



T W I N S B U R G HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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April 2011

2011 Annual Meeting

We had another enjoyable Annual Meeting, with people even coming from out of town - Ester and Jerry Corbett from Wooster, Homer Stocker from Stow, and Marge Percy from Hudson! As always, the food was delicious and the conversation extensive. Several lucky people won the table decorations, which had been created by Giz Roddie. There were 15 baby pictures on display, and Bonnie Williams won a vase of fresh flowers by identifying all but two. She had some help with this when, realizing that we were all struggling, Gayle Davet supplied a list of names to be paired with pictures.

The officers who served over the past year were re-elected and we talked about plans for the coming year. Watch this Newsletter, check out our website <http://lwkweb.com/TwinsburgHistoricalSociety/> or call and leave a message to find out all that we will be doing.

Our next event will be a talk by Dan Simecek, retired chief of the Twinsburg Fire Department, on May 22 at 2PM.

New Book About Ruby Doan

A former Twinsburg resident, Nancy Shupe Liddell, has contacted the Historical Society because she is planning to write a book about Ruby Doan, a Twinsburg resident from 1901, when she was born, until 1976, when she moved to Florida to live with a niece. Should you have any remembrances of Ruby, or pictures, Nancy would very much appreciate hearing from you. Her email is lincolnlady@earthlink.net and her mailing address is 1067 E. Vartikian, Fresno CA 93710.

Mark Your Calendars:

No Open House in April

April 16, 2011

American Girl Tea-Party

May 22, 2011

History of the Twinsburg Fire Department
2:00 PM

Next Historical Society Meeting: May 4, 2011

Next Open house:

May 29, 2011 from 2-5PM

June 25,26

Rummage Sale

August 26, 2011

Music at the Barn

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Open House

Next Open House is May 29, 2011 from 2—5 PM. Charlotte Wike and Ed Ponter will host.

Twinsdays

The Trustees have voted to again be active during Twins Days week end. New Trustees, Marianne and Dante Pieramici, have volunteered to be in charge of creating a float. We will also have a booth at Chamberlin Park. Watch for opportunities to help out!!

Thank you!!!

The Trustees thank Joan Ponter for her skill and dedication in taking charge of the Newsletter for the past three years. She has decided that it's time to move on, though, and we welcome Bob Davet in her place. Should you have something that you think might be appropriate for the Newsletter, feel free to send it to Bob at davet102@roadrunner.com. If you have something to put in the news letter, remember that it get printed by the 2nd week of the month. If you want it in that months newsletter, please get it to Bob by the first 2 or 3 days of the month.

Dates to Remember:

Rummage sale - June 25th and 26th. - Donated items may be brought to Dan Simecek's talk on the 22nd or dropped off at May's open house, May 29th, 2-5:00. Or, call for pick up. We are not accepting clothing, yard chemicals, furniture, or large appliances.

Friday - August 26th - Music at the Barn, courtesy of the Gitterpickers. Details to be provided later.

The Nosey Book

Next month there will be interesting excerpts for the Nosey Book.

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History of the Twinsburg Fire Department Presented by Dan Simecek May 22, 2011, 2:00PM

Dan will be presenting a history of the Twinsburg Fire Department from its inception through to today. Over those years it has seen many, many changes. Starting out as a bucket Brigade to today's Fulltime Department. Dan is a wealth of knowledge on this subject.

TFD Quiz:

1. Who was the first Fire Chief of the Twinsburg Fire Department?
2. Where was the first Fire Station Located?
3. What year did TFD move to its current Station 1 location?
4. When did TFD Station #2 open for service?
5. Who is the only TFD member to lose his life in the line of duty for TFD?



TFD Original Patch



TFD Quiz Answers:

1. Clair Maxim
2. South side of Bowen's Garage (Rt 82 and 91)
3. 1979
4. 6/23/2007
5. Emil Maulis

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