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# Heritage & Museum Happenings

## JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2022

### President's Message



*Greetings and Happy New Year!* I hope this newsletter finds you in good spirits and good health.

It was wonderful to see many of you at the Holiday Dinner. The food was great, as was our entertainment for the evening. Tim Bangerd provided a wonderful and educational presentation on the historic organ of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church here in Taneytown.

As we move into 2022, please let us know if you have a person or topic in mind for speakers in the new year. Perhaps someone with a collection and a story of how that collection came to be? You can let one of us on the board know, or feel free to reach out to Tom Robertson or myself.

Our events and fund raising efforts in 2021 were quite successful. We appreciate everyone's role in each fund raiser, also thanking the sponsors for the Holiday of Trees, Wreaths & Centerpieces, including Evapco, The Taney Corporation, Taneytown Chamber of Commerce, Charles A. Reed, Infinity Global Travel and Jo Ann Boone. Of special note is another very generous donation at the end of 2021 from our friend Bonnie Becker. This was one of the

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



I am happy to report another successful year despite the virus that just won't go away. The number of visitors was down but the positive comments should make

us all proud to be part of our museum and its mission.

We embarked on a path to better use the museum garage in 2020 by having the floor cleaned of 70 years of dried mud, grease, and oil, sealed, and painted. This year we purchased a 10 by 16 storage shed to free the other side of the garage. The building was purchased from Esh Storage Buildings



in Newberg Pa and delivered by their contractor on November 19th. The young man, with his specialized trailer, placed it easily

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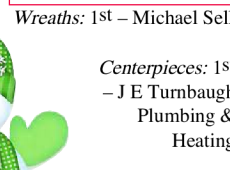
### Holiday of Trees, Wreaths & Centerpieces 2021



Trees: 1st - Crabby Scott's Seafood

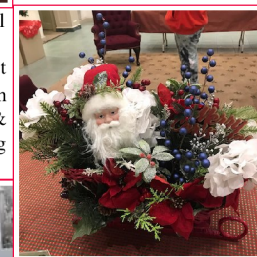


Trees: 1st - Crabby Scott's Seafood



Wreaths: 1st - Michael Sell

Centerpieces: 1st - J E Turnbaugh Plumbing & Heating



Combo's: 1st - Silver Fancy Garden Club



Entrance to Holiday of Trees inside the bank

This year we celebrated the 15th successful year of The Holiday of Trees, Wreaths & Centerpieces. It was wonderful to hold this event this year after missing 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic. This year we had 23 entries with 10 trees, 2 centerpieces, 7 wreaths & 4 combo's.

There were 62,837 total votes cast with the following results by category:

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## Museum Gift Shop 2022

We ended the year by being present at Carroll Vista for their Holiday Craft Show, November 13, 2021. It was a great turnout and we had many people stop by our table to "look and buy."

Holiday of Trees, Wreaths and Centerpieces held at N.W.S.B Bank, A division of ACNB Bank, was our next event. Another great turn out, not only to see the trees and more, but also many many sales for our museum gift shop.

We are going to be rolling out the new 2022 ornament in a few months. If any one has a suggestion on what you would like the 2023 ornament to be, please call myself Diane @ 410-596-9027. We are looking to display our older building and historical homes in the Taneytown area.

We have had another great year on broom sales. A big thank you goes out to our customers and also to Crouse Ford and Wantz Chevrolet for selling them.

When we reopen in the Spring we will have a few new items on hand.

Visit our web site for our new "Listing of Prices for 2022" at <http://www.taneytownnh.org>

Thank You for supporting our town's museum. We appreciate you!!

...Diane Wilhide

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best years for the Holiday of Trees and our golf tournament in terms of fund-raising, thanks to the hard work of the committees.

To all of you who have contributed in any way, I thank you. Please keep in mind and in your prayers those whom we have lost as well as those who have been ill.

Let's keep our thoughts on success in 2022, as we work on new displays and new speakers, as we invite our families, friends and the public into our museum and as we come together

to continue this great effort we call the Taneytown Heritage and Museum Association.

...Doug Heck, President

## Holiday of Trees...

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### Trees:

1st - Crabby Scott's Seafood

2nd - J E Turnbaugh Plumbing &

Heating

3rd - Taneytown Physical Therapy

### Wreaths:

1st - Michael Sell

2nd - J E Turnbaugh Plumbing &

Heating

3rd - PSJ Orthodontics

### Centerpieces:

1st - J E Turnbaugh Plumbing &

Heating

2nd - City of Taneytown

### Combo's:

1st - Silver Fancy Garden Club

2nd - Designer's Edge

3rd - Grace United Learning Center Co.

Thanks to everyone who did their part in making this year a success. Your help and dedication made the difference. We would also like to thank our Platinum, Copper & Bronze sponsors and a special thank you to NWSB Bank, a division of ACNB Bank, for hosting the event.

...Ellen & Tom Lawrence

## Taneytown History Museum 2022 Featured Exhibit

"Creative Talent of our Community" was recently chosen as the title of the 2022 Museum featured exhibit. The juried exhibit will showcase the talent

of artists and published authors, both past and present, of Taneytown and the surrounding communities. In addition to the display inside the museum, activities in conjunction with the exhibit being discussed include book signings, an art show and a craft show offering an opportunity for the talented craft-artists in the community to also display their work.

Work will begin in January on the new exhibit. If you would like to help or have suggestions for the Exhibit Committee please contact Exhibit Coordinator Nancy Eyler 410-756-2170 or [nancyeyler@hotmail.com](mailto:nancyeyler@hotmail.com), as soon as possible.

## What's going on...

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within inches of the alignment stakes I had placed. In 2022 we plan on removing the old parts room on the left side of the garage to create open floor space for events.

The inside of the museum looks a little in disarray as it does every year at this time, but the exhibit committee has been meeting and soon the 2022 authors and artists of the Taneytown area display will start taking shape. It is always interesting to see the transition to the new exhibits.

Before opening day in April, we will have a clean up day and will be calling for volunteers.

Thanks to all who made 2021 a successful year.

...Carroll Hahn,

Museum committee chairman

### IN MEMORIAM

*Donald Lee Stanley*

October 5, 1935 - September 5, 2021

*Past Volunteer, Member and Friend*



### IN MEMORIAM

*Donald Staub*

January 1, 1942 - December 20, 2021

*Volunteer and Friend*



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