



NEWSLETTER

Renfrew Museum & Park 1010 East Main Street Waynesboro PA 17268

August/September 1982

FAREWELL TO SUMMER!! Say your so-long to the last lovely summer days at the

3rd ANNUAL CUMBERLAND VALLEY CRAFTS GUILD CRAFTS SHOW AND SALE--September 4, 1982
10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is FREE

The first Saturday in September, the Cumberland Valley Crafts Guild will present their annual Arts and Crafts Market in the Renfrew Park. Parking and admission is FREE!! The Show will featured juried craftsmen selling and demonstrating a wide variety of crafts, including weaving, quilting, woodcarving, and such items as gems, toys, pottery, photographs, stained glass and many others. The Waynesboro Studio Club will also be showing and selling studio paintings and related artwork. The Jaycettes will be providing food and refreshments. The Guild was established in 1973, and is made up of local artisans concerned with promoting fine quality one-of-a-kind hand crafted art.



The Museum will be open extra hours from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

All Mrs. Rosemarie O'Rourke for further information about the show at 717-597-4337. Hope To See YOU There!!!

Current Museum Exhibit: An Exhibit of Early American Children's Books--July 1 to October 1, 1982 in the Renfrew Museum Gallery

Early American Children's Books are the focus of a new exhibit at The Renfrew Museum. Loaned from the collection of Michael Schnebly



of Greencastle, PA the display comprises a varied selection of nearly 100 books printed in the United States before 1840. Particular attention has been placed in choosing books for the exhibit from the presses of small provincial printers as well as those from larger cities to show the progress of children's book publishing from the Colonial period onward. An Annotated Checklist is FREE to all current "Friends of Renfrew." Please stop by the museum for your copy (one catalog per family). The Checklist is available for \$1.00 to the general public. A Special Feature of the Exhibit is a Group of Early American CHILDREN'S

SILHOUETTES from the Collection of Dr. & Mrs. W. L. Guyton of Waynesboro.

SPECIAL THANKS TO:

The Antietam Garden Club of Waynesboro deserves a warm THANK YOU for the beautiful flower arrangements they have provided for the museum this summer. The Garden Club members have donated time, talent, and materials to bring the lovely color outdoors, indoors for the benefit of our visitors. Thanks for your continued support! In addition the Club has kept up their active role in the park with the recent donation of 8 rose bushes for the Memorial Rose Garden.

A Waynesboro Clock Comes Home!!! A Jacob Wolfe tall case (or better known as a "Grandfather" Clock) clock made in Waynesboro has been donated by Margaret Amberson of Shrewsbury, Massachusetts and Barbara Amberson of Sacramento, California. The clock was brought back to Waynesboro from Massachusetts and has been presented in the Memory of their father, William Ruthraff Amberson. We hope to have the clock on exhibit in the very near future.

Mr. David Thomas, owner of the historic Fairfield Inn in Fairfield, PA has made a very generous donation to be used for our Christmas Candlelight Tour.

Mrs. Large of Waynesboro has donated several dozen Daffodil bulbs for the Park. I know we will all be thanking Mrs. Large again next Spring!!

The Green Arbor Flower & Shrubbery Center in Waynesboro has donated several dozen geraniums and petunias for the Park. Sorry, we are so late in acknowledging this gift.

The Boy Scouts have been active in the Park this summer. Their Annual Boy Scout Day Camp in July was great fun with about 40 scouts present each day.

There are several Eagle Scout Projects currently underway in the Park:

John Maxwell is busy labeling about 200 trees along the Nature Trails

Daniel Herr is building two (much needed) footbridges across the Edmajoda and Old Mill Trails

Michael Lynerd is working on relocating part of the Salty Grimes Trail which has eroded and fallen into the creek.

Renfrew has become involved in the PENNSYLVANIA GREEN THUMB PROGRAM which provides part-time work for retired older Americans. Mr. John Riley has been working at Renfrew this summer helping Ed Miller, Park Superintendent with the many outdoor projects in the Park. We would like to thank the Green Thumb Program for providing Mr. Riley, who has worked long and hard at Renfrew this summer. He has provided an invaluable service to us.

FRIENDS OF RENFREW MEMBERSHIP NEWS

New Members for July and August--Welcome!!!

Mrs. Naomi R. Byers
Fran Mueller

Waynesboro
Blue Ridge Summit, PA

Renewals of Membership for July and August

Member Since:

Corinne W. Altland
Dr. & Mrs. Paul Ambrose
Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Barnhart

Waynesboro
Chambersburg, PA
Waynesboro

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1979

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Beck	Waynesboro	1981
Dr. & Mrs. J. O. Berkheimer	Waynesboro	1978
Mr. & Mrs. Vinson Bitner	Greencastle, PA	1980
Mr. & Mrs. Milton Buchanan	Waynesboro	1981
Mrs. Lillian Di Giammarino	Waynesboro	1978
Mr. & Mrs. Philippe Doucet	Chambersburg, PA	1981
Mrs. Vera Gabler	Chambersburg, PA	1980
Mrs. Rachel Good	Waynesboro	1978
Dr. & Mrs. W. L. Guyton	Waynesboro	1978
Louise Harrison	Hagerstown, MD	1981
Miss Barbara Heimbaugh	Waynesboro	1981
Mrs. Susan Henicle	Waynesboro	1981
Mrs. Helen Hoffman	Waynesboro	1978
Mr. & Mrs. Robert LeBleu	Waynesboro	1980
Mr. & Mrs. James Mattern	Waynesboro	1978
Mrs. Frederick Menz	Blue Ridge Summit, PA	1981
Miss Gladys Mikesell	Waynesboro	1978
Mrs. Anne Mitchell	Waynesboro	1979
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Myers	Waynesboro	1978
Marti L. Plazak	Hagerstown, MD	1981
Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Rohrbaugh	Waynesboro	1981
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Rowe	Waynesboro	1978
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Mr. & Mrs. D. Roy Stoner	Waynesboro	1978
Mr. & Mrs. Larry W. Stoops	Waynesboro	1981
Revs Carl & Kris Peterson-Synan	Fairfield, PA	1981
Mr. David Thomas	Fairfield, PA	1980
Jeannine M. Walls	Greencastle, PA	1981
Dr. B. L. Zentmyer	Waynesboro	1978
Mrs. Eva M. Zody	Waynesboro	1978

Thanks for Your Support!!!!

Farewell from the Associate Curator

This is my last Newsletter for the Friends of Renfrew. I have enjoyed serving as your "Editor" during the last 3 years and serving YOU as the Associate Curator at Renfrew. I will be moving to California the second week in September. Thank you all for your friendship and kindness and for your support of Renfrew (and Me!).

I will miss Waynesboro and Renfrew

Sincerely,

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Letitia D. Allen

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