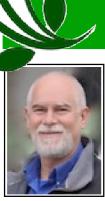




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President's Message

Greetings as we see a few hints of our upcoming spring. I am definitely looking forward to warmer weather and working outside. I hope this newsletter finds you in good spirits and good health.

We will have our Spring Cleanup Day on Saturday March 26th from 9:00 a.m. until about noon. The more help we have, the faster we will be able to complete a thorough cleaning. We had a good crew last year and we made quick work of it.

Tom Robertson will be the speaker on Indian artifacts at our March meeting. Tom recently announced his plan to retire from serving as our Program Chair. We appre-

ciate the effort he has made over recent years to bring us speakers and programs of interest. Please come out and see what Tom has to share with us on March 28th.

Given Tom's retirement, we are looking for a new Program Chair to take the lead on finding and recruiting good speakers for our public meetings. 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? Contact any board member with your idea. Please contact me if you have an interest in being our Program Chair or if you have some time to help with the goal of recruiting speakers.

As the City of Taneytown makes a renewed effort to publish the Taneytown Record on time, we are hoping to have a

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2022 Featured Exhibit



Taneytown History Museum

Showcasing the work of
Artists and Authors
past and present,
of the Taneytown area

Opening Day
Sunday, April 24 • 1-4 p.m.

- *Volunteers will be available to answer questions about the exhibit.*
- *Some of the **featured authors** will be available in person for book signings*
- *Light refreshments will be served*

What's going on at the Museum?



In April we will again open our doors to a new exhibit thanks to the exhibit committee under the leadership of Nancy Eyler. The committee works very hard during fall and winter to put together the wonderful exhibits we experience each spring.



We are continuing to make the garage more usable and have approved a contract with Modern Comfort to install a Mitsubishi split system AC/Heat unit. I expect the installation to be completed by opening day. We are all looking forward to having the extra climate-controlled area for special events.

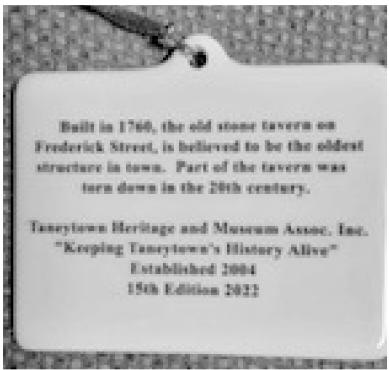
In preparation for opening day on April 24th we will have a cleanup day on March 26 starting at 9:00 a.m. If possible, please help us that day.

The next big event after opening day is our annual Hudson car day on June 11th. We normally have 6 or more Hudson vehicles.

Hope to see you at the museum and at our special events.

*...Carroll Hahn,
Museum committee chairman*

Featuring the New 2022 Ornament "The Old Stone Tavern"



Museum Gift Shop 2022

We are looking forward to a new exhibit, and our 2022 ornament has arrived. This is our 15th edition featuring "The Old Stone Tavern" and history displayed for \$12 each. We are still carrying older history ornaments of Taneytown starting from the year "2008." We have some 'new gift shop items' for 2022. Some previous items have lowered prices. Our Amish handmade 100% natural fiber brooms are still available at the museum, Crouse Ford and Wantz Chevrolet. We have 10 styles with prices ranging from \$4-18.

On opening day we will be holding a FREE RAFFLE for items from the gift shop.

You may call the museum: 443-918-8687 or Diane Wilhide: 410-596-9027 with any questions. Visit the web for the gift shop list of items available at www.taneytownhh.org

Thank You for Supporting Us!!

...Diane Wilhide

President's Message...

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regular place in each issue. We've also asked for the town to include our events on the events calendar. Once you've received and read the next issue, please don't hesitate to let the town know if you see room for

We will be making an effort to strongly publicize upcoming events at the museum, aiming for greater attendance. Invite friends and neighbors to our events. And be sure that everyone signs our guest book. Our numbers do matter, whether for future grants or for planning purposes. There are folks from time-to-time who ask about our numbers; we want to remain prepared to answer their requests and show what we've accomplished.

See you around town and at the museum!

...Doug Heck, President

Museum Clean-Up Day

March 26 • 9 a.m.

Please come help!

ATTENTION VOLUNTEERS 'Your Help is Needed'

As the opening day for the 2022 *Creative Talent of Our Community* approaches, your volunteer time is essential for maintaining our hours of operation to the general public.

As in previous years, I will be calling in April to schedule orientation dates and times for volunteers. Please contact your friends and family to suggest volunteering at the museum.

"We are always looking for volunteers to help with flower beds, outside maintenance, special events, etc. Thank you so much for your continued support and please call if you would like to help: Pam Reed 410-984-2427.

IN MEMORIAM

Dr. Barbara Eugenia Penney

July 18, 1934 - December 25, 2021

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