciting to add a new listing. The golf outing is our largest fundraiser of the year thanks to people like you helping us.

Need more info - call Ken at 410-756-6165 or Sandy 410-756-6077.



### 2017 THMA Ornament

10th Edition

\$12 in our gift shop

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