Cherryfield - Narraguagus Historical Society

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Historic Tour #3! Saturday, July 11, 2009 - Starts at 1:00 p.m.

We have a combination of new and prior listings for you to tour this year.

Historical Society Museum - buy your tour tickets here and tour the museum - starting at 12:30 p.m.

Congregational Church - Margaret Small will be doing three performances on the pump organ (1:15, 2:15 & 3:15)

St. Michael's Catholic Church - a wonderful new addition

Ricker Blacksmith Shop - ongoing demonstrations by George Brace - you'll want to spend a little extra time here!

General Alexander Campbell House - always a tour favorite - guides will take you through in small groups

Campbell/Burbank House - Royal Montana will provide a very entertaining tour

Fred S. Nickels House - Tour provided by Sheila DuGay

Freeman/Wakefield House - Alice Jones will be your guide

Cherryfield Free Public Library - tour the recently built addition.

E-mail addresses:

Please note on the order form that there is now a place for your e-mail address. Future newsletters may be sent that way - you may then print them, if you wish. You would also be able to forward them to others whom you think might be interested.

You can reach us by e-mail at the following address:
info@CherryfieldHistorical.com

Cherryfield Free Public Library:

The new addition is now complete and awaiting equipment and furniture. The yard will soon be hot topped and the new entrance is wheelchair accessible.

Many thanks go to Sawyer Builders, of Steuben, and their sub-contactors for jobs extremely well done and to Herb Sawyer, especially for the new circulation desk, the worktable space and the donated hutch.

The new addition will be named in honor of John Philip Harriman and Helen Harriman Holland, his sister. Helen had provided a $20,000 endowment fund some years ago (income to be used for operating expenses) and Phil provided a donation of $50,000 which enabled us to complete the project must sooner than anticipated.

Cherryfield Alumni Banquet:

The 98th annual meeting will be on **Saturday, July 11, 2009**. The afternoon social will be at the Academy Building from 1:00 - 3:00 pm. The banquet and business meeting will be at the American Legion Hall starting at 5:00 p.m.

Honored classes will be 1949 (60 years), 1959 (50 years) and 2009.

This date is a departure from the usual third Saturday in June because of a scheduling conflict at the Legion Hall. We are assured that the 2010 date will return to the usual schedule.

Cherryfield Celebration:

The celebration will not be combined with Milbridge Days and will be held in mid-September (18th - 20th) this year.

Historical Society Website:

If you haven't yet visited us, we encourage you to do so at the following: www.cherryfieldhistorical.com

We believe you will be pleasantly surprised at all you find there. The members only section can presently be accessed by using: user = cnhs/ password = blueberry. This password will be changed shortly and only provided to those whose dues are paid up and who have provided us with their e-mail addresses.

Historical Society Intern:

The EdGE program is providing a summer intern who be cataloging written materials and other archival items. He will be working at the Library where our genealogical records will be available to the public as soon as they are moved from the present location at the museum.

Members Lost:

We have been saddened this past year by the loss of two members who had a considerable impact on our group.

John Brace was a long-time member who gave generously of his time, his knowledge and his home (for meetings and tours). He was a Director for many years (and has been replaced by his daughter, Ann).

Ron Upton was our especially excellent grounds maintenance person, who took great pride in making our property look its best.

Name:_____ Address:_____

E-mail address: _____

_____ Dues ($5.00 per person/per year) Life Membership ($100.00) _____

_____ **New Museum Fund Donation**

_____ **Cannon Fund Donation**

_____ **2009 Tour $20 per person**

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