

103 East Main P. O. Box 313 Greentown, IN 46936 765-628-3800 ANNUAL DINNER November 1 at 6:30 pm Community Building at Fairgrounds

Craig Trott

#### **RUMMAGE SALE**

Friday, September 14 & Saturday, September 15

8 am - 4 pm

**Howell Motors** 

# **GREENTOWN HISTORICAL SOCIETY**









#### ANNUAL DINNER MEETING

The annual dinner meeting for GHS is scheduled for Thursday, November 1 at 6:30 pm at the Community Building at the Fairgrounds. Our guest speaker is Craig Trott, who will present photography of historic Greentown. New board members will be voted in and the Volunteer of the Year Award will be presented. Catering will be provided by Main Occasions in Greentown. Postcards will be mailed soon with more details.

#### FAIR PARKING

Greentown Historical Society raised \$800 parking cars during the 2018 Howard County 4H Fair. This was my seventh year of chairing this project, and we could not have achieved this result without the help of our volunteers and the owners of.New Holland and Kokomo Grain. Our mission to be the primary resource for Eastern Howard County History is enabled by their services.

Our volunteers handle money and direct parking at two different lots. A special thanks to Francis Hannah, Lisa Stout, Angie and Harry Sparks, Bruce and Paula Shrock, Brendan White, Tom Sheridan, Carole Petro, Pam Sheridan and Connie Voorhis for giving their time for this fundraiser. We graciously thank the owners of New Holland and Kokomo Grain who allow us to use their lots for our profit.

#### ANOTHER RUMMAGE SALE

Greentown Historical Society will have a yard sale Friday and Saturday, September 14 and 15 from 8 am -4 pm at Howell Motors next to Panda Vans on US 35 SR 22. Anyone interested in donating items may do so Wednesday and Thursday, September 12 and 13 from 1 - 4 pm and during the hours of operation.

For more information call Steve Sheridan at (765) 432-7066 or leave a message at (765) 628 2786. All donations will be greatly appreciated.

#### **VOLUNTEER RECEPTION**

Twenty-five people attended a Volunteer Reception on Tuesday, June 19, 2018. The reception was for all current and prospective volunteers for GHS. Joyce Yager, Joyce Lantz, Angie Sparks, Barbara Hickman, Rachel Jenkins, Carole Petro, Bruce Shrock and Katie Regan described volunteer opportunities within GHS. Main Occasions and volunteers provided refreshments for the reception.

A holiday reception for members and volunteers is being planned.

Katie Regan

Steven Sheridan

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#### BARNS & BASKETBALL 2018 AT THE ROUND BARN

Our 4-H Fair Round Barn display was pictorially expanded to include the Howard County school consolidations and the townships combined to create each one. Several onlookers this year were overheard inquiring of years and people involved in the five school systems displayed.

Our 'Hoosier' movie continued to be a favorite as two brothers were actually seated on the floor intently focused on it ...oblivious to walkers-by! The committee is discussing some exciting additions for 2019 to add even more appeal! Thanks to all volunteer docents during that week and committee-persons: P. Harper, C. Voorhis, F. Hannah, and K. Swan. C U next year!

P. Nicholson, Chairperson

### **CLUES TO OUR PAST**

The exhibit will be open from March 10 through November 18, on Saturdays and Mondays from 1-4 p.m., Sunday from 2-4 p.m., and by appointment by calling 765-628-3800. The History Center is located at 103 East Main Street, Greentown and is handicap accessible.

#### HOURS OF OPERATION

The Greentown Historical Society is open Saturdays from 1-4 pm; Sundays from 2-4 pm; and Mondays from 1-4 pm. There are no exhibits in January and February.

#### NEWSLETTER UPDATE

Please consider having this quarterly Greentown Historical Society Newsletter emailed to you instead of being sent through the post office. Not only does this method save money, but the quality and color of the newsletter is much better. If interested, please send me your email address at <u>1kim.patton@gmail.com</u>. Your consideration in this matter is appreciated. Greentown Historical Society

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## **Our Mission**

- To promote public awareness and appreciation of the unique history of Eastern Howard County, Indiana and its citizens
- > To carry out historical research, preservation, and education
- To provide the public with meaningful heritage experiences

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