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NEXT BOARD MEETING

Next Board Meeting will be held on Monday, October 27th at 7:00 P.M. If you are unable to attend please call Rosalie at 855-9660.

WEBSITE

Please visit our Web site at www.marvelmuseum.com

NEXT MEETING

October 6, 2008 meeting will be our annual dinner meeting to welcome our new members. It will start at 6:30 P.M. on Monday, October 6, 2008. Please bring a covered dish, and there will be a \$5.00 per person charge at the door to cover the main entrée. Beverages and dessert will also be provided. New members will be getting an invitation to attend at no charge. You will need to call 855-9660 so we know how many to prepare for. Featured speaker for the evening is: Tammy Rust and Mr. Layton Johnson, and they will be speaking on "Strawberry Tickets".

RIFLE RAFFLE

Don't forget, we still have some raffle tickets left for the (#6 of twelve) commemorative rifle. We cannot give it away until all of the tickets have been sold. Tickets at \$10.00 each are still available, call 855-9660 now so you won't miss out on the opportunity to win, or try to sell some for us.

SYMPATHY	CRAFT SHOW
<p>Sympathy to the Robert Robinson family in the loss of his Brother, Tom, recently. Expressions of sympathy may be mailed to: Robert Robinson at 104 West Market Street, Georgetown, De 19947</p> <p>Sympathy to Carolyn Green in the loss of her Sister-in-Law, Expressions of sympathy can be mailed to her: 10 Elderberry, Cinderberry Village, Georgetown, De 19947</p> <p>Sympathy to Paul Walker Family in the loss of his Wife, Betty Walker, Expressions of sympathy can be mailed to them at: 22753 Sussex Pines Road, Georgetown, De 19947</p>	<p><i>Next craft show is scheduled for one day, set for Saturday, November 22nd, from 10 a.m. to 3 P.M. inside the Barrel Barn at the Marvel Museum. FREE ADMISSION & FOOD COURT Good time to do your Christmas shopping. WHY NOT? Call Hilda at 856-2760, or Ann at 856-6642 for more information.</i></p>
	New Members
	<p><i>Welcome to the following new members:</i> <i>Donald and Wanda Carmean from Millsboro.</i></p>
DONATIONS	ROOF DONATIONS
<p>Thanks to Robert and Bea Hylbert for their multiple monetary donations to the museum.</p> <p>Thanks to Jack & Pat Short for their many ongoing donations of different items to the museum.</p>	<p>Special thanks to those who have donated recently for the roof repairs. They are as follows:</p> <p>Herbert and Liz Gabel Tom Nelson (multiple donations)</p>
From the President	Future Speaker Schedule
<p>There are many improvements being made at the museum. The most visible you will see at this point is the Eagle Scout Fence Project located between the museum and the north pasture.</p> <p>Civil war weekend is October 4th and October 5th. We still have some open jobs that need to be filled. Please call Rosalie 302-855-9660 or Debbie Jones 302-855-9311.</p>	<i>See Next Page</i>

**CIVIL WAR
LIVING HISTORY
WEEKEND**

Set for October 4 & 5, 2008. It should be cooler than when we usually have it. (See schedule enclosed) Mark your calendars now!!!!

HELP NEEDED

There is always something that needs to be done at the Museum. Don't be bashful, we can find a job for everyone, large or small. Just call 855-9660 and tell us when you would be available. We really need help to come brush, dust, etc. before the Civil War weekend.

RETURN DAY NEWS

The Marvel Museum and the Georgetown Historical Society in conjunction with the Return Day Committee will be hosting the World Famous Clydesdales 8 team hitch and beer wagon along with their mascot the Dalmatian Dog. We are honored that they have chosen our facilities on their 75th Anniversary from Monday November 3rd through Friday, November 7th. A schedule will be forthcoming and available on our website.

GET WELL WISHES

We are still sending our get well, and thinking of you wishes to all of our members and friends at Harrison Senior Living at 110 North Street in Georgetown, De 19947. The list is as follows:

Edwin Pepper

Penny Paine

And to the shut-ins recovering at home---

Liz Gabel
13757 Wilson Hill RD
Georgetown, De 19947

Ellery Parker
20859 Wilkins Lane
Georgetown, De 1994

Hon. Ben Ewing
6935 Federalsburg Rd
Bridgeville, De 19933

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Oct 4th & 5th - Civil War Weekend
Oct 6th - Covered Dish Dinner 6:30
\$5.00 each \$zero for new members
Nov 6th Return Day-
Starting at 9:00 a.m. till dusk
(Dedication of newly remodeled Brick Hotel) YEA!
Nov 22nd Craft Show at Marvel Carriage Museum 10:00 am til 3:00 P.M.
Dec 1st. GHS Christmas Dinner 6:30 P.M.
Dec 8th Caroling on The Circle
Time ??

GEORGETOWN HISTORICAL SOCIETY SPEAKER SCHEDULE
2008-2009 SEASON

The schedule is as follows:

- October 6, 2008 Former Georgetown Mayor Layton Johnson and Tammy Rust will address the Society on "Strawberry Tickets". If you don't know what a Strawberry Ticket is, you will know after the meeting. If you do know what they are, come and see the two finest collections of Strawberry Tickets in Southern Delaware.
- November 3, 2008 On this Election Eve, local attorney Tim Willard will describe the Democratic Convention that was held in Colorado resulting in the nomination of Barack Obama and Joe Biden for the Democratic Ticket. Tim was a delegate to the convention and will give us a first hand view of how the convention operated, as well as reviewing a few historic facts about Delaware election conventions in the past.
- December 1, 2008 No speaker. The Society will be having its Christmas Party.
- January 5, 2009 Melinda Huff of the Milton Historical Society will give an "Armchair Tour of Milton". Her talk will be illustrated with color slides and will feature the many historical facets of the town.
- February 2, 2009 Interested or curious about low number motor vehicle tags that many Delawareans covet? Snookie Vent of Milton will reveal the pricing, and ownership of low number tags in the State. Snookie is a trader and buyer of low number tags and you can find more about his enterprise at www.lowtags.com.
- March 2, 2009 The submarine US Grunion disappeared during WWII in 1942 in the Pacific theater. Meryl Kretschmann of Laurel, whose father disappeared while serving on the Grunion tells about efforts to discover what happened to the missing craft.
- April 6, 2009 Membership Meeting—no speakers
- May 4, 2009 Located at 8 S. Front Street the "Smith House" also known as "Doctor Stephen Green House" is one of the oldest houses in Georgetown. It is in the process of being restored and will be kept in its same location. Ralph Prettyman, a historical consultant from Milford, will talk about the restoration of the home and report on the progress of future improvements. The house dates back to the early 1830's.

SATURDAY, October 04, 2008

9:00 am—Gates Open to Public, Civilian & Military
Demonstrations will begin and continue through out the day.

9:00 am—Artillery Demonstration

10:00 am—”Horace Greeley of the New York Tribune”
Presented by Cal Doucette

11:00 am— “Elizabeth Van Lew”
Female Civil War Spies & Smugglers
Presented by Sue Doucette

1pm to 3 pm—Carriage rides

1:00 pm— “General Stonewall Jackson”
Presented by Donald Willey

2:00— “Needlework” workshop
Presented by Polly Steenhagen

3:00— Skirmish

5:00— Camps close to public

**** Schedule may change without notice**

SUNDAY, October 05, 2008

9:00 am—Gates Open to public. Military & Civilian
demonstrations will begin and continue through out the day.

9:00 am—Infantry Drills & Demonstrations

10:00 am — “General Robert E. Lee”
Presented by Phil Carpenter

11:00 am — “Civil War Dance Instruction”
Presented by Jim & Sue Mohring
Music by Potomac Thunder

1pm to 3 pm - Carriage rides

1:00 — “Reform Dress, An Anti-Fashion Statement or
Liberation Movement”
Presented by Polly Steenhagen

2:00—Skirmish

4:00—Camps close to public

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