

# Galesville Tidings

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**Wine Tasting and Antiques Appraisal**

**Saturday, October 12**

**Galesville Memorial Hall**

**6-8 pm**

**Look for more information to come on this fun and "taste" event.**

## What A Fabulous 4th Of July Parade



Once again the village of Galesville displayed its ability to charm its residents and surrounding communities with a fabulous parade. The Galesville Heritage Society staged yet another fun-filled event thanks to the leadership of Bill Whitman and



the board of directors. The weather was warm but a nice breeze cooled the crowds. Participation this year was heavy with many new groups competing for the many awards.

Local fire/rescue companies lead the way down Main Street with sirens and lights blaring! The Annapolis JROTC color guard was

professional and precise as always and earned the first place Patriotic Award. Our well-known Holly Clark was a



perfect Grand Marshall for this year's lead



celebrity. She has supported the community in so many ways. Thanks for all you do Holly!

So much work goes into preparing all the classic/antique

fire trucks, cars, and tractors for a parade, however they all looked wonderful!

Many new floats were in competition this year and the judges were most impressed with their efforts to please the crowds. Congratulations to the West River Improvement Association for earning first place in the Float Division! Well done ladies and gentlemen! We had Boy/Girl Scout troops that earned several awards. It also was



was a very large fish up on the van.

The Oak Crest Farm was as always a crowd pleaser. So much effort goes into transporting, preparing, and organizing such a large group of horses and equestrians. Tina and Dorsey Emmrick



add so much to our parade. Thank you all! Speaking of horses, didn't Collot Guerard look elegant prancing down Main Street with her horse holding her head perfectly?

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**October 12, 2013**

**Wine Tasting**

**Antiques Appraisal  
Galesville Memorial Hall  
6-8 pm**

**October 13, 2013**

**Art in the Village**

**Galesville Heritage  
Museum  
1-4 pm**

**November 11, 2013**

**Veterans' Day Observance  
Galesville Memorial Hall  
11 am**

**Galesville Heritage Society, Inc.  
Officers & Board Members  
2013**

**Officers:**

President: Bill Whitman  
Vice President: Julie Wechsler  
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Betsy Derrick  
Corresponding Secretary:  
Cathy Oliver  
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**Board Members:**

Jeff Beard  
Susie Cosden  
John Cox  
Cynthia Czubat  
Sally Koch  
Gertrude Makell  
Rachel Myers  
Diane Nowak-Warring  
Bruce Weidele  
Dorothy Whitman

## Fall Dinner Meeting—Galesville Memorial Hall

Come to the Fall Galesville Heritage Society Quarterly Dinner, Tuesday, September 10, 6:30 pm. Enjoy great food, and hear *Tony Pasek*, President of the Chesapeake Chapter of the U.S. Lighthouse Society. His topic will be "Chesapeake Bay Beacons". He'll have a presentation as well as some handouts, some Chapter newsletters, lighthouse models and posters.

Tony's involvement and passion for lighthouses began during a family vacation to the Outer Banks in the 1990s. They visited several tall

towers along the East coast and he was "bitten by the lighthouse bug". Upon returning from his vacation, he learned about the Chesapeake Chapter of the Lighthouse Society and joined.

"By maintaining and restoring lighthouses," said Tony, "we preserve the legacy of their keepers today and for the next generation. There may be no other more beneficial structure to aid mankind throughout history than a lighthouse. The motto of lighthouse groups are "Keep the Lights Shining!"

The menu will be locally caught fried fish, corn on the cob, sliced local tomatoes and more, plus salad and dessert. The price for the dinner is \$15 per person for members and \$20 for nonmembers.

Be sure you make your reservations with Dee Dixon, either by calling 410-867-3622 or emailing dewhitman@verizon.net by September 8.



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OK now the big news! When have you ever seen a ZEBRA in the GHS parade? Yep another first thanks to Joan Bell who arranged to



have a beautiful six month old zebra join us! The poor thing got tired and spooked down by the fire house and had to withdraw, but for those of us who got to witness the beauty, she was one lovely zebra.

*See all the parade photos on the Galesville Heritage Society website  
[www.galesvilleheritagesociety.org](http://www.galesvilleheritagesociety.org)*

I would like to express my gratitude to all helping to make this event so successful. It would take five typed pages to mention every one that rolled up their sleeves, pitched in



and helped. One just must know that again it took a village to make this happen. I hope you enjoyed the production as much as Penny (photographer) and I did. From all the judges, traffic directors, behind the scenes help and support from the Galesville Heritage Society, you deserve a special debt of gratitude. Thank you for the honor and opportunity to serve you in some small way. I will be unable to continue as the parade coordinator due to health reasons; thanks for the memories, laughs, and the pride of your trust in allowing me to serve Galesville.

Charlie Kidd



**THANK YOU CHARLIE!!**

**The parades have been great, thanks for all your time, effort and talent.**

## Galesville Heritage Museum

### Visit the Museum

The fall is a perfect time to visit the museum and enjoy what has been collected for display on the history and heritage of our village and the surrounding areas. Learn about the rich and diverse history of Galesville and the surrounding area. Our library of books and oral histories tell many stories of the past and present. If you call this village and area home, come and enjoy the heritage we enjoy.

The Museum is open on Sundays from 1-4 pm or for a special tour or appointment, call 410-867-4731. Stop by and see the changes made inside the museum, an on-

going effort to enhance the exhibits to give visitors a better understanding of our rich and varied history. Visit and let us know how we are doing.

We look forward to seeing you.

### “The Story of Stores”

If you haven't visited the museum to view the new exhibit “The Story of Stores”, there is still time.



On display are many photos and artifacts from the many stores. View the new video and learn how the stores played an essential role in every childhood in the village and how these small stores served both as a social and economic anchor in the history of Galesville.

### 50/50 Raffle, 2013

The winner of the 50/50 raffle was *Rick Derrick*—**congratulations!!** Your support helps pay for the 4th of July Parade and the museum and its many expenses.

### Volunteers Needed – NO MEETINGS TO ATTEND!

With a limited amount of time you can make a difference to the work at the museum and to the village of Galesville. Your help is greatly appreciated and needed.

#### Newspaper Clippings

#### Oral History Volunteer

#### Greeters and Docents

Coordinate educational and/or children projects at the museum.

Assist in fundraising opportunities and grant writing.

Write articles for quarterly newsletter.

#### Scrapbook production

If interested, please call 410-867-4731.

## Veterans' Day Observance, Monday, November 11

Veterans Day will be observed on Monday November 11 at 11:00 AM at Galesville Memorial Hall on Main Street. Join us at the Hall if you are a veteran, or member of a veteran's family, or friend or just want to be apart of this very moving program to thank all who have served our country. The

program will begin sharply at 11:00 AM and we ask you to please be seated by that time. Refreshments will be served.

If anyone wishes to participate, or display any items, call 410-867-4266. Set up is the day before on November 10.

## Art in the Village, Sunday, October 13

**Galesville Heritage Museum Celebrates Autumn By Welcoming you to Art in the Village**

**Sunday, October 13, 2013, 1 – 4 pm**

Enjoy a lovely fall afternoon, local artists and artisans will display their work and their pas-

sion. See how a potters clay becomes a work of art, a vision becomes a painting.

Refreshments served

For more information call 410-867-4731.



## Grants

GHS has been awarded several grants, which have significantly impacted our museum. *Our appreciation and grateful acknowledgement to the following:*

**Cultural Arts Foundation of Anne Arundel County, Chesapeake Bay Gateways Network, Chesapeake Bay Trust, Four Rivers: The Heritage Area of Annapolis, London Town and South County, Unity Gardens and M&T Bank.**

### Galesville Heritage Society Website

As of September 2 we have had 11,741 visitors to our website. For more information on our programs, events and the heritage of Galesville, visit our website often:

[www.galesvilleheritagesociety.org](http://www.galesvilleheritagesociety.org)

## Galesville Heritage Society, Inc.

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*The Mission of the Galesville Heritage Society is to:*

“promote an understanding of and appreciation for the history of the village of Galesville and its immediate environs, within its community and the general public. Its historical resources, educational outreach efforts, and the Galesville Heritage Museum serve as catalysts to collect, preserve, and research the area's history and the Society encourages others to do the same.”

## Calendar

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| Sept. 8 –  | Deadline for Dinner Reservations  | Oct. 29 – | Museum Meeting, Galesville Heritage Museum<br>7:30 pm                       |
| Sept. 10 – | Quarterly Dinner Galesville Memorial Hall,<br>6:30 pm   | Oct. 31 – | Halloween, treats and apple cider at the<br>Galesville Heritage Museum, 5pm |
| Sept. 19 – | Four Rivers Education Showcase, Maryland<br>Hall for the Creative Arts, 801 Chase St.,<br>Annapolis, 3-6 pm | Nov. 5 –  | Board Meeting, Galesville Memorial Hall<br>7:30 pm                          |
| Oct. 1 –   | Board Meeting, Galesville Memorial Hall<br>7:30 pm  | Nov. 11 – | Veterans' Day Observance, 11am<br>Galesville Memorial Hall                  |
| Oct. 12 –  | Wine Tasting, Antiques Appraisal, Galesville<br>Memorial Hall, 6-8 pm                                       | Nov. 26 – | Museum Meeting, Galesville Heritage Museum<br>7:30 pm                       |
| Oct. 13. – | Art in the Village, Galesville Heritage Museum<br>1-4 pm  | Nov. 28 – | Happy Thanksgiving  |

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## Membership Update

Thanks so much to each member that has supported the Galesville Heritage Society this past year. During 2013 we have 126 paid memberships, that have included 71 families, 46 individual and 9 businesses. The annual dues provide a large percentage of our budget and therefore are very important. We encourage everyone to renew for 2014 and invite friends and families to also join.

The membership renewals will be sent in early December and due by January 2014. The dues will remain the same:

Individual	\$20
Family	\$30
Business	\$35

We appreciate everyone's support and efforts, without the dedication of our members, we would not be able to continue preserving our very unique history.

*Susie Cosden,*  
Membership Chair

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