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Thanks and Recognition

Member Renewals / New Members

Thanks to our existing and new members for their annual memberships:

- Jack & Heidi Cnausitzer
- Family
- Rosemarie Oldford
- Joyce Powers

Business / Professional Members

The support of our professional members is deeply appreciated. We encourage you to support these local businesses:

- Acorn Deck Accessories Inc.
- Advance Craft Home Builders
- Archer-Huntley Financial Services
- Bagger Dave’s Restaurant
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- Dr. Bonine Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery
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- Michigan Commerce Bank
- Patrick Financial Group
- Promex
- Refrigeration Research
- The Engravers Journal
- Yum Yum Tree

Welcome new members

**Special thanks to these Life Members**

Livingston Centre Historical Village in Fowlerville

If you are interested in visiting some real history in person, consider a visit to the Livingston Centre Historical Village at the Fowlerville Fairgrounds.

The LCHV consists of eight historical buildings from Livingston County. Each of the buildings was moved to the site and restored over time since its inception and development by the Fowlerville Agricultural Society since 1989.

The buildings include the 1882 Coughan Schoolhouse from Conway Township, 1910 Hartland Barber Shop, the 1850s Iosco Methodist Episcopal Church, 1870 Clinton Shoe Repair & Harness shop from the Village of Pinckney, the 1885 Kirkland House from Iosco Township, the 1880s Fowlerville Village Farm and the 1872 St. Marie Marquette Depot from Howell.

An excellent time to visit the LCHV is during the upcoming Fowlerville Family Fair, which runs July 25-30, 2011. Founded in 1886, this year marks the 125th anniversary of the fair. The fair includes 4-H events and exhibits, a carnival, harness racing, truck and tractor pulls, a demolition derby, and several music acts among other attractions.

The Fowlerville Fairgrounds are located in the Village of Fowlerville, which coincidentally is celebrating its 175th anniversary this year. Festivities related to their history were celebrated over the fourth of July weekend.

Date to Remember

| Jul 3 6, 10, 13, 17, 20, 24, 27, 31: 5pm-8pm | BAHS hosts at CoBACH Center |
| Jul 7, 14, 21, 28: 9am-12pm | Archiving/Open House at Lyon School |
| Jul 17: 1-4 pm | Lyon One-Room School Open House |
| Jul 27: 6 pm | BAHS Board Meeting at CoBACH Center |

BAHS Merchandise

We have many great items for sale that help us generate much needed funds to carry on our mission.

These include home décor items (pewter items, figures, pillows, decorative ceramic tiles, etc.), postcards, craft items, and the like.

To see our full gift shop offering, please contact us, visit CoBACH Center or the Lyon School, or see on our web site.

Support BAHS: Become a Member or Donate

The BAHS relies on participation of its members and generosity of its patrons. If you would like to make a donation or become member, please visit our website at www.brightonareahistorical.com or mail in the following form below.

Mail check or money order payable to: Brighton Area Historical Society
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Brighton, MI 48116-0481

Name: ____________________________ Phone: ( ) ______
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Membership Plan:

- [ ] New  [ ] Business  [ ] $500 Life  [ ] $15 Individual  [ ] $10  [ ] $100
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- [ ] $25 Family  [ ] $50 Other  [ ] $50 Other

The Brighton Area Historical Society is a 501(c)(3) Non-Profit Organization. All donations are tax-deductible.

From Settlement to City

Brighton, Michigan 1832 - 1945 by Carol McMacken
450+ pages; Over 300 pictures
$65.00

Description: This large volume hardcover book contains a beautifully detailed history of Brighton from its earliest days of wilderness settlement through to the growing community of the mid-1940s.

The book also contains over 300 pictures and illustrations and is must for any book collector on Michigan and its rich history.

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For more information about Fowlerville’s earlier days so as to preserve them for generations to come.

For more information about the Fowlerville Village Fair and the Livingston Centre Historical Village, please visit:

- www.fowlervillenativefamilyfair.com
- www.fowlervillehistory.org
- www.fowlerville-bahsprr.com

The article by Dave Ball, Trail Tales Editor.

This Month in the Civil War: July 1861
July 21: The First Battle of Bull Run, aka the First Battle of Manassas. The day began well for the Union, but ended in a rout by the Confederates. This was to be a period of shadowed tough times for the Union in the coming two years.

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Lyon School
11455 Bono Road, west of Pleasant Valley Road. The 1885 Lyon School is fully restored, barrier-free one-room schoolhouse and serves as our organization headquarters.

CoBACH Center
202 W. Main Street, in downtown Brighton next to the Millpond. CoBACH is formally known as the City of Brighton, Arts, Culture and History Center. It is located in the historic 1879 two-story brick building also known as the Old Town Hall.

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