

# Crosby Township Historical Society Newsletter

JANUARY - MARCH 2020

## 2019 Highlights



### Programs

**2020**

**March**

Show 'n tell

**April**

Martha Washington

**May**

Crosley

**June**

To be announced

**July**

National Parks

**August**

To be announced

**September**

Annual Picnic

**October**

To be announced

**November**

Native Americans

Part 2

**December**

Christmas Party



**Lease Signing**



**Memorial Day**



**2019 Trustees**



**Strickers Grove**



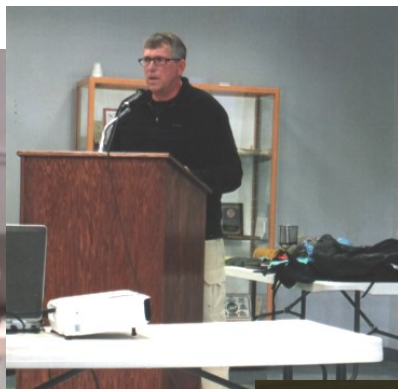
**Trick or Treat**



**New B Bicentennial**



*Speakers and Entertainment*



*Another Good Year!*

## Shirlee, Thank You For Your Service

After the Society was established in 1996, Bill and Shirlee Morgan were approached to assist with the dismantling and rebuilding of a log cabin that was donated to the society. With Bill's interest in history and log cabins, they heartily agreed to help save the cabin for the benefit of future generations. They joined the Society in 1997 and worked on relocating the cabin on township property off of Baughman Road in 1998. In 2009 the present secretary was in poor health, so Shirlee agreed to take the job until they could find someone else. Bill became President in 2010 and Shirlee's short term as secretary lasted ten years. For many years Shirlee has also been an integral part of the program committee, arranging for the Society to have interesting monthly speakers from other area historical societies, organizations, and local people. Now she has decided it is time for her to step down.

Shirlee stated that they have made wonderful friends while working to save the history of our township, working on the preservation of the log cabin and old town hall, participating in promoting the society, guiding others in their research of family history, and seeing that the Society continues to grow and function well. Both would like to express their appreciation for the new, young members who have joined to carry on the work of keeping our history alive. The Society would like to extend our gratitude for Shirlee and Bill's dedication to our mission.



### Crosby Township History Book Reprint

The photo restoration of the Memorial Edition of Stanley McClure's *History of Crosby Township* continues to make headway. The process is to scan original photos and download them into the master file. They will then be returned to the owner unharmed. We would like to thank Sara Waugh, Dale Bachman, and the Harrison Village Historical Society for allowing us to use the photos they had that were used in the book. Forty-six photos are left to be found. Most of them are early school and baseball team photos. If you have any copies of these photos or know of anyone else who has some, please contact Melba Guard, 367-2186.

#### Remembering Ones We Have Lost

Russell Campbell June 16, 2018

Sue Corson September 6, 2019

Noah Hacker September 8, 2019

Don Roessler February 23, 2019

Robert Brewsaugh January 6, 2020

#### ~ Sales Corner ~

**Crosby Township Bicentennial History**  
\$15 plus shipping

**Stanley McClure's Crosby Township  
Cemetery Transcriptions Collection**

\$5 plus shipping

**Back Issues of the Newsletter** 50 cents

**Passmore Log Cabin Reconstruction CD**  
\$5 plus shipping

## **Officers:**

President.....Melba Guard.....367-2186  
Vice President.... Tony Torres.....581-9337  
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CTHS Board meetings are held on the second Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. Regular meetings are held on the third Thursday at **7:00** p.m., March through December in the Crosby Township Senior Center, 8910 Willey Road. Meetings are open to the public.

**Our Purpose**...to encourage the preservation of historic structures and sites; identify, collect, and preserve literary, graphic and artefactual materials significant to prehistoric and historic cultures, schools, churches, businesses, and families of Crosby Township; to increase community awareness and appreciation of this heritage through documentation, educational programs and other public events; and to assist persons interested in this history by making our collected cultural resources available for study.

## **2019 Membership Dues**

Single \$10.00

Family (3 or more in same house) \$15.00

Life Member \$100.00

Please mail dues to: Chuck Heis, Crosby Township Historical Society, Inc., 8910 Willey Road, Harrison, Ohio 45030

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