SANBORN AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY



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President's Message

We have had a wet but busy spring!!

The Town of Lewiston has completed extending the Saunders Settlement Road sewer line and hooking into our sewer line so we can eliminate use of the holding tank. Many thanks to Steve Broderick the Town of Lewiston Supervisor, the Town Board, and the Town of Lewiston Departments for all the support to complete this project. This is another example of the ongoing support provided by the Town of Lewiston both financially and in services provided that are essential to our continued operation.

Great job by our hard working volunteers on the Antique Show and Basket Auction, Rod & Custom Swap Meet, and Pancake Breakfast. If you can help on any of our activities like these, let myself or one of our Board Members know. We can use additional help.

We are adding a special Niagara County Vietnam Veterans Event September 21 and 22 with car show and military vehicle displays. You will see information about it in the newsletter.

We have another great Farm Museum Festival Planned July 27 & 28. Thanks to everyone for your support and have a great summer!!

Bill Read, President



(Board Meetings are held at the <u>Museum</u> on the 3rd Tues at 7:00 PM) (MUSEUM ADDRESS- 2822 Niagara St, PO Box 172, Sanborn, NY 14132)

President- Bill Read (870-6263); Vice Pres-Paul Calkins (471-4422); Recording Sec-Ruth Pirinelli (471-4677); Corresponding Sec- Gerald Treichler (731-9510); Treasurer-Glenn Wienke (731-5982).

Trustees-at-Large- Paul Beecher (731-9627), Jim Ditzel (433-7439), Bonnie Haskell (990-6909), Lynn Hoffman (731-2491), Bill Hooter (731-3874), Gwen King (297-3255), Scott McEldowney(471-5637), Jane Schultz (731-9404), Elaine Timm (471-2217). Pat Thompson (731-2666).

Farm Museum Curator- Bonnie Haskell- (990-6909) Schoolhouse Curator- Elaine Timm (471-2217)

Tuscarora Indian Nation (Reserved Position) Kenneth Patterson (417-7764)
Town of Lewiston Historic Preservation Comm. (Reserved Position) Michael Rhoney (405-7201)

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BUILDING PROJECTS, Paul Calkins, Chairman

The Town of Lewiston work connecting the Town sewer line to our sewer line at the road is complete. Our contractor has also completed work of having our line by-pass the storage tank.

WE NOW HAVE A SEWAGE SYSTEM THAT PROVIDES SAHS WITH THE CAPABILIY OF BEING OPEN YEAR AROUND.

A great job by one and all and especially to the Town of Lewiston Supervisor, Steve Broderick; Deputy Supervisor, Bill Conrad; and Town Board Members Al Bax, Bill Geiben, John Jacoby, and Rob Morreale for securing the funding for extending the Town sewer line to SAHS property and connecting it to the SAHS sewer line at the road. We also thank the Town Officials for approving a portion of their Greenway Allotment for funding the recently completed Legion/Treichler Building Project and the SAHS Parking Lot Project.

The roof on the coal shed located by the School House Museum has been repaired. The estimate for repair of the garage roof at Farm is \$4,220 for shingles or \$3,860 for metal.

SAHS needs help in funding to provide mold protection for the Treichler Building. At the board request, SAHS sent a letter of inquiry asking the Grigg Lewis Foundation to allow SAHS to apply for a \$9,500 grant to insulate the Treichler Building and to install a state-of-the-art, ductless environmental control system that provides heat, air conditioning and humidity control as the need arises. The response from Grigg Lewis was affirmative with our proposal due to them by August 2.

LANDSCAPE & CONSERVATION-

The garden committee with the help of the Sheriff's Work Program workers joined by a group from Key Bank's Community Service Initiative has done a great job in getting the gardens readied and planted. Mother nature has been helping with the watering. The results are beautiful gardens all around the farm. Their work will continue all summer long to maintain the flowers and shrubs that makes the farm picture perfect for

all those who visit. **Joan Shaw** is following up on the loosestrife eating bugs for the conservation area near the pond.

We also thank **Paul Jackson** and family for the flowers & bushes around the gazebo, done at their own expense.

SCHOOLHOUSE MUSEUM, Elaine Timm Curator, Ph 471-2217.

Elaine continues to vary the exhibits in the museum to create interest. The military related artifacts have been relocated to the Treichler Building. We are open every Sunday from 2 to 4 PM (or by special appointment by calling Elaine).

THE TREICHLER BUILDING MUSEUM-

This museum will be open during our major projects and by special requests to our Curators. As noted earlier, we recognize the necessity in providing mold protection for our many artifacts as well provide heat and air conditioning to be open year-around. We are in the process of seeking funding from **Grigg Lewis** to provide this capability.



Treichler Building with Musket in asecure case donated by Jane Schultz

SANBORN-LEWISTON FARM MUSEUM-Bonnie Haskell, Curator (990-6909)-

The Farm Museum is open every Sunday from 2 to 4 PM and every Wednesday from 1 to 4 PM. Many have visited our museum during normal openings and during our events held at the farm and were surprised to see what we have to offer at our great museum. We are now providing a spe-

cial leaflet to visitors with certain artifacts and areas keyed with a number to the leaflet that shows information on the item or area shown. This is also of interest to docents who sit our museum in describing our history. We are proud of our museums and thank those who have donated their family heirlooms for all to enjoy.

LIBRARY/COLLECTIONS, Jane Schultz-Chairperson (Ph. 731-9404)

Helping Jane on this committee are Valerie Dumpleton, Pat Korpolinski and Gerry Treichler and the Schoolhouse Curator, Elaine Timm, and Farm Museum Curator, Bonnie Haskell. Work times are held on the 2nd Tues. of the month between 9:30 and 11:30 AM to accept artifacts, take pictures, etc. Please call Jane if you have any artifacts to donate and she will set a time to receive them. Numerous artifacts have been accepted by our Board since last report including items from Clara Fish and many items from Pam Dewey as she moves from her home to another location.



Stove donated by Clara Fish in Treichler Building

MEMBERSHIP, Shirley Simrell, (417-9767)

We thank those that renewed their membership or joined as new members. To date for 2019, we have a **total membership of 391** including 18 Patrons & 8 Business members as we stride to reach last year's membership of 423 members.

We appreciate the support of our members near and far and hope you enjoy our quarterly newsletter. We encourage our members and guests to take advantage of our monthly program meetings held at 7 PM on the 4th Tuesday of the month at the Sanborn Fire Hall. We have a short business meeting of about one half-hour reporting on activities of the previous month and then get into the program. After the program we have refreshments and fellowship. Please join the fellowship. There is no charge but donations are accepted. We have no regular membership meetings June, July, August and December. We welcome first time members since our last reporting: Roger Lehman. Our Patrons and Businesses that have donate \$100 or more to SAHS are listed below:

Patrons to date for 2019: Kim (Read) Bolos, Mary Knotts, Roger Lehman, Valerie Lehman, Mal Luschen, Brent & Ann Mank, Jack II & Amy Owen, Brian & Cheryl Rotech, Susan Sandoval, Donna Smallwood, Christine (Ferchen) Stumpf, Keith & Mamie Tompkins, Gary & Linda Treichler, Gerry Treichler, Nancy (Don) Treichler, Peter & Rebecca Wydysh, Lloyd Ziemendorf & Sally Knox, and Errol Zuch.

Businesses to date for 2019: LaSalle Contracting, Gorge Travel, Gross Plumbing, William Davis Insurance, H A Treichler & Sons Greenhouses, Wagner's Market, Ken Young Paving, and Jay Wendt Construction.

PROGRAMMING-

There will be no regular meetings and programs for June through August. Program chairman Glenn Wienke announced that the program for September 24 will be "The Movin' Dress"-one woman's dustbowl story by Lorna MacDonald Czarnota of Buffalo; for October 22, "Prohibition" by Janet Karnes of Lockport; and for November 26, "13 months in Antarctica as a Navy Seabee (1956-60) by Bob Manke

of Lockport. We continue to thank Glenn for his work securing the fine speakers and Ruth Carmer, Fred Robinson, Don Thompson and Marilyn Wittkowsky for making the reminder calls. This helps to maintain our attendance at about 75. We also thank Hoover's Dairy for providing the cold drinks and you our members for furnishing goodies for all to enjoy during our fellowship after the program and Valerie Dumpleton for coordinating the refreshments.

Our Facilities are for rent



SAHS FACILITY USAGE-

Our board has made the decision to rent our facilities at the farm to bring in much needed revenue for operation and maintenance. Contact **Jim Ditzel** at 433-7439 for details. A wedding was recently held at the farm.

Jim has placed a large chart in the Townsend

Our Farm Museum facilities are for rent, and provide great backdrops for a variety of occasions! We can host small and large (225) for events such as weddings, showers, dances, parties, meeting places, tours and more. Contact Jim Ditzel, Telephone: (716) 433-7439 or E-mail jimbo5818@live.com for information.

Hall kitchen showing activities scheduled for 2019 as well as fees charged for certain events. He is presently preparing a checklist for the required overseer to make sure that our facilities are returned to the condition that they were in prior to rental.

SANBORN ANTIQUE SHOW & SALE

This year's show and sale was held at the farm. We had another successful year under the able leadership of **Bonnie Haskell**, **Pat Thompson**, and Glenn Wienke and their committees.

Chairman **Bonnie Haskell** reported that all vendor spots were sold out for the first time in many years. Out profit this year was \$3441 including \$1131 from the Basket Auction portion of the show and sale chaired by **Pat Thompson.** We also thank **Glenn Wienke** for the donation of \$62 from the sale of his famous reed baskets.



Bonnie Haskel Chairman of the show

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE-

Contact any board member with names of those members needing "Thinking of You" or "Sympathy" cards. They or their family will be sent cards. Past SAHS President Jim Cranston, Larry Fish, and Beverly Utter passed away since our last reporting.

DEFIBRILLATORS

Glenn Wienke reported that SAHS needs more folks to learn how to operate our two defibrillators. Please volunteer to take the 2 hour operational course (SAHS pays the cost). If you can help support this emergency safety plan, please contact Glenn, 731-5982.

JERSEY SHIRTS AND CAPS-

We take pride in wearing caps and shirts with our museum's logo on them. They can be purchased at our various events or at our museums. See Glenn Wienke for information.

MARKET IN THE COUNTRY-

This event sponsored by the **Rotary and Lions Clubs** replaced Old **Sanborn Days** this year. The one day event was held on June 8 at the Lions Club Park on Ward Road next to the Wheatfield Legion Post. SAHS had a 10' x 20' tent, housing an assortment of artifacts and our literature. This first year event should be better next year with some of the kinks worked out and mother nature providing a dry field to set up our exhibits.



SASH Set at Market in the Country

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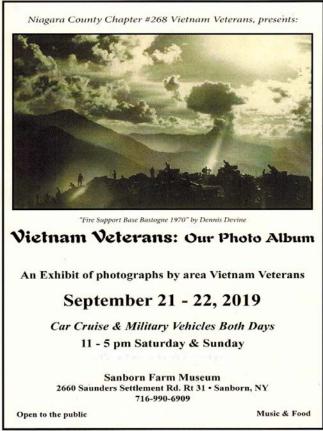
PANCAKE BREAKFAST -

Thanks to **Paul Otto** who headed up the cooking and his crew this year for a fine pancake breakfast. We also thank the kitchen and dining room workers who know how to get the job done. We took in\$1382 but had expenses of \$964 for a profit of \$418. Advertizing expenses for this event is a killer as well as the completion from other events around the area at the same time.

VIETNAM VETERAN'S EVENT-

SAHS will host the Niagara County Chapter Vietnam Veteran's program at the Farm on September 21 and 22, 2019 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. They will be providing photo exhibits by local Vietnam Vets and a military vehicle and

classic car show open free to the public. Music will be provided with Radio Show Personality **Hank Nevins** providing music on Sunday from 11 AM to 3 PM. SAHS has the food concession. Our members are asked to come out and support this group.



SAHS WISH LIST-

SAHS needs help in paying for an unexpected cost for garage roof replacement. The garage was part of the original property when we purchase the farm in 2002 and is used to house our tractor and maintenance equipment. The estimated cost for a new roof is \$4220 for shingles or \$3,860 for a metal roof. Please join others and contribute to our roofing fund.

SANBORN BUSINESS AND PROFES-SIONAL ASSOC., Bonnie Haskell, Pres.-

The Association, partnering with SAHS will hold their "Autumn Fest in Sanborn" at the farm on October 6 & 7. They are presently accepting food, flea market and craft vendors for the festival.

ANNUAL RODS & CUSTOMS CAR PARTS SWAP MEET AT FARM

The weather was beautiful for our 6th year of hosting the Rods & Customs Car Parts Swap Meet. Vendors for this event keep growing and buyers fill our parking lot and other areas as well. Our food concession group did an excellent job keeping up with customers. We showed a profit of \$1332. We also had many visiting our Farm Museum. Great job one and all!



Car Parts Swap Meet at the Farm

REMEMBER YOUR SOCIETY

Please consider the Sanborn Area Historical Society as part of your tax-deductible gifts, long term as well as short term giving program, and in your will or for special recognition and endowment gifts. Your gifts and generosity are essential to assure the completion of our goals and the long-term viability of our historical society and our museums. Your donations and inkind services are especially appreciated since the Town has is cut back on their financial support.

MUSEUM SITTERS-

We thank **Glenn** (731-5982) for being interim coordinator of sitters for both the schoolhouse museum and the farm museum. We still need someone to volunteer to relieve him of this responsibility. We also thank those who were sitters in the past. Please let **Glenn** know if you are willing to be scheduled to sit the museums between now and the end of September. We have many openings. Also tell your friends about our museums or better yet have them stop in while you are sitting. We find this to be a learning experience for ourselves as well as a great time to share our experiences at the museum with others.

CALENDAR of LOCAL EVENTS -

You might plan on helping out and enjoy the fun of active participation or just attend these events and support your community.

- Farm Museum Festival Sat July 27, 8 AM to 5 PM; Sun July 28, 8 AM to 4 PM (See write up below and schedule on next page.)
- Niagara Co. Fair opens 10 AM Wed July 31 & ends Sun Aug 4 at the fairgrounds in Lockport. The Federation of Museums will have a booth. This is always a family fun time.
- Autumn Fest in Sanborn Oct. 5 & 6 at our Farm Museum sponsored by Sanborn Business & Professional Association and SAHS.
- Vietnam Vets Event Sept. 21 & 22 at our Farm Museum sponsored by Niagara Co. Chapter of Vietnam Vets for the public to enjoy. (See earlier write up.)

FARM MUSEUM FESTIVAL, Bonnie Haskell-Coordinator (990-6909)

You won't want to miss our 15th Annual Farm Museum Festival this year to be held on July 27 and 28. Call **Valerie Dumpleton** at 731-4761 if you can furnish baked goods for sale at the event. A schedule of events is provided on the next page. Don't forget to turn in your stubs to purchase your book of money raffle tickets and scratch-off lottery tickets provided in the April newsletter. More tickets are available at the festival or by contacting **Glenn Wienke** (731-5982).

Please note that the **Volkswagen Association of Niagara Falls** will host VW Classic Cars on Saturday and will help with the all Classics Car Show on Sunday. The group will also be helping in other areas as needed on both days.

New this year will be the **ZOOMOBILE lo**cated with other animals in the area behind the large tractors. Also, the horse drawn wagon drawn by two draft horses furnished by John Bentley of Colins, NY and our tractor drawn hay wagon will be back both days between 11AM and 4 PMThese will be free for all riders.

The museum in the **Treichler Building** will be open for the festival as well as artifact displays in the **Read Memorial Building** and in the **Wienke Barn.**

SANBORN AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY- Presents:

FARM MUSEUM FESTIVAL **14TH ANNUAL**

ANTIQUE TRACTORS TRACTOR PARADES TRACTOR w/WAGON RIDES Horse Drawn Wagon Rides FLEA MARKET **CRAFT SHOW** BAKE SALE **FOOD MUSIC BASKET AUCTION** PRODUCE VENDORS KIDS ACTIVITIES WILD KRITTERS **FARM MUSEUM EXHIBITS** **Free Admission**

SAT. JULY 27 8 AM to 5 PM SUN. JULY 28 8 AM to 4 PM

2660 Saunders Settlement Rd (Route 31) Sanborn, NY

TRACTOR PARADE, and NATIVE AMERICAN NIAGARA RIVER DANCERS- BOTH DAYS SAT- VW Car, & SUN- All Classic Car Cruise

SAT. JULY 27	SUN. JULY 28
Pancake Breakfast- 8 to 11 AM	French Toast Breakfast- 8 to 11 AM
Opening Ceremony- 10 AM	
Parkside Ave. Brass Quintet- 10:30 to 11:15 AM	Nia River Dancers- 11:15 AM to 12:00PM
Nia River Dancers- 11:30AM to 12:15PM	Fyfe & Drum on grounds- Noon to 1 PM
Kids Activities - 12:00 to 3 PM	Tractor Parade- 1 PM
	Make-Your-Own Sundae- 1 PM
Symmetrical Band- 12:30 to 1:45 PM	Kids Activities- 12:00 to 3 PM
Tractor Parade- 2 PM	Sanborn Fire Co Band 1:30 to 3:00 PM
ZOOMOBILE - 4 PM to 5 PM	Announce Winners of Basket Auction Money Raffle & Kids Programs- 3:00P

Sponsored by- Grigg-Lewis Foundation, Niagara River Region Chamber, William Davis Insurance, Gorge Travel, Modern Disposal, Rhoney Funeral Homes, Wheatfield Pediatrics, Hoover's Dairy, Orleans Monuments, Town of Lewiston. Joe Cecconi, Wagners Farm Mkt, and Niagara Falls Bridge Commission.

For Info: 990-6909- Bonnie or 731-5982- Glenn, WEB Site: www.sanbornhistory.org

SANBORN AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY REGULAR MEETING SCHEDULE

(Regular Meetings, all at the Sanborn Fire Hall- 4th Tuesdays at 7:00 PM)

PROGRAM

Program for the: Sept 24 Reg Meeting: At 7:00 PM

"The Movin' Dress" by Lorna MacDonald Czarnota of Buffalo

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