



Quilcene Historical Museum & Worthington Park Newsletter | Winter, 2018

Our Mission is to preserve and promote the importance of our community's history and culture for present and future generations.

2018 Membership Drive "Your Support Makes a Huge Positive Difference!"

Membership takes on a whole new meaning for 2018! The Quilcene Historical Museum will become part of a larger cultural heritage and special events center with the opening of the Worthington Park mansion later this summer. This year Worthington Park is in a critical transition period from under-construction to opening doors. Your support becomes even more critical to the long-term operational success of the Museum as it provides the historical and cultural foundation for the entire Worthington Park complex. This is an opportunity for you to become a plank owner in a remarkable on-going cultural asset and touchstone for this region.

We are also launching a special membership drive to expand the "ownership" of this community cornerstone with a new junior membership category. This gift to our children comes at a reduced cost of only \$10 per child. The Museum will be planning events for kids as we come closer to finishing Worthington Park mansion. Just write the child's name on the enclosed 2018 membership form and include a check for \$10. This new category expands the Museum "family" and builds a bridge for future generations of support.

There remains, especially this year as we expand our footprint and look to the future, the necessity for annual memberships and sustaining gifts. Membership dues remain an excellent value at \$20 Individual, \$30 Family, \$25 Service Groups, \$60 Business, and Lifetime memberships at \$200 Individual and \$300 Couple. This critical funding continues to sustain Museum operations.

Webster's dictionary defines a "member" as an individual composing a community and a constituent part of a whole. We need you to become a new member or renew your membership to help the Museum and Worthington Park become the community showcase we all want them to become. As a member you will continue to play a key role in the future of the museum and Worthington Park. The Museum and Worthington Park remain all-volunteer efforts with over 5,000 volunteer hours logged in 2017. Your contribution and participation are the life-blood of this undertaking and will fuel all the future possibilities for this extraordinary endeavor.

*Please complete the enclosed membership form and mail back to the Museum
P.O. Box 574, Quilcene WA 98376.*



At first glance, they look like "Worthington Poppies" but not so! Take a guess. Better yet – read article on Page Two.

What's a 'Sustainer'?

Your Quilcene Historical Museum is an all-volunteer organization with no paid staff, so why do we need to have a sustaining fund? Excellent question. You do get great value for your annual dues, and many of our members have opted for annual membership. This valuable annual support only covers a portion of our operating costs. As we grow, so do operating costs. To continue to serve our community in the robust manner to which we are committed, we need additional financial support. We ask our lifetime members and annual members to consider making a gift to the Sustaining Fund. Make a huge and positive impact on your Museum and Worthington Park with a gift of any amount. Check the box on the enclosed membership form.

Please be a 'sustainer' – it will make you feel good all over!

Not Poppies, Not Modern Art, It's a Restoration Process.

The Worthington mansion interior walls for the most part are 2 x 4 wood frame, with a lathe and plaster finish. For various reasons – age, previous repairs – a significant portion of the plaster has separated from the lathe on the first and second floors.

The restoration process is threefold. One – If the entire wall is compromised with numerous crack and voids, all existing plaster is removed and sheetrock installed over the lathe. Two – If only sections of plaster on a wall have become completely separated or fallen off, those specific areas are sheet rocked. Three – if it is minor cracks or holes, in comes “Big Wally's Plaster Magic”!



Volunteer “Plaster Magic” man, Jeff Childs

Easy? Think again, there are several steps here. After identifying where the plaster has separated, 3/16” holes are drilled through the loose plaster and/or along the crack line. Holes are then vacuumed, a liquid conditioner is sprayed into the holes which prepares the old plaster and lathe to accept a liquid adhesive. Then after the conditioner dries, the liquid adhesive is applied via a caulking gun.

The gooey liquid adhesive is slowly squeezed through the holes into the void between lathe and plaster. A plastic washer (did you guess it? – the poppies) is screwed onto the face of the plaster to finish the gluing process. Wait for 24 hours of drying and then remove the washers and screws.

Are you asking yourselves the question, “Why not just tear out all the plaster and put up new sheetrock?” It's not that simple. That approach would be taking down all the original wood molding around door entrances, windows, and to complicate matters the lathe and plaster are not all the same thickness. Construction Team decided that the “Big Wally” method was the best way to go.

Yes, our dedicated volunteers are doing this task with mostly smiles and good humor!

Passages

Don was born and raised in Quilcene, and he was an integral part of the Quilcene community. He served on the QHM Board of Directors, the local Cub Scout Board and was an elected commissioner for Cemetery District 2 for 35 years. He and his wife Lorna raised a family of four and enjoyed pruning, grafting fruit trees, and raising blueberries. Services were held July 23, 2017.

We bid farewell to community members who have passed during 2017 – Patricia Archer, Barbara Getz, Tom Gilmore, Barry Hawley, Dean Jackson, Art Mack, Ted Spoelstra, and Linda Tutor.

Our thanks to the Barry Hawley family for asking that remembrances honoring Barry be directed to the mansion restoration. He and his wife, DeeDee, built a vacation home on Dabob Bay and enjoyed the beauty of the area. His family noted that Mr. Hawley enjoyed working with wood and appreciated how much work it would take to restore the mansion to its original glory.



Donald Ward
January 6, 1923 – June 29, 2017

Hands on the House

The Worthington mansion volunteers were honored at the December 2, 2017 “Welcome to the Holidays” open house. During 2017, over 8,600 hours were donated by these wonderful volunteers in various restoration/repairs projects. Hat's off (special hats were presented to each volunteer) and thank you Eric Anderson, Al Audette, Brian Barker, Bob Bindschadler, Barbara Bowman, Kathi Boyker, Carol Bromel, Richard Chadwick, Jeff Childs, Carol Christiansen, John and Debra Connolly, Del and Linda Coolidge, Tim Cuddohy, Brian Cullin, Greg Dawson, Linda DeLiso, Jim and Judy Dziuba, Greg Fenton, David Goetze, Alan Herold, B.J. Long, Tim McCoy, Bob McDaniels, Larry McKeehan, Lori Millard, Steve Miller, Stan Nealey, David Neuenschwander, Marita Nielson, Linda Oen, Mari Phillips, Tim Rensema (our new 2018 volunteer), Christine and David Satterlee, Sandy Shea, Jerry Schwagler, Sue and Bruce Stratton, Cleone and Terry Telling, Chuck Thrasher, Tim VanBerkom, Rodney Widman and Mark Witte.

Board Members created homemade goodies for the “Blood, Sweat, and Smiles” volunteers during break time that were greatly appreciated.



The Giving Tree

Financial gifts and grants which began in Fall, 2011, are making dreams and plans come true for restoration of the Worthington Park mansion and necessary infrastructure for the mansion as an events center; construction of Linger Longer Outdoor Theater; and future barn restoration/outdoor exhibits.

The Board and volunteers offer huge thanks and gratitude to our incredible, generous donors and granting institutions. *See pages four and five.*



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The next Newsletter features gifts of property, such as the 'Triangle Piece' on Center Road donated to the Museum by Mary Schmidt, as well as generous in-kind services/consulting, and donors of artifacts to the Museum facility.

Donations and grants are from September 2011 to December 31, 2017. All efforts were made to insure accuracy. Please contact Museum if error has occurred and accept our apologies. All mailing and donor lists are property of the Museum and not distributed or sold to any agencies, businesses, or individuals.

Note of Thanks

AIR FLO Heating Co.



What remarkable friends we have in our community. In September we contacted AIR FLO for a quote on repairs to the mansion heating system. The outside of the house was secure, and with fall and winter soon to be on us, we wanted to have the interior of the house heated to make life bearable for our volunteers and contractors who would be restoring the interior. Not only did Joel Berson, President of AIR FLO, come to the house to see what needed to be done, but he also donated the work and materials needed. The “warm glow” in the house is much, much more than the warm air in the vents. And ever single person that has done any volunteer work this fall and winter has been very grateful. Thank you AIR FLO.

Grandy Marble and Tile Inc.



When we approached Grandy Marble and Tile of Poulsbo to restore the beautiful tile façade on the Living room fireplace, owner Richard Grandy told us that wasn't really something they could help us with. Still he was intrigued with the project and the age of the fireplace. He asked us to drop off the tiles so that his technicians could evaluate them. Maybe, just maybe they would be able to clean the gunk, grime, soot and mortar from the tiles. Guess what? They were able to, and they did the work without charge. Thank you Grandy Marble and Tile.

Construction News

The Worthington Mansion restoration is in constant motion. This last summer we watched Dan Nieman's crew put the finishing touches on the outside of the mansion. The work was spectacular and a visual realization of much hard work and struggle.

With the exterior nearing completion (Phase II of the restoration), volunteers and contractors moved on to Phase III, the interior. Bruner Drywall completed their precision work on the Mansard walls and ceilings. A decision was made to save as much of the existing first and second story plaster walls as possible so the volunteers took on the challenge of removing all the old wall paper. This was necessary to evaluate the plaster, much of which was damaged so badly that it had to be removed.



Puzzle pieces of fireplace tiles being solved!

Removing some of the plaster and repairing cracks presented an interesting situation because there are no active trades people that we could find or afford in the plaster restoration business. This means that some of the walls will be partially plaster and partially drywall. Working closely with Bruner Drywall and 'This Old House' a plan was conceived to solve the problem. Stop by the mansion any Friday (Fridays are volunteer work party day) and see how we've solved the problem. You'll be able to see the finished job in the living room and the process in the second floor rooms.

Painting of the completed rooms has been started by volunteers, and will continue as other walls are restored. Next on the schedule will be the refinishing of the floors.

The process of securing a Change of Use to make the mansion into an event center has consumed a great deal of time and capital, but the process is inching forward. With Change of Use, and a Conditional Use permit we will be able to complete the permitting process and construction of the kitchen. If work continues as expected the interior will be completed by early fall 2018.

People News and Museum Tidbits

Treasury Transitioning

David Neuenschwander, Museum Board Member and our fourth treasurer from August, 2013 to December, 2017, announced he is stepping down from this role. He was instrumental in the complex field of grant finance management for Worthington Park and he served the community with similar responsibilities for the South County Chamber of Commerce and the Quilcene Fire and Rescue Department. He and wife, Laurie, hope to reclaim some personal time from their volunteer work.

And our good fortune continues with the appointment of James “Marty” McCullough as the new treasurer. Marty is a third generation Quilcene resident, living the first three years of his life with his grandparents in a house behind the Peninsula Store. He retired in 2010 with 38 years of service as a Business Manager for the Boeing Company.

Happy retirement David, and welcome Marty!

Quaker Church wins Preservation Award

Anne Ricker and Scott Abbott were presented with a Jefferson County Historical Society Preservation Award for their restoration work of the old Quaker (Friends) Church in Quilcene. According to Anne and Scott, it was a long extensive project made easier by the support of many members of our community. The facility will be used for classes and meetings on gardening, art, and whatever interests the community. The Church was featured in the Port Townsend Leader on November 1. Congratulations, Anne and Scott!

Reprinting of Quilcene's Heritage: Looking Back

We are proud to announce the reprinting of Winona Prill's 374 page soft-cover book about Quilcene heritage from the mid 1800's to the 1950's. New is an alphabetical index of the people mentioned; the table of contents lists 26 different topics. Cost for the new book with index is \$40.00 (\$7.50 S&H). A separate index was also printed and is available for \$10.00 (\$3.00 S&H).

2017 Tidbits

The 18 docents provided 452 hours of volunteer time to welcome visitors from 68 Washington cities, 20 states and 7 countries – New Zealand, China, Holland, Canada, Mexico, Australia and India). There were 1,040 visitors to the Museum and 1,454 visitors to Worthington Park and Mansion events – a grand total of 2,494 enjoying the complex.

Artifact donations to the Museum continued in 2017 with 108 items donated by 26 people from 10 WA cities and 3 states. In the Museum's 26 years we have received over 4,600 donated items with 726 donor identification accession numbers. Thanks for keeping the history of the area in the Museum hands.

Barbara Weber, Teresa Mason, Brian Cullin, Jeff Childs and Marty McCullough are new Museum Board of Directors. We thank and honor Jacque Booth and Jackie Benson with emeritus status for their service.

Anne Marie Gibson of Quilcene has been retained as Website Project Coordination to provide ongoing updates, changes, and creation of websites for the Museum and Worthington Park. Anne Marie, Wild Song Design, has certification in website creation, design, and maintenance.



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2018 Calendar of Events
please see Museum website -
www.quilcenemuseum.org

Greetings!

From our Museum Board members, we sincerely hope this new year is off to a great start for each of you. As you will read in this newsletter, 2017 continued as a busy year at Worthington Park.

One of the most amazing things I have seen throughout the lengthy process of mansion renovation is the coming together of so many diverse and talented people. Our volunteers joined in to see our 'magnificent obsession' actually happen. It didn't matter political views, financial status or education. We banded together with a common goal. The result of that dedication is a beautifully restored home that brings joy and pride to me and I hope to all who have labored so diligently. Our combined labors and talents are our gift to our communities for generations to come.

Please come visit when the Museum reopens this spring.

Sincerely,
Mari Phillips, Museum Board Chair

Docents and Volunteers are Always Welcome

If you like to meet, greet and share your fondness for South Jefferson County, please consider joining the Museum Docent Team. Two docent training sessions will occur in April. Contact Larry McKeehan (quilcenemuseum@olympen.com) for more information.

Volunteers to help with restoration of the Worthington Mansion are always welcome. Basic construction, drywall, paint, woodworking, and even cleanup are just some of the Friday workday jobs. Contact Dave or Christine Satterlee (765-4810) for more information.



Watercolor by Anne Ricker