

South Milwaukee Historical Society

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IMPORTANT DATES:

Please mark your calendar !!!!



Mon. Nov. 7 7:30 pm General Meeting at the Historical Society House

Fri. Dec. 2 6:30 pm Help to set up for the Christmas Fair and Bake Sale at the Hist. Soc. House

Sat. Dec. 3 9 - 2pm Historical Society Christmas Fair and Bake Sale

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT:

I would like to thank all the people who "House Sat" during the summer even though the road in front of the house was torn up.

I also would like to thank everyone who helped with the Rummage Sale both weekends.

Thanks to our Caretaker, Dick Thinnes, who scraped and painted the garage this past summer. It looks great.

Some important dates to remember are Nov. 7 for the regular meeting at the house, and Dec. 2 at 6:30 pm to help set up for our Christmas Fair Bazaar, and Saturday, Dec. 3 at about 8:30 am for the Christmas Bazaar. Donations of Craft and Baked items will be needed.

We are also looking for OLD Blue Books. We have mostly (doubles) of the new ones. If you want a new one, come to the meeting and check it out.

February is our annual dinner meeting, which will again be held at the B.E. Club. Time and date at the November meeting.

See You There!!!
Richard F. Tangen, President

Stop to see the Housesitters Guide. An updated revised edition is on top of the front desk. The work was done by Gert Endthoff and Lois Schreiter.

Rick Tangen and Gert Endthoff attended the Metropolitan Convention this fall. They said it was fantastic. Come to the general meeting Nov. 7, for details.

State Historical Society Convention Nov. 4 and 5th in Madison. Details at next meeting.

ACQUISTIONS AND THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING:

Lincoln collection is still growing. Thanks to Dr. H. W. Hein. The new Hardees on Chicago Ave has some old pictures of South Milwaukee on their walls.

WORK ROOM REMODELING:

The Museum office redecorating is completed. New book cases cover one half of east wall, paint and shades decorate the south wall, wood paneling is now on the west wall. A new desk is already in place.

WE REQUEST THESE ITEMS:

- 1. WISCONSIN BLUE BOOKS from the early 1900's.
- 2. 16mm projector or ideas on how to view the new film we have acquired.
- 3. Does anyone have experience working with cyanotype pictures? That is a process of imposing a photo negative on cloth.
- 4. HELP IS NEEDED FOR: Rewiring the house

Upper back porch repair needed Installation of shower upstairs ***********

Items for next years rummage sale have already been donated.

Geneological research is being requested from the society. An hourly fee will be charged for this service.

Milwaukee State Branch Genealogical Library, 9600 W. Grange Ave.,

Hales Corners will hold a Seminar on Saturday, October 22 from 9 am to 4 pm. Cost is \$6.00 for seminar and \$3.00 for lunch.

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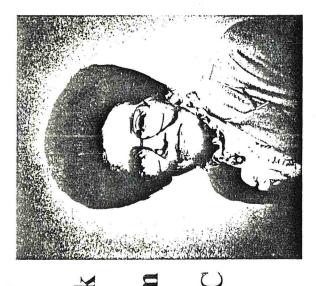
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May Murphy Thibaudeau

receiving her education there. She taught school before May Murphy Thibaudeau is a native of Wisconsin, and after her marriage to Raymond J. Thibaudeau.

You're a Lucky Pup, a dog story; Because Scarboro Was I Am, about the Thibaudeau family, The Donkey Stayed in Ireland, concerning quarry and mining experiences. She also collaborated with her daughter on a genealogy, The England and Rowley, Massachusetts. She also assisted in a Browns-Some Descendants of Charles Brown of Suffolk, Since retiring from teaching she has written Cindar, publication of the American Association of University Women, Wisconsin Women, a Gifted Heritage.

In doing her research for this book, Mrs. Thibaudeau Frederick Layton had frequented, also the Layton Cottages visited art galleries in the United States and Europe which

She presently lives in South Milwaukee with her husband.



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October 27, 1988

Dear Friends,

year sharing selected slides of the Layton collection and reflecting upon Layton's contribution to Milwaukee. Appealing both to aspiring writers and art students, Author May Murphy Thibaudeau will help us conclude the Layton Centennial May will be available to dialogue after the presentation.

We invite you to join us in the Layton Gallery at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, November 6th.

Teacher John Tryba opens his art show the same afternoon, 2:00-5:00 p.m., so enjoy.

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Sr. Adele Thibaudeau Cultural Programs Chair

HISTORIC MILWAUKEE TOUR GUIDE CLASSES TO START IN FEBRUARY

Applications for its 1989 tour guide classes are now being accepted by Historic Milwaukee Inc. as part of the organization's sixth biannual ArchiTour guide training program. The classes will prepare participants to conduct architectural/historical tours of several areas in the city of Milwaukee or to volunteer with other aspects of the organization.

Those accepted for guide training will be expected to attend the training sessions scheduled and then conduct about five tours between May and October. Tours are given weekdays, evenings and weekends. For the first time this year the course will be offered to applicants who would rather volunteer at the committee level (research, marketing, newsletter, preservation, etc.). The \$50 fee for guides and volunteers includes the cost of textbooks and other materials. Financial assistance is available. In addition the course is available to those who are interested in learning about Milwaukee's architecture and history but do not wish to volunteer. The tuition for non-volunteers is \$100.

Topics for the course, taught by professionals, include American architectural styles with an emphasis on Milwaukee styles, history of Milwaukee, and historic preservation. Training will include a bus tour of Milwaukee's three original settlements and an architectural walking tour of downtown Racine.

The classes will be held on nine Saturday mornings between February 11 and May 6. Those who would like to be considered for this docent training program or would like more information can obtain an application by writing ArchiTours Guide Training, 1833 N. Hi Mount Blvd., Milwaukee, WI 53208 or by calling 277-7795. Because the size of the class is limited, appplications received before January 30, 1989 will be given priority.

Historic Milwaukee, Inc. is a volunteer, non-profit educational organization which seeks to create public awareness and support for the preservation of Milwaukee's historical and architectural heritage. Members share their interest through specialized lectures and tours and an informative newsletter. The award winning organization sponsors guided tours for the public, highlighting areas of significance in the history of the growth and development of the city such as Walker's Point, Juneautown, and Yankee Hill. In addition it presents an annual one day Spaces and Traces Tour emphasizing historic homes and public places, renovations, restorations, and new architecture in a specific area of the city.



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November 17, 1988

Dear Friend:

In February Historic Milwaukee will begin its biannual docent training classes for new tour guides and volunteers. We would appreciate your assistance in announcing our classes to the members of your organization.

Historic Milwaukee, Inc., an award winning preservation organization, has been serving Milwaukee since 1968, and for the past ten years has been giving walking and bus tours describing the history and architecture of the city's older neighborhoods. In 1988 record numbers attended the Yankee Hill, Juneautown, Polish Heritage, Walker's Point, and Water Tower Tours. New this year were one time focus tours of UWM, Calvary Cemetary, the Third Ward and the Concordia College Area. Every spring HMI presents Spaces and Traces, a one day tour highlighting the revitalization of an historic areas such as East Town, Layton Boulevard, or Yankee Hill. The 1989 tour will feature Bay View, and coincides with the 75th anniversary of Bay View High School.

Enclosed please find a press release and our walking tour brochure. If you desire more information contact me at 931-4266 or 771-2427.

Thank you in advance four your consideration.

Sincerely yours,

ARCHITOURS EDUCATION PRESERVATION SPACES & TRACES TOUR Susan Bromberg

Guide Training Coordinator