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Board Meeting, August 12, 1993 - Treasurer's Report

**July 1, 1993**

**Beginning Balance** $12679.81

**Receipts**

General Fund

- Donations for programs/museum newsletter $355.00
- Historical Preservation & Restoration Fund $195.00
- Sales of T-shirts $70.00
- Signature Quilt (Sue Miller) $20.00
- Lyons School
  - Baker Fund $150.00
- Interest
  - Savings (5-26-93) $1.77
  - Checking (5-26-93) $88.74
- Total: $13214.55

**Disbursements**

General Fund

- Amer. Red Cross, W. Mich. $7.50
- Old Town Hall Arch. $88.84
- Newsletter printing (5-26-93) $58.00
- Historical Preservation Restoration Fund $100.00
- Nature Center - Canopy Lyons School $20.00
- Bell Tower $15.00
- Total: $321.57

**July 31, 1993**

Savings Account: $1185.94
- Checking: $389.85
- P.O. Box: $300.00

**Brighton Area Historical Society Membership Form**

**Name**

**Address**

**New ( ) Renewal ( )**

**Activities in which I would like to participate:**

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Brighton Fire Department, Jennie Fredenberg, Audrey Leith, and others yet to be named, for support and planning for the Spaghetti supper September 17.

Brighton Township Board for the waiver of the plumbing permit fee for the Lyons School.

Pauline Chenoweth for a copy of the Brighton Township Board minutes transferring ownership of the Pleasant Valley Burrying Grounds from the Association to the Township.

Ted & Doris Carmack and Harold & Mary Ann Leitz for their donations to the Lyons School Historic Site marker fund.

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From 4:30-7:00 you get salad, garlic bread, dessert and beverage with your spaghetti.

Where? At the Brighton Fire Hall, 615 E. Grand River.

Many thanks for the support of Fire Chief, Richard Shimski and the entire department.

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This year's meeting will feature a variety of topics related to Western Michigan, Lake Michigan and the state in general. M. Kox, Kian, the cartology, logging, restoration and interpretation of photos, water crafts and wrecks, baseball and Beaver Island will be some of the sessions available. Register by Sept. 24. Call M. Bair, 229-6402 or 313/769-1828 for info.

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Historical Preservation & Restoration Fund
Resources Dept. 150.00

Sale of Tiles 150.00

Signature Quilt (Paul Miller) 150.00 (185.00)

Lyons School 150.00

Member Fund 150.00

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Checking 39.24
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