

Super-Luminary



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WELCOME NEW (life) MEMBERS

*Eric Swanson of Lewes
Eric & Cathy Pepper of Georgetown*

CONGRATULATIONS

Helen Jean Kruger for being named by Governor Minner to be volunteer of the year for her service to the community.

Congratulations to Denny Rayne's parents Calvin & Harriett Rayne as they celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on November 9, 2007.

SYMPATHY

We are saddened at the fact we lost two of our members last week. Our condolences are extended to Ann Couch & family in the loss of George, her husband, and to the Charles Pepper family in the loss of his wife, Beverly.

Board Meeting

*Next Board Meeting is set for
Monday, November 26, 2007
at 7:00 P.M.*

THANKS!

Special thanks to the members of the Sussex Amateur Radio Assoc for getting the gas, and cutting some of the lawn at the museum.

Big thank you to Mickey (our copper/tinsmith,) for his determination to have the trolley ready for the parade. To Joan Messick and Jim Bowden for running the errands to get the supplies he needed to get the job done, and to Jack Short for helping him stretch, and cut a piece of plywood for the restoration.

THINKING OF YOU

Martin Isaacs, Room 1, of Harrison Senior Living, 110 West North Street, Georgetown, De 19947

James & Anne Marvel, 1001 Middleford Road, Seaford, De 19973

Edwin Pepper, 110 West North Street, Georgetown, De 19947

Debbie Jones, 22922 East Trap Pond Rd., Georgetown, De 19947

Rusty Warrington, 24675 Kruger Road, Georgetown, De 19947

325th ANNIVERSARY SUSSEX COUNTY SPECIAL EDITION COLLECTOR RIFLE RAFFLE

The Georgetown Historical Society Board of Directors has chosen a raffle of a 325th anniversary Special Edition Rifle in a French-Fitted case as a special fund-raiser to help defray the cost of three new roofs that are in need of repair on the museum grounds. Only a 1000 tickets will be available for a \$10.00 donation. Only 12 of these will be made and we will be raffling off #6. Call 855-9660 to reserve one of these tickets. The rifle is fully plated in 24-karat gold. Some of the artwork includes the Court House, the Georgetown Train Station, and the Cape Henlopen Lighthouse, (just to mention a few.)

DONATIONS

Thanks to Janice Foskey Owens for her donations of several Georgetown memorabilia items.

Thanks to Jack & Pat Short for the donation of his mother's foot stool that was made by Cadillac Industries Inc. in Ellendale, Delaware in 1929.

Can you believe that?

"CLANG, CLANG, CLANG" WENT THE TROLLEY

We are happy to report that restoration of the trolley is progressing very well. Mickey has been working day and night, burning the midnight oil to meet the deadline for entry in the 2007 Christmas parade on December 6th at 7:00 P.M.. The "Cheerful Notes Glee Club" from Cheer will be riding on the trolley, and singing at the same time.

HORSE HEADS

Don't be alarmed, the heads are not going to stay white, they just have primer on them now. As soon as the weather permits they will be getting another coat.



CHRISTMAS TOUR & CRAFT SHOW

Don't forget, mark your calendars now, tour includes four houses, an attorney's office, and the blacksmith shoppe. Set for **Sunday, December 9th**, from 12 noon till 5:00 P.M.. Tour admission is \$10.00 per person, and tickets are now available at either Marvel Museum Gift Shop, 510 South Bedford Street, Georgetown, Chardon, Ltd. Jewelers on The Circle, or the Georgetown Town Hall at 39 The Circle. Questions?? Call 855-9660. Plan to visit the craft show the same day, crafters of hand-made items will be set up in the Barrel Barn and the Lynch Bldg., on the grounds of the museum starting at 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 P.M.. The copper/tinsmith, Mickey, will also have the Blacksmith shoppe open, and his wares will be for sale. **ADMISSION IS FREE AND THERE IS PLENTY OF PARKING!**

NEW BOOK

Just arrived, a new book written and compiled by Ann Lynch Dyer titled "Just Yesterday" sells for \$18.00, available at the gift shop, and also Browseabout Book Store in Rehoboth. The book is all about Sussex County.

CHRISTMAS DINNER

Our Christmas celebration will be held on **Monday, December 10th** starting at 6:30 P.M. with a full menu, catered at a cost of \$15.00 per person. Special guests that may include Santa himself will be present. So that we may have an accurate account of people attending please call 855-9660 at your earliest convenience.

We will also have the large basket available to collect donated items that are brought in. Some suggestions of needed items are:

- paper towels
- dish cloths
- dish towels
- sugar
- tea bags
- Brooms
- toilet tissue
- window cleaner
- light bulbs (25, 40, 60, 100 watt)
- Brite for floors
- Wet Mops
- Damp Rid refill
- Regular extension cords
- Small bulbs for window candles
- Sticky mouse & cricket traps

UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

December 3, 2007 Caroling on
The Circle at 7:00 P.M. also open house
at Delaware National Bank, DuPont Hwy.
Hopefully it will be the premier of the new,
reprinted, issue of the book, "**Crossroads
To County Seat,**" at Delaware National
Bank. (They are our sponsors of the book)

December 6, 2007 Georgetown
Chamber of Commerce "Sparkling
Christmas" Parade 7:00 P.M.

December 9, 2007 Georgetown
Historical Society Christmas Tour &
Craft Show (see flyer attached)

December 10, 2007 Georgetown
Historical Society Christmas Dinner
6:30 P.M. Lynch Building Dining Hall

December 14, 2007 Georgetown
Chamber of Commerce Christmas Party
at Marvel Museum

**RECIPE FROM "COOKING WITH GRACE"
(submitted by our member, Betty Walker)**

CREAMY FRUIT SALAD

1/3 c. orange juice	1 c. whipping cream, whipped
1/3 c. pineapple juice	(or 2 c. whipped topping)
1/4 c. sugar	6 medium red apples, diced
1 egg, beaten	6 medium firm bananas, sliced
1 Tbsp. plus 1/4 c. lemon juice,	3 c. halved green grapes
divided	1/4 c. chopped pecans

In a heavy saucepan, combine orange and pineapple juices, sugar, egg, and 1 tablespoon lemon juice. Bring to a boil, stirring constantly. Remove from heat. When cool, fold in whipped cream. In a large serving bowl, toss apples with remaining lemon juice. Add bananas and grapes. Add the dressing; stir to coat. Refrigerate. Add pecans just before serving. Yield: About 20 servings.

Betty Walker

Georgetown Historical Society

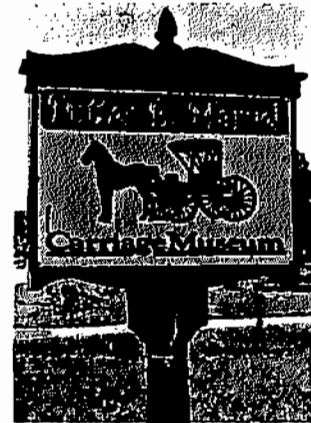
*Christmas House
Tour*

Our Annual fundraiser

Sunday December 9th, 12—5 pm
Tickets \$10 each

ON SALE NOW
at

Marvel Museum
Gift Shop,
Chardon LTD and Town Hall
On The Circle



Blacksmith-Tinsmith Shop
Will be open for your pleasure



10AM TO 5PM

CRAFT SHOW

Sunday December 9th
10am to 5pm
510 South Bedford Street
Nutter Marvel Museum Barrel Barn

Handmade Crafts by Local Artisans

Free parking & entry
Fresh baked goods will be for sale

Information call

GHS
855-9660