



A community picnic from history, ca. 1912

Museum Community Pioneer Picnic set for September 14

Members and guests are invited to the NLCHM annual community pioneer picnic. Bring your favorite hot dish, salad, or dessert and a place setting. The picnic is a great event for people from all over the state to come together to share memories of North Lincoln County. There will a silent auction and the famous cakewalk. This year we will also be introducing a Memory Station where volunteer Lewis Smith will record your memories of North Lincoln County's past.

Valsetz topic of festival

The Bijou Theater and Oregon Made Film Festival will feature a presentation about the town of Valsetz, Oregon and the documentary made to tell its story. It will be held at the museum Saturday, Oct. 26 at 2 p.m. See the museum website and www.cinemalovers.com for more information.

The picnic will be held at 11:30 a.m., Saturday, Sept. 14 at Wapiti Park; follow Drift Creek Road east.

"A Tour to Die For" returns this fall

"A Tour to Die For" will return this fall for its fourth year. The collaborative event brings the Pioneer Cemetery to life as Theater West actors portray six north Lincoln County historical figures. These "permanent residents" will give their accounts of what it was like to live on the rugged Oregon Coast.

Guests will go on a night-time, lantern-lit, walking tour of the cemetery where they will meet three men and three women at their graves: a rugged mountain man who held correspondence with senators and presidents, including Harry Truman; George and Nanie Parmele, who moved to this area in 1897 and built the second

post office, first school, and early mill that provided lumber for incoming settlers; Sissie Johnson, a Native American woman who owned the land now known as Taft, who will explain what she taught settlers to thrive on the Oregon Coast.

Shows will be held the last week of September and first week of October. Head to www.tourtodiefor.com for dates and to purchase tickets.

Cost of the tour is \$25. In the case of inclement weather, the program will take place at the museum.



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Learn about World War II on the Oregon Coast

Joann Kangiser Schneider, who was a teenager during WWII, and North Lincoln County Historical Museum President Mick McLean will give a presentation about WWII on the Oregon Coast. There will be a slide-show, and they will lead discussions

and encourage stories about "dim outs," rationing cards, coast patrols, and more about North Lincoln County during World War II.

Joann (Taft High School '47) will share her personal experiences and those of her four brothers and future husband "Red" Schneider, who all joined the war effort. Mick will describe how two regions a sea apart prepared

for invasion; Lincolnshire England after the fall of Dunkirk and Lincoln County, Oregon, after Pearl Harbor.

"Both counties felt the threat of invasion was real," Mick explained.

This program will take place during Celebration of Honor Week at 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 21 at North Lincoln County Historical Museum.

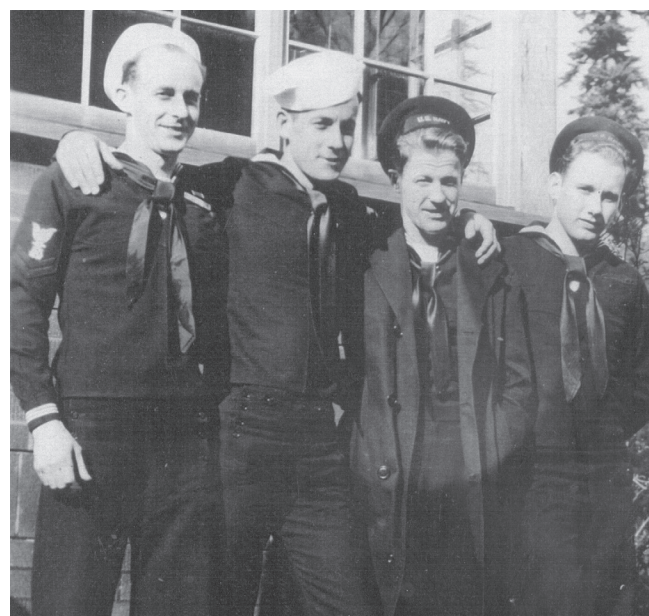


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Joann Kangiser Schneider's four brothers who served in WWII (left to right): Lawrence, Gilbert, Joe, and Marion.

FALL-WINTER HOURS FOR MUSEUM

Museum hours change to 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Saturday starting Sunday, Sept. 1. (The museum will not be open the Sunday of Labor Day weekend.)



Last year's craft fair (photo above) was a big hit.

Museum’s second craft bazaar offers hand-made gifts for holidays

The second Holiday Craft Bazaar is set at the museum. This local craft bazaar will feature many different vendors with a wide variety of handmade items including ornaments, bath products, cloth purses, hats, scarves, jewelry, alcohol inked tiles,

rag dolls, name magnets, gift bags, original art, fudge, and many others. Support local art and the museum and stock up with some wonderful handmade gifts for the upcoming holidays.

Visit the bazaar Nov. 14, 15, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Storyteller offers “Ghosts at the Museum”

A spooky time comes to the museum when master storyteller Doug Force offers “Ghosts at the Museum.” Doug will present stories and tales scary enough to make the hairs stand up on your neck.

Doug has decades of teaching, educational, and storytelling experience and

makes the stories come alive! Get ready for trick or treating and cozy up in our Mildred and Marie Children’s Room for this Story Time at the Museum!

”Ghosts at the Museum” will take place at the museum on Halloween, Thursday, Oct. 31, at 2 p.m.



Doug Force sharpens his skills for “Ghosts at the Museum”

New and renewing members

INDIVIDUAL

Eric Bangs
Mina Koski Bacigalupi
Anne Hall
Carol Hall
Donna Morris
Cindy Weitzel
Diane Disse
Sandra Brenzel
Leslie Portune

FAMILY

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Richard & Leslie Gartrell
Russell & Melissa Smith
Bob Portwood
Bob & Lori Hollingsworth
Neil & Lucy Saling
Otis & Dorothy Winchester
Robert & Nancy Cross

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Holiday Art at the Museum open to kids of all ages

Kids of all ages will enjoy painting and drawing historical and cultural artifacts and photos at this winter’s Holiday Art at the Museum. There also will be a holiday-themed craft station. The program and all art supplies are free, thanks to the Mildred and Marie Children’s fund. The Holiday Art at the Museum will be held Saturday, Dec. 14, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Research library undergoes update

The Hendrickson-Link Research Library in the museum has undergone a revamp made possible by grant funds from the Oregon Heritage Commission and the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department, and much volunteer power. New equipment includes a vertical file for newspaper clippings, a shelving unit for archive

supplies, a scanner for digitizing archives, a printer, and more.

The library has many photographs, maps, obituaries, newspaper clippings, microfilm, books and more in the collection for North Lincoln County (from Depoe Bay to Cascade Head). Call 541-996-6614 to reserve a time.



Museum painted; signs restored

Thank you to all of the wonderful supporters of NLCHM. Because of you, we raised the funds to hire Quality Painting Service to paint the museum exterior and restore signage.

The museum building was constructed as Taft’s Fire Station in 1941. Later it became Lincoln City’s first City Hall when the town incorporated in 1965. The museum acquired the building from the city

in 1994 and made major renovations in 2004. Thanks to the community’s support, this building will continue to preserve and protect North Lincoln County history!

Paint-Protect-Preserve Donors (May 15-Aug. 15)

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Quality Painting Service staff installing newly restored museum signage.