



Auglaize County

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Newsletter

of the

Auglaize County Historical Society

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Coming Events!



The Daniel Mooney Museum
223 S. Main Street
St. Marys, Ohio

Sunday, July 17, 2005, 10 A.M. – 3 P.M. Prehistoric Artifact Show at Shinbone by Jon Anspauch, Host- Blue Jacket Chapter Bellefontaine, of the Ohio Archeological Society.

August 1 to 6 Auglaize County Fair. County History Week. Look for more information in this newsletter.



The Gary Log House
Auglaize County Fairgrounds
Wapakoneta, Ohio

Saturday, August 13, 2005, 1 P.M. at Shinbone. Round Table Reunion for relatives and interested people in the 37th OVI Company C. Bring and share your Civil War Artifacts

Thursday, September 1, 2005 Our Annual Meeting – Jim Bowsher Speaks, on the Underground Railroad More information in our next newsletter on time and location.

Thursday, September 15, 2005 The Freedom Center Tour. More information in this newsletter.



The Wapakoneta
Local History Museum
206 W. Main Street
Wapakoneta, Ohio

Saturday, October 22, 2005, West Central Ohio Genealogical Workshop, 8 A.M. to 3 P.M. at the St. Marys Theatre with Dr. George K. Schweitzer from Knoxville, TN presenting three lectures. Pre-registration \$30.00, due by October 15. For more information Call William Huber Office, 419-394-7279.

Saturday, November 5, 2005, Dudley Nichols program at Rhythm & Brews – Route 33 Night Club. More information in our next newsletter.

Thursday, November 10, 2005, 7 P.M. - Show & Tell Membership meeting. Bring in old items and see if other members can identify them. Look for location in our next newsletter.



Shinbone Church
State Route 219 - East N. Knoxville

Tour With The Auglaize County Historical Society To The National Underground Railroad Freedom Center.



JOIN US on this deluxe motor coach trip to Cincinnati and The Freedom Center on September 15, 2005. The trip includes bus transportation, noon luncheon buffet on the B & B Riverboat while cruising on the Ohio River and admission to the Freedom Center and all tips and taxes.

Cost \$75.00 to Auglaize County Historical Society Members before July 15th. Admission for Nonmembers and members after July 15th is \$80.00.

Departure: 9 A.M. September 15, from the old Big Bear Plus parking lot off Bellefontaine Street in Wapakoneta, Ohio.

Reservation for (Name) _____

Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

Return Reservation Form To Auglaize County Historical Society, 223 South Main Street, St. Marys, Ohio 45885 Attn: Bus Trip Co-ordinator. Make Check payable to ACHS Bus Tour. Payment can be made in two payments. Half down and balance by August 15th.

Visit Auglaize Co. Fair August 1 - 6.

The Auglaize County Historical Societies

Will Have County History Week

With Demonstrations and Exhibits at the

1850 Gary Log Cabin from 12 noon, to Dusk

The Gary Log House is located at the northwest corner of the Fairgrounds

Monday, August 1: The NEW KNOXVILLE HISTORICAL SOCIETY will be hosting with stories, pictures and exhibits about "Clearing the Land".

Tuesday, August 2: The CRIDERSVILLE HISTORICAL SOCIETY will be relating to events pertaining to the early history of Cridersville and the fire that destroyed so much of the business district.

Wednesday, August 3 : The NEW BREMEN HISTORICAL SOCIETY will be showing and telling visitors all about Lock I and the New Bremen Speedway.

Thursday, August 4 : The AUGLAIZE COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY will be displaying photos and telling the stories of St. Marys, Wapakoneta, Waynesfield, Geyer, Gutman, St. Johns, Buckland. **Bring your photos, old postcards and your stories to share.**

Friday, August 5 : The MINSTER HISTORICAL SOCIETY will be hosting the day with pictures, displays and stories pertinent to that area of the county.

Saturday, August 6 : The UNIOPOLIS HISTORICAL SOCIETY will be telling the history of their area of the county.