

UPCOMING EVENTS



Holiday House Tour Set For December 6

One of the joys of Christmas is seeing the beautiful decorations people lovingly display in their homes—family heirlooms, sparkling lights, the fragrance of pine.

Seven homeowners have generously agreed to open their homes to guests on the Shady Side Rural Heritage Society's Holiday House Tour on Saturday, December 6, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. The admission for the tour is \$25 for the entire tour, or \$5 for an individual home. Tickets may be purchased at the homes, or at the Captain Salem Avery Museum, 1418 E.W. Shady Side Road, which will also be on the tour. The Museum will open at 9:30 a.m. for the purchase of tickets.

The homeowners who will be greeting Tour guests are:

- Noel and Ann Widdifield, Shady Side.
- Reinaldo Lopez and Patricia Ghiglino, Shady Side
- V.K. Holtzendorf and Mike Shay, Shady Side
- Gary Monetti, West River
- Dean and June Hall, West River
- Gordon and Susanne Smith, Lothian
- Don and Lucy Arthur, Lothian

The Women of St. James' Parish will be serving luncheon from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

Co-Chairmen of the Tour are Peggy Tucker and Gail Schneider. You won't want to miss it! For more information, call Peggy at 410-267-0654, or Gail at 301-855-2929.

Coach Trip to Winterthur on December 9

The magnificent gardens at Winterthur, decorated for Christmas, are the destination of the coach excursion of the Shady Side Rural Heritage Society on December 9.

Guests will view the elegant interiors of the du Pont mansion bedecked in holiday finery, and be inspired by dazzling holiday dining and entertaining displays. The trip will include lunch, time for exploring other displays, and visiting the beautiful gift shop. As always, there will be refreshments on the return trip.



David Colburn and Joe Miano shuck some oysters.

WEST RIVER HERITAGE DAY OYSTER FESTIVAL OCTOBER 19

A full slate of entertainers, artists, authors, craftsmen, and food vendors will be on hand at the West River Heritage Day Oyster Festival from 12:30 until 5 p.m. on Sunday, October 19, sponsored by Bay Vue Consulting and the Shady Side Rural Heritage Society.

Guests will be treated to traditional food from the Bay including crabs and oysters, plus hamburgers, hot dogs, funnel cakes, beer, wine and sodas.

Popular musicians will provide entertainment throughout the day. Craftsmen, authors and the Museum Shop will have displays and items for purchase. Games and crafts will take place in the children's activity corner including face painting and harvest crafts.

Mrs. Avery's Tea tours will bring visitors to the kitchen where samples of the cakes and cookies typical of the 1870's will be served. Homemade desserts will be for sale on the porch where guests are invited to "sit a spell" and enjoy the view of the West River and festivities on the grounds.

Topping off the afternoon will be the drawing of the winner of the \$10,000 raffle sponsored by the Society.

Admission to the West River Heritage Day Oyster Festival is \$6. Children 12 and under are admitted free. Parking will be available at the nearby Shady Side ballfields with free shuttle service. There will be handicapped parking at the Museum. For more information, call the Museum at 410-867-4486.

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SOCIETY WELCOMES NEW BOARD MEMBERS

BOARD OF DIRECTORS STRENGTHENED

By Addition Of Highly Qualified New Members

The strength of the Board of Directors of our Society is increasing with the addition of some highly qualified individuals who will be filling positions with skill and extraordinary talent. To introduce them to our membership, here are some brief resumes.

BETH DENNISTON – Elizabeth (Beth) Denniston has accepted the position of Grants Chairman and interim Recording Secretary.

Beth lives in Avalon Shores in Shady Side where she enjoys gardening, sewing, cooking, reading, writing, woodwork and other crafts, boating, travel, and family. She has 3 sons, 4 grandsons, and 1 granddaughter, plus her extended family of 2 sons, 1 daughter, 3 granddaughters and 3 grandsons.

She received her BS and MS from the University of Nebraska, majoring in journalism, home economics, and English. She brings to the Board nearly 40 years experience in communication, marketing, and training different audiences to encourage private and public support of organizational goals and objectives, and to provide professional products and services. She retired in August, 2005, after 13 years as Director of the National Rural Transportation Assistance Program.

Professionally Beth has traveled through 48 of our 50 states, the Soviet Union, and South Africa. Personally she has visited Alaska, Canada, Hawaii, Mexico, and Europe.

With her vast experience and knowledge, Beth will be a tremendous asset to the Board, and to our Society.

JINNIE SIEVER – The Society is in luck again to have Jinnie Siever join the Board of Directors, serving as Volunteer Coordinator. She certainly is overqualified for the position, and we look forward to having her administrative skills to help guide our organization. She is a seasoned professional who brings managerial, leadership, training and administrative skills.

Jinnie, who retired three years ago, offers over ten years experience in executive administrative positions and most recently twenty years experience in senior-level Human



Our Board has been strengthened by the addition of Beth Denniston, Janet George, Jinnie Siever, and Susy Smith. Absent was Melanie Turner.

Resources positions. She holds a BA degree in Psychology from George Mason University, and a MA in Human Resource Management from Marymount University.

A native of New Jersey and a sailor since age 8, Jinnie and her husband, Ray, have settled in Masons Beach, Deale, on the glorious Chesapeake Bay. Thirty-four years living in the Metro DC area, and the haven of a weekend Bay cottage and sailboat, created a strong urge to see the Bay every day. She and Ray enjoy sailing their 30' Canadian Sailcraft from Herring Bay. Jinnie is an avid reader, gardener, and quilter. To help satisfy the creative, artistic urges, she works two days a week at her "fun job" in an Annapolis quilt shop and loves the stimulation of the colors, fabrics, co-workers and customers.

Prior to settling in the DC area, Jinnie traveled to all 50 states and lived in Europe and Asia for a number of years. The couple each has a son and a daughter from previous marriages, and 3 grandchildren. Jinnie's son and his wife recently departed West River and relocated in Portland, OR, and her daughter lives in West River with her son-in-law and, as Jinnie phrased it, "the glorious four-year old Maryjane."

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The Shady Side Rural Heritage Society operates a museum complex located at the historic Captain Salem Avery House in Shady Side – a watermen's community on Maryland's West River. The Society's mission is to preserve, collect, document, and share local history and culture, using its historic property as a lens through which to interpret the community's stories with a focus on the mid 19th century to the present. As an educational and cultural center for the local community and the general public, the Society fosters an understanding of the social, cultural, economic, and environmental transformations that have shaped the Chesapeake Bay's Western Shore since prehistoric times.

Memberships are \$20 for individual, \$15 for seniors, \$35 for family, \$125 for donor, \$250 for patron, and \$500 for benefactor. Call or write the museum today!

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SOCIETY WELCOMES NEW BOARD MEMBERS (Cont.)

JANET E. GEORGE – Janet has been working in the Miss Ethel Memorial Library at the Museum for a number of years, and became Librarian some time ago. She has now agreed to serve on the Board where we will have the benefit of her judgment and experience.

Janet was born in New Brunswick, Canada, the youngest of four children. Her dream was to become a nurse, which she realized when she received an RN from a Diploma School of Nursing in Montreal. Subsequently she completed a Bachelor of Science in Nursing, and a Master of Art in Human Resource Training and Development. For almost 24 years she has worked in geriatrics. She retired nine years ago from the position of Vice President of Quality Improvement for Manor Health Care.

Forty-five years ago she married Bruce, a federal government employee. Their two children were born in Frankfurt, Germany, and they later lived in Oahu, Hawaii. Their children are engineers, and they have six grandchildren whom Janet modestly describes as “beautiful and talented.” Fourteen years ago they moved to Edgewater.

The Georges are sailors, and have a Bristol 35.5 sloop. Janet is currently Vice Commodore of the Chesapeake Bristol Club. They like to travel and have enjoyed Italy, France, Greece and Turkey and cruised on the Danube.

Janet volunteers at Chesapeake Hospice both at their main office and at Mandarin House.

She became interested in our Society after attending many of the Winter Series Luncheons. She was most impressed with our Oral History collection, as well as the wonderful history of our Society and its commitment to preserving and sharing the history of Shady Side and its place in greater Maryland History. Nancy Bauer recruited her to help in the library, and we thank Nancy for bringing this talented woman into her current role as Librarian.

SUSANNE “SUSY” SMITH – There is little Susy has not done in the Legislative and Executive branches of the federal government. She summarized her experience as over

thirty years of management, consulting, problem solving, program creation and development, legislative policy formation and advocacy experience.

On Capitol Hill, she worked as Legislative Director for Senator Dianne Feinstein, and Chief of Staff for Senator Barbara Mikulski. She also worked as Chief of Staff and political advisor for Congressman Norman Mineta for eight years and later worked for him when he became Secretary of Transportation.

On the Executive Branch, she was Special Assistant for Congressional Liaison for President Jimmy Carter. She served as legislative advocate and liaison for the President and the Director of the office of Management and Budget.

Susy is a graduate of the University of California at Los Angeles with a BA in Political Science.

Susy and her husband, Terence, are neighbors, living just a few houses away from the Museum. Both have volunteered their extraordinary talent to many Museum activities, and we welcome Susy to our Board of Directors.

MELANIE TURNER – Mel has already proven herself to be an exceptional volunteer on a number of our events, including serving as Raffle Chairman, Co-chairing the highly successful Music on the Bay, working on the Oyster Festival, and lending a hand wherever there is a need. This vivacious, attractive young woman is able to take on the position of Gift Shop Manager and attend Board meetings now that her two young son are both in Elementary School.

Born in Richmond, VA, Mel has been a Shady Side resident, with her husband, Troy, for the past ten years. They live in West Shady Side. She was graduated from Virginia Tech with a BA in English and worked in Human Resources for a telecommunications company until the birth of her first son.

Mel traveled to Norway in July, and while there rendezvoused with former Director Janet Surrent and her son, Jasper. We welcome the enthusiasm and energy that Melanie will bring to our board.

Children’s Tree Trimming Party December 14

A Victorian Christmas for children of all ages will be held at the Museum on Sunday, December 14, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. There is no admission charge, refreshments will be served, and no reservations are required. It is a sure way to get everyone into the Christmas spirit.

The great room will be filled with holiday decorations, including a large tree which will be decorated during the party with ornaments made by students at Shady Side Elementary school. Children will learn about Christmas 100 years ago.

There will be crafts including making cards, Missy Brown, Principal at Lothian Elementary School, will read Christmas stories and lead songs, and perhaps Santa will pay a visit. Ann Sparrough will display her dollhouse and talk to the guests about its history.

It is a warm and wonderful way to enjoy the holiday through the eyes and spirit of children. Everyone is welcome!



The love between Santa and a child.

EVENTS REMEMBERED

MUSIC ON THE BAY IS A **HUGE SUCCESS**

Thanks to the perfect planning, hard work, and dedication of a very effective committee headed by Pat Freiberg and Melanie Turner, our major fundraiser, Music on the Bay: Island Beat on June 28 was a winner! We raised more than \$20,000 of needed funds which will allow us to provide educational and community programs at little or no cost, and also cover our increasing operating costs for utilities and repairs.

The Committee began work last fall with frequent meetings to plan every detail. Television celebrities Wendy Rieger and Terence Smith agreed to be MC and auctioneer, invitations were sent to a large group of friends and members, publicity extended from all local media to church bulletins, donations were sought for the live and silent auctions, a booklet listing all auction



Superb food by Outback Steakhouse, a sponsor of Music on the Bay, delights our guests.

items and their donors was sent to each attendee, and a very sophisticated computer-generated auction program assured instantaneous printouts for each person bidding. All of this was the result of professional-level administrative organization.

And then there was the food! Outback Steakhouse donated complete dinners to the almost 200 guests, featuring their sirloin

and BBQ chicken. It was delicious! Topping it off were ice creams and sorbet furnished by Ben and Jerry's.

The Island Beat was provided by a calypso band from New York City, generating a festive mood.

It would be impossible to estimate the number of volunteer hours that were donated to make this event the success it was. Our hats are off to Pat Freiberg, Melanie Turner, June Hall, Gary Monetti, Gail Schneider, Susy Smith, and the many others who were there to do whatever jobs they were assigned. Our coffers are richer, and our pride is deeper in a job well done.

The committee gave special thanks to the following people:

- Shady Side Rural Heritage Society
- Fred and Kathleen Rotondaro
- Masonic Fishing and Country Club
- Mary Mac Chaney
- Lou Sacks
- Captain Avery's Crew
- Lynn Abercrombie
- Smokey and Katherine Baer
- Larry and Kathy Court
- Georgia Dent DiPietro and Edward A. Mielkus
- Stephen and Vivian Gauss
- Lawrence P. and Annette Larson
- Donna and Bill Dudley
- Margaret and Michael Rauh
- Steve Schulman and Pat Freiberg
- Susy and Terence Smith
- David Way, Century 21



Gail Schneider of the auctioneer at Music on the Bay.

Guests enjoy the beauty of the waterfront while dining at our Music on the Bay.





Children try their luck fishing at the Fourth of July program.



Chairman June Hall and vocalist Leanne Brown. Leanna wowed the crowd with her rendition of our National Anthem opening the July 4th outstanding concert by the Bay Winds Band.



For their 18th year, Curtis Brown and his family manned the July 4th food stand.

Schneider shows some auction items to guest picnic on the Bay.

CHILDREN'S SUMMER SERIES EXPLORED ARCHAEOLOGY

Adventures in Archaeology, exploring the history of the people of Maryland for the past 12,000 years, was the theme of the Children's Summer Series the week of July 14 to 18. Greenstreet Gardens and the Shady Side Rural Heritage Society jointly sponsored this superb program.

On the opening day, children became oriented to the site, created camp t-shirts, learned about artifacts, and made coiled pots. On Tuesday they excavated a mock dig. A field trip to Historic Lodontowne was the highlight of Wednesday. Children had the opportunity to excavate, screen, and wash artifacts. The Series completed with a visit to Jefferson Patterson Park in St. Leonard, the state museum of archeology and history.

Parents and children were high in their praise of the Series, and look forward to next year.



Children learning and having fun at the Summer Series.



Kids work with clay at the Children's Summer Series.

SUPERB CONCERT DELIGHTS FOURTH OF JULY GUESTS

The Bay Winds Band, a 40-piece group from Annapolis composed of many retired professional musicians, presented a superb concert at the Fourth of July celebration at the Captain Salem Avery Museum. Adding to the enjoyment of our guests was the singing of the National Anthem by Leanna Brown, 16, whose talent has grown tremendously since the time perhaps eight years ago when she burst into tears as she attempted to sing the same song.

Curtis and Missy Brown manned the food stand, marking their 18th year in doing so. The Bay Winds Band also has appeared for 18 consecutive years, providing stirring music, show tunes, with a spirited "Stars and Stripes Forever" as the grand finale.

The event was a gift to the community, sponsored by the Shady Side Rural Heritage Society and Owens Financial, to whom we express our thanks.

Special acts of generosity:

Vickie Frye from The Flower Shop in Churchton:
Donated a card stand and cards to our gift shop.

Congressman Steny Hoyer: Furnished 40 copies of the booklet "Our Flag" for use by children in the next Summer Series.

The Greene Turtle Restaurant: Designated the Shady Side Rural Heritage Society as the recipient of 10% of its sales on July 8, netting us \$358.

THANK YOU ALL!



BOAT DONATIONS WANTED

Please consider donating your used boat to the Captain Salem Avery House Museum. Proceeds from boat sales will help the Shady Side Rural Heritage Society, Inc. with the preservation of this historic waterman's home.

If you can help, please call Andy Garte at 410 867 2924 or 410 867 4600, or the Museum at 410 867 4486.

\$10,000 RAFFLE WINNER TO BE DRAWN AT OYSTER FESTIVAL

If you haven't done so already, now is the time to buy your tickets for the \$10,000 raffle being sponsored by the Society. The winning ticket will be drawn at 5 p.m. on October 19, as the grand finale of the West River Heritage Days Oyster Festival. Many of you have routinely purchased tickets in the past, and we count on you again this year. Tickets are \$10 each, and no more than 2,000 will be sold.

Peggy Tucker has mailed tickets to members, and you can always make your purchase by sending your money to our office, P.O. Box 89, Shady Side, MD 20764. A number of local merchants are assisting by handling sales, also, including Renno's Market, Shady Side Market, Wheeler's Hardware, Trim's Barber Shop, Joanne's Touch, and the Java Shop.

Remember, this is an important fundraiser which we have successfully presented for 18 years, with the enthusiastic support of our members and the community. The Chairman of this year's raffle is Melanie Turner.



A MEMBERSHIP NOTE FROM PEGGY TUCKER

A warm welcome to our newest members:

John Butler & Amanda Gibson
Joe & Elana Byrd
Leslie Campbell & Marianne Rude
Calvert Chaney
Charles Colhoun
Rosalyn Darling
Richard DeRycke
Nancy Eastwood
Marlin & Melinda Fitzwater
Arlene Friedlander
Grace B. Gay
Grace Goode
Matt Grubbs
Robin Hartge & Ruth Dolle
Steven & Rebecca Iannicelli
Alan Kamerow
Paul Lee Sr.
Roger & Sherry LePage
Bill & Susy LesCallett
James Lighthizer
Marianne Matejko
Judy Mauriello
Jeff & Connie Maynard
Jane Meneely
Norm & Deni Mineta
Scott & Denise Peel
Evelyn Sacks

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Ronald Jay Sheinbaum
Joe Sherick
Barbara D. Tate
Barbara Wehrle
Harrison B. Wetherill
Buddy Wilde
Sandra Willie
John & Carolyn Wisthoff
Jerry & Joyce Yochelson

**A very SPECIAL THANK YOU
to the following members
who donated \$500, \$250 & \$125
for membership dues:**

\$500
Corbin & Pamela Gwaltney
Mary Lee Murphy
Noel & Ann Widdifield
Jerry & Joyce Yochelson

\$250
Chuck & Terry Jackson
Alan Kamerow
Glen Trott
F. Ray & Janet Weems
Chris & Betty Wilson
Mike & Maggie Rauh

\$125
Lynn Abercrombie
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Rebecca Byrd
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Jean M. Zajac

GOOD NEWS! SALE OF HOUSEBOAT NETS \$11,000 FOR SOCIETY

Through the generosity of Harry and Jean Seeback, the Society was offered their cherished houseboat, Fantastic, in early July. The Seebacks had been coming to Shady Side for many years, living on their boat, which was docked at the Chesapeake Yacht Club, and enjoying the beauty of our Chesapeake Bay.

Our dedicated Boat Donations Chairman, Andy Garte, and our Board, went to work seeking a buyer, and a sale was negotiated in late August to Bob and Maurine Merchon of the Holiday Point Marina in Edgewater. Their daughter has been studying in England and will soon be coming home and living on the boat with her husband. The sale price was \$11,000, a huge financial boost to our Society.

Our gratitude to the Seebacks is endless. This is also a reminder that donations of boats to the Society are greatly welcomed. The donors receive a tax deduction, the new owners get a nice deal on a boat they can restore and use or resell, and the Society benefits immensely, a totally win/win/win situation.

GREENSTREET GROWERS BEAUTIFIES PARKING LOT AREA

Ray Greenstreet, President of Greenstreet Growers, has reached out to the community, and especially to the Shady Side Rural Heritage Society, in so many ways.

Ray was a speaker at our Winter Luncheon Series last winter. On numerous occasions he has donated plants for special events, centerpieces, pumpkins for children at the Oyster Festival, items for our auctions, and is one of our Sponsors.

His latest gift brings so much beauty to our property. His employees have planted annuals all around the parking area, including in front of the entrance signs, and shrubs in the area along the entrance road. Guests now entering our property are greeted by colorful annuals, a most inviting welcome.

We express our sincere thanks to Ray, and count him among our best friends and supporters.

SOCIETY AWARDED GRANT BY ARTS COUNCIL

When our Shady Side Rural Heritage Society first acquired our Museum, we were so fortunate to receive generous funding from Anne Arundel County when Jim Lighthizer was County Executive. Later this County program was privatized and administered by the Cultural Arts Foundation, and more recently by the Arts Council. Thus the distribution of County funds has been decentralized, and for the past 19 years, we have received operating funds that have filled so many of our needs.

Realizing how stringent County funds are this year, we were somewhat apprehensive as to the amount we would be granted. We were overjoyed, therefore, when we received a slight increase. We feel this reflects the appreciation, the recognition, by the Arts Council of the work we are doing. The funds will be disbursed in two installments of \$3,000 each for operating purposes. We express our deep gratitude to the Arts Council and to Anne Arundel County.

Glorious Legna Andrews Shenton, 1920–2008



Few people have been more instrumental in the establishment of the Shady Side Rural Heritage Society, nor loved it more, than dear Glorious. We are saddened by her death July 26.

Glorious was one of a handful of people who felt our village had so much history and that it should be preserved, and thus founded our Society in 1984. Glorious knew every detail of the early history of Shady Side, learning much of it from her mother, the wonderful Flora Ethel Nowell Andrews, our “Miss Ethel,” and from her grandparents who founded the famous Rural Home boarding home.

As postmistress, Miss Ethel had been annoyed by the similarity of the names of patrons, so when her children were born, she wanted them to have distinctive names. Glorious was unusual, and her middle name is Angel spelled backwards. And she was a Glorious Angel!

Once we acquired our Museum building, Glorious became our first librarian and put her heart and soul into it. She worked there endlessly, setting up the files, and contributing many papers and books. She rarely missed a Board meeting. Because our need for funds was great to pay off the mortgage on the Museum, she helped organize our yearly raffle. She knew everyone in the community, having taught them, and few former students could turn her down to purchase raffle tickets.

When we needed money to finalize the acquisition of the Annex, Glorious and Howard were the first ones in line with their checkbook. Glorious had a heart of gold, was compassionate, intelligent, and loving.

Things that remind us of Glorious—hats, her directness and laughter, pleated skirts, lemon fluff, angel figurines, a love affair with Howard that began in the fifth grade and continued for a lifetime, their dog Gunner, dedication to her community and Centenary Church, devotion to her family, especially her niece Jackie, and taking wonderful care of her parents in their latter years which Miss Ethel described often as living with two angels, meticulous records, her deep affection for Carrie Nick and Audrey Matthews, her advocacy and love of Shady Side, her flower gardens, conducting our children’s educational programs including the field trips from schools in the area. Always the teacher, she would spread out a map, describe to the children the travel of Captain Salem Avery from Long Island to Shady Side, and take them to the waterside to point out the rivers and Bay.

Our lives are richer for having had Glorious as a part of them. We extend our sympathy to her family, and we are grateful to them for designating the Shady Side Rural Heritage Society as the recipient of memorials in tribute to her.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19
WEST RIVER HERITAGE DAY
OYSTER FESTIVAL AND
RAFFLE DRAWING

12:30 until 5 p.m.
Admission: \$6

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15
RECEPTION
GREENSTREET GARDENS

Time and other info TBA

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6
HOLIDAY HOUSE TOUR

Time: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Admission: \$25
Reservations: 410 267 0654

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9
COACH TRIP
TO WINTERTHUR

Reservations: 410 267 0654

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14
CHILDREN'S TREE
TRIMMING PARTY

1:30 to 3:30 p.m.
FREE

DATES SET FOR WINTER LUNCHEON SERIES

The much anticipated Winter Luncheon Series will begin January 14, 2009, and continue for six weeks until February 18. Reservations will again be taken by Peggy Tucker, 410 267 0654.

Speakers are being arranged, and delectable menus are already worked out. It again will be an event you won't want to miss.

For information on programs, call 410-867-4486 or visit www.averyhouse.org

Museum Hours – April through December 14, Sundays, 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.
Library Hours – Open Mondays, 12:00 to 3:00 p.m. (except National Holidays)
Museum Grounds and Waterfront Exhibits – Open Every Day, Dawn to Dusk

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