

Heritage & Museum Happenings

JULY/AUGUST 2022



**September 1 ~
Membership dues begin
for '2022-2023'**

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**MEMBERSHIP
(\$10.00)**
Mail check to T.H.M.A.
340 E. Baltimore St.
Taneytown, Md 21787

Calendar of Events

August 6 • 1-4 p.m.
18th Museum Anniversary
340 E. Baltimore St.,
Taneytown, MD
Art Show/Sale Cancelled

September 16
Golf Tournament
"One More Round For George"
8 a.m. shot gun start
Quail Valley Golf Course

September 26
T.H.M.A. General Meeting & Speaker
7 p.m.
Grace UCC Church
Parish Hall, Taneytown

President's Message



Greetings on another warm day. I've been praying for rain, as we all need it, especially our farmers. Our farmers need prayers for great harvests this year to deal with the escalating fuel and fertilizer bills. I admire their perseverance. They are an important part of our local economy.

As this newsletter goes to print, we are experiencing some very hot days. What a great time to enjoy the air conditioning at the museum! Grab the family, perhaps a neighbor, and head to the museum for a visit. Check out the exhibits and give our volunteers something to chat about.

We are still looking for a Program Chair to help find and coordinate speakers for our general meetings. If you would like to volunteer for this position, please let a member of our THMA Board of Directors know of your interest. If you have an idea of a speaker and a topic for an upcoming meet-

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What's going on at the Museum?



I'm disappointed that I must report the heating\air conditioning unit we ordered for the garage in February still has not arrived.

Hudson day was a bit rainy but our good Hudson friends brought their cars in the rain and a good number of visitors showed up to look and ask questions. Lewis Mendenhall and Keith Kerchner who have been with us every Hudson day joined us again. Lew with his 1929 Essex and the 1949 Hudson sold at the site, Keith with his 1923 Hornet Convertible. A new to us Hudson owner, Todd Harrington from Winchester VA, joined us with his 1934 Hudson Terraplane Model K for the first time. Todd drove here in the rain to be with us even though he was showing his car the following week in Beckley WV at a major AACA event and hoping to win which he did. Thanks to our dedicated Hudson friends.

Rhonda Danner has agreed to look after our flower beds and already her touch has them looking great.

Looking forward to seeing you at the museum.

*...Carroll Hahn,
Museum committee chairman*

Oh, the excitement of seeing Hudson's from another era!!

Beautiful!! Thanks again to everyone that contributed to another "Hudson Day" at Taneytown History Museum for 2022



1949 Hudson



1929 Essex



1934 Hudson Terraplane Model K



1953 Hudson

Museum Gift Shop

Our volunteers worked at the Taneytown Wine, Art & Music Festival in May. We were sitting under our new pop up tent which is green and white and displays our name.

June 25, we were at the T.H.S. Alumni Banquet with many items. Thank you to all of our volunteers that help with these events. We have enjoyable times together.

Our gift shop has many different reading materials: from poems, Civil War and Taneytown history books. We are carrying several sizes of Joe Wantz prints of Taneytown, some are signed and numbered. Also, several styles of handmade Amish brooms, wooden toys made by our volunteers and ornaments of different buildings, with their history displayed on the back, from 2008-2022. The Stone Tavern is depicted on our 2022 ornament.

Displays of brooms can also be found and bought at Crouse Ford and Wantz Chevrolet.

A list of gift shop items is on the website: www.taneytownnhh.org.

Any questions you may call Diane Willhilde @ 410-596-9027.

Thank you for your support!!

....Diane Willhilde



One More Round For George

The 10th Annual "One More Round for George" Golf Tournament will be held on Friday, September 16th at Quail Valley Golf Course near Littlestown. The invitation brochure has been mailed and the committee is hard at work.

The Individual cost is \$95 per golfer,

which will include golf, many of special games on designated holes, gift bag, coffee/donuts, prizes and luncheon. Bonus game packages and special raffles will be available as well. Businesses and non-golfers can contribute at several levels:

Platinum – Includes 2 team entries + spec game package + Banner - \$1,000

Gold - Includes 1 team entry + spec game package + hole sponsor - \$500

Hole Sponsor Sign – \$50 for renewal, \$75 for new to cover sign cost

Gift certificates, other gifts and cash are also appreciated.

THMA members and friends can help by encouraging players to enter and/or helping with possible new donations. We will especially need help on the day of the tournament as well as the couple days leading up to the event. If you are not currently scheduled to help and would like to sign up, please let us know.

All proceeds will benefit the Taneytown History Museum & Association. More information is available by calling Michele (410-259-2824) or Tom (410-259-6777) OR visit website: www.taneytownnhh.org to view the complete brochure.

President's Message...

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ing, let us know about that as well. The only bad idea is the idea you don't bring to our attention.

One of our volunteers, Ruth Laker, has been thoughtfully sharing her ideas for increasing the number of visitors to our museum. We appreciate her efforts and her desire to add to our success. If you have ideas on other activities and events we can host at the museum, please contact a THMA board member or any member of the Museum Committee. Watch for details on our scavenger hunt with a cash prize.

We are working on hosting a Taneytown Chamber of Commerce

Night at the museum Thursday, September 22. The idea is to provide a networking event with our current art display exhibitors, Chamber of Commerce members and their guests, along with THMA Board of Directors and Museum Committee members. This is a great way to show off how we invest our time and effort.

Keep us in mind as you chat with folks about what Taneytown has to offer. Help us show off Taneytown's greatest asset.

See you around town and at the museum!

...Doug Heck, President

Celebrate the 18th Museum Anniversary

Saturday, August 6 • 1 - 4 p.m.

Come out and enjoy our air conditioning, check out the displays, chat with our volunteers and celebrate our 18 years in service to Taneytown.

Coming Soon... Museum Scavenger Hunt

Scavenger items can all be found inside the museum exhibit. There will be a drawing for a prize in November. All ages can participate.

IN MEMORIAM

Charles 'Chuck' Odell
January 6, 1928 - October 5, 2021
Friend/Supporter

Vernon C. Keeler
November 18, 1948 - May 2, 2022
Volunteer/Friend



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