



EAGLE

Historical Society

217 West Main Street P. O. Box 54
Eagle, Wisconsin 53119

November 16, 1994

Dear Fellow Members,

Our annual meeting took place November 12th in the new Municipal Building at 820 E. Main Street. Election of officers for 1995 was held and the results are as follows: Elaine Raduechel, pres., Diane Thuemling, vice-pres., Charlene Ritchey, secretary, and Mabel Finney, board member. Others serving current terms on the board are Irma Jolliffe, Jerry Baker and Pat Wilton, treasurer.

Year in Review

While the society did not have any programs scheduled for this year, we have been quite busy.

Our first project for 1994 was the Third Annual History Writing Contest for the Eagle Elementary School fourth graders. The entries were few as Mrs. Gnatzig gave the students the choice to participate or not. Danny Walsh won first prize with his report "Alice Baker"; Kevin Sorensen, second, with "Paradise Springs" and Melissa Sampson, third, with "Eagle's Oldest House". The E. H. S. panel at E. E. S. consisted of Fred and Carol Lake, Irma Jolliffe and Harvey Wambold. Many thanks to them for sharing their memories of Eagle and for their time and consideration.

Second, was our float for the Kettle Moraine Days' Parade in June. It depicted the 1921 dedication of the bandstand that used to be in what is now Gerald von Rueden Park. THANKS many times over, go to Ed Mueller for constructing the replica of the bandstand, for the use of his wagon and for driving the tractor in the parade. Member Irma Jolliffe along with our contest winners rode on the float for which we received a second place plaque in the Civic category.

In August, Danny, Kevin and Melissa gave their reports before our meeting and Pat Wilton presented them with their checks and other prizes.

On September 9th and 10th, the society undertook a new fundraiser--- a White Elephant/Bake Sale. Due to all of you that donated items, money and time, it was a great success and \$730.31 was raised. Also we are grateful to the many non-members that so generously donated items.

These funds are especially needed now as your society will be leasing the Partridge-Zipprich House (former library) soon. We will be moving the collection, display cases, shelves and chairs, etc. in in the near future.

That brings us to our current fundraiser, the Christmas Tour of Homes and Raffle, Saturday, December 10th. (See enclosed sheet.) If you have not signed up to work in a home or the Municipal Building, please contact Diane or me. Thanks.

We are asking each member to donate one item for our raffle along with 2 dozen Christmas cookies. As usual the raffle item can be just about anything--a collectible, craft item or certificate, etc. If you do not have such an item, you may purchase one or a monetary donation to the society would be appreciated. We are also soliciting donated items from various sources outside of our membership. If you know of a person/business that would donate something, please get it or call Diane or me to arrange for delivery or pickup. If they have a business card, etc. get several to display beside item they donated.

I must know who donated what---name, address and telephone number as soon as possible so I can get a thank you and a certificate ready. When we have the donated item I will mail or hand deliver the thank you. This procedure applies to members' donations as well.

We really appreciate all the work, support, new memberships, renewals and contributions of all sorts that come from each and every one of you. Preservation of the Eagle area history, artifacts and photos and sharing them is what we are all about.

We are indeed fortunate to be getting a home for our collection that has been accumulated over the five years of our existence as an organization. We owe a great deal of thanks and appreciation to the Alice Baker Memorial Public Library Board for their support in this.

It would be great if members could take 4, 6 or more tour tickets and sell them in advance. Maybe you would be attending some event or gathering of some sort and could take the tickets with you----? Just give me a call and arrange to pick some up. All money and unsold tickets are to be turned in Friday, December 9th at the Municipal Building during set-up.

I would like to thank Irma Jolliffe for all that she does for the society. This lady knows EVERYBODY and could sell a person something---even if they did not want it!! THANKS IRMA!

I would also like to say thanks to those members that do so much, come to the meetings and give of their time and talents. This goes double to the officers that serve and keep your society going and growing. Last, but not least the persons that may not be able to attend meetings, work at functions, or help on clean up, but support us with monetary and artifacts donations or in whatever way they can should know they are also appreciated----it takes all of us to do the job!

I hope to see or hear from all of you soon.

Thanks for your continuing support and/or participation in the society.

Sincerely,

Elaine Raduechel

Elaine Raduechel,
president

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Diane Thuemling, Tour Chairperson
(414) 594-3382

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EAGLE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

1994 Christmas Tour of Homes
Saturday, December 10th
Inclement weather date December 17th
(Would be announced on radio WTMJ 620)



DECORATE TREE & SET-UP: Friday, December 9th - 6:00 p.m.
FINISH SET-UP: Saturday, December 10th - 9:00 a.m.

TIME OF TOUR: 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Municipal Building open at 12:00 Noon

ADVANCE TICKETS AVAILABLE AT: Day of tour - \$5.00 Advance - \$4.00
Krestan's Food Store - Eagle
Eagle Video & Pizza - Eagle
Jim & Judy's Food Market - Palmyra
McAdam's Pick 'n Save - Mukwonago

Day of tour, tickets will be available only at
Municipal Building, or at the homes.

RAFFLE: Tickets are 3/\$1.00. Items are on display in
Municipal Building during tour. Drawing will
be held at 4:30 p.m. day of tour at Municipal Bldg.

HOMES: Salvador & Kathleen Milella
639 E. Main Street



Terry & Roxanne Walsh
108 Waukesha Road

Galen & Susan Harris
501 Clover Lane

Guenther & Lisa Busche
Troy Terrace, N9685 Nature Road, Lot 57

Tom & Rose Welch
713 Golden Nugget Circle

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Membership year Jan. 1 to Dec. 31

Dues are payable on or before January 14, 1995 (First meeting date of year.)

☐ Individual - \$10.00

☐ Family - \$15.00

☐ Senior Citizen (65 & over) - \$8.00 ☐ Renewal ☐ New

Please Note - We need to have your address exactly as the p.o. requires it.

Name/s _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

Meetings are second Saturday of each month, unless noted otherwise. Please
make checks payable to: Eagle Historical Society. Our address is: P. O.
Box 54, Eagle, Wisconsin 53119. Thank you.