

Galesville Tidings

Winter 2022, Volume 23



GHS Winter Dinner

Hemingway to Hepburn

Tuesday, December 13 at 6:30PM

Galesville Memorial Hall

Please join us for a winter meal with guest speaker Jeff Beard.
(see below for description)

The dinner menu will be salad, rolls, meatloaf, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetable, and dessert.

The price for the dinner is \$20 per person for members and \$25 for nonmembers. Be sure you make your reservations by December 10, by contacting Dorothy Whitman 410-867-4731, or email her at dewhitman@verizon.net

Winter Dinner

Jeff Beard's Presentation: Hemingway to Hepburn: How America Created Sportfishing Yachts

Highlighting the Heritage of Wheeler, Egg Harbor, Rybovich & Chris-Craft Yachts



Hemingway deserves credit for helping to popularize sport fishing in the 1930s and 1940s, while writing Islands in the Stream and articles for Outdoor Life and Motor Boating.

Watercraft capable of venturing on big waters, conquering squall-driven waves, running tricky inlets, handling predictably in adverse conditions, of sheltering crew for rest and respite, must have a blue water sailor's soul and build.

Along with the Horatio Alger stories of builders of sport fishermen, some of the more colorful owners of these boats will be discussed. Because the Chesapeake Bay and mid-Atlantic were storied fishing grounds, examples of these vintage boats can be found on local waters.

(We will also reveal why Timid Tuna is berthed on the Rhode River)

Mark Your Calendar:

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| Christmas Caroling | Dec 4 |
| GHS Celebrates the Holidays | Dec 11 |
| GHS Quartley Dinner | Dec 13 |
| Winter Lecture Series | Jan 29 |
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| Maryland Day Weekend | April 2 |

Keep up to date on information for events times and details via email and Facebook.

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Like us on Facebook for up to date events and information. (Galesville Heritage Society, Inc.)

Join the fun...



Help us bring holiday cheer! (Meet at Museum and dress warmly in red and green.)

Ray "Santa" Hardesty will drive us around the village in his tractor-pulled wagon. We will have song sheets. Bring your bells and we will give lots of Christmas cheer to Galesville. Hot cider and cookies will be served at the museum after caroling.

Please call Ann Hewitt, at 410-867-6255 with any questions.

Christmas Caroling

Sunday, December 4

Time: 2-4 PM

Location: Galesville Heritage Museum



Celebrate the Holidays

Sunday, December 11

Time: 2-4 PM

Location: Galesville Heritage Museum

Join us at the Galesville Heritage Museum to celebrate the holidays. There will be an outdoor celebration with a firepit, refreshments, and for the kids who come by, a surprise. The hot fire and cider will warm our spirits as we prepare for the upcoming holidays.



Maryland Day Weekend

Sunday, April 2

Time: 1-4 PM

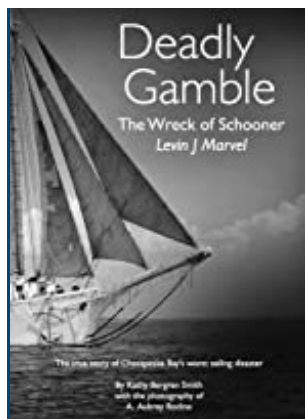
Location: Galesville Memorial Hall

Celebrating Maryland Day 2023, the Galesville Heritage Society and Deale Area Historical Society are partnering to present "Decoy Carvers of South County."

Decoys will be on display from some of the finest carvers in South County, signed by family names that have been in South County for decades - Phipps, Manifold, Knopp, Melton, Caldwell, Marshall, Collins, Windsor, Moreland and many more. Many of the carvers and/or their families will be on hand to demonstrate technique and answer your questions. Come and experience the heritage and history of duck carving in South County!

For more information call Dorothy at 410-867-4731 or Peggy at 410- 867-4281.

Winter Lecture Series



What is a Pound Net and how does it work?

Sunday, January 29

Time: 2 pm.

Location: Galesville Heritage Museum

Chuck Dixon will be on hand to explain what a pound net is and how it works. Chuck has a great display to visualize the process and explain a pound net.

The Deadly Gamble

Sunday, February 26

Time: 2 pm.

Location: Galesville Heritage Museum

Galesville's own Kathy Bergren Smith, Maritime Photojournalist, will discuss her new book, "The Deadly Gamble." Kathy tells the story of the Levin J. Marvel schooner, loaded with vacationers becoming the worst maritime tragedy on the Chesapeake Bay.

Past Events...

Old Maps & Boat Ride

Visitors viewed the Hopkins 1878 Atlas of Anne Arundel County with a 24 x 15-inch map of each of the districts. In addition, on display were historical maps illustrating Galesville's growth from colonial times to the 20th century.

In addition, boat tours aboard the "Miss Hazard" a 36-foot tuck-stern bateau were enjoyed. Thank you to Brian and Karen Czarnowski for sharing maritime history aboard the "Miss Hazard."

Halloween

Adrienne Day and Susie Cosden braved a spooky Halloween evening at the museum. Halloween goodies and drinks were available to scary costumed characters who all had a frightfully good time.



Fall Festival

The Pie Baking Contest was a great success! With 16 entries, First place winner was Susan Savage for her Key Lime Pie. Second place to Cel Petro for her Lemon Meringue Pie and Third place went to Bill Whitman for his Key Lime Pie. Thanks to our judges, Mark Steinlein, Karen Czarnowski and Brian Graves. The judges did an outstanding job while enjoying great pies! After the judging, the remaining delicious pie and pie slices were quickly sold. Many thanks to everyone who entered a pie and participated in this annual fun event.



Veterans Day

Galesville Heritage Society proudly recognizes its Veterans each Nov 11th. Whether they gave the last full measure of devotion, as some did, or have recently joined our community, GHS values all who put their own safety on the line in service to the Nation and our Community. All who fight to protect the country speaks to the love for us and our community. We love seeing our WWII Vet Captian Ed Grunwald USN, Korean War Vets Bob Kinzie and Mike Smith.

GHS Membership Report

THANK YOU! While GHS members are overwhelmingly from Galesville and the close-by areas of south county, we have members throughout Maryland, and from Washington State, Florida, California, North Carolina, Tennessee and Mississippi. GHS would like to welcome our newest members: Nancy Schlegel, and Jonathon & Justine McKnight.

Despite rising costs, our board of directors have been able to keep our dues at the same level because of the many hours they, and most importantly, the many hours individual members have devoted to the varied programs the GHS sponsors.

The Galesville Heritage Society would like to thank the following members for their donations more than membership donations. It's though these funds that we continue to make improvements to the museum property, both inside exhibits and building maintenance, and the outside grounds. Also, donations help to underwrite the quarterly dinners, speaker series, Veterans Day Observance and the 4th of July Parade, as well as other activities, without having to raise membership dues. We sincerely appreciate ALL of our members continued financial support.

William & Sarah Adams, Thomas & Lynne Aga, Wayne & Sydney Arny, Cliff & Tracey Arter, Duane Bailey & Kerstin Hanse, David & Verna Banner, Dick Bean & Shelley Hicks, Lois Bird, Leo & Martie Black, Bob Brant & Cathy Oliver, Rodney & Mimi Calver, Rick & Cecile Casali, Mark & Susan Case, Richard & Dotty Cassard, Calvert & Liddy Chaney, John & Betty Colhoun, Susan Cosden, John & Laura Cox, John & Linda Crandall, Lee & Diane Crockett, Stanley & Cynthia Czubat, Jim & Adrienne Day, Rick & Betsy Derrick, Charles & Deborah Dixon, Robert Dixon, Darrell & Wendy Dockery, Dan & Suzy Donohoe, Rich & Nancy Ferrer, Stanley & Rebecca Fredricks, James Fusco, Anthony & Irene Gamboa, Bill & Ginny Gargiulo, Faye Gessford & Gary Moreland, Drew & Molly Griffin, Collot Guerard, Guy Guthridge & Lynn Simarski, Cliff Habig & Mary Hoffman, Brian & Christine Haley, Hardesty Funeral Home*, Martha Hardesty, Jeanne Hartge, Preston and Jeanette Hartge, Hartge Yacht Harbor*, Louis Hays, Ann Hewitt, Jerry & Ava Hill, Rodney Hull, Jo Humber, Sylvia Jennings, Charles & Penny Kidd, Bob Kinzie, Elizabeth Levy, Lloyd Lewis, Gertrude Makell, Carl & Mary McWaters, Robert Moreland, Karlton & Carolyn Morris, Paul & Ruby Naas, Diane Nowak-Waring, John & Donna Olfson, Jon Opert Family, George & Melodie Pavlik, Pirate's Cove Marina*, William & Edna Wynn Raley, Dave & Barbara Rieger, Richard & Dottie Rodda, Eric & Rebecca Ruark, Sherry Schiller, Alex & Donna Schlegel, Steve & Audrey Sharkey, Lois Sheckells, Carol Sue Sherbert, Jody Stuart, Peter Siegert, Stoney & Cyrena Simons, Jeff & Kathleen Smith, Marvin & Sharon Solberg, Melodie Spicknall & Andrew Hartge, Judd & Joan Stafford, Stan & Joe's Riverside*, Mark Steinlein & Robin Allison, Mary Ruth Tereshinski, Julie Thackrah, Geoffrey Tobias, Christine Tucker, Jim & Julie Wechsler, Bruce & Roxanne Weidele, West River Improvement Association*, West River Yacht Harbor Condo Association*, John & Dorothy Whitman, Reed & Yang-ja Wickner, Neil & Eugenia Wilkie, Bill & Marti Woodfield, and Laura Zang. (*denotes business members)

Museum Closes for 2022 Season

Regular Sunday openings at the museum are over for the season.

There was a great turnout for the last day. Wine and cheese refreshments were served and visitors had a chance to socialize with friends and neighbors.

Regular openings resume on the last Sunday in April 2023. We hope you can attend and see what is new.

A visit to the museum is a wonderful way to introduce your guests and family to Galesville and its past. While the museum is closed until April, a member of the museum committee is sure to be able to arrange an opening for you. Just email your request to galesvillemuseum@gmail.com.

Yard Clean up at the Museum

Weeding, pruning, raking – all the necessary spring and fall chores – were accomplished at the museum by our hearty volunteers at the annual clean ups. Thanks to all who volunteered: Dick Bean and Shelley Hicks, Susie Cosden, Cynthia Czubat, Jim Chandler, Guy Guthridge, Rick & Betsy Derrick, Dottie Rodda, Martie & Leo Black, Diane Nowak-Waring, Mark Steinlein, Geoff Tobias, Joan Bell, Bruce Weidele and Robert Emmet.

If you missed out, no fear, we'll be looking for you to help in the spring.

Be on the lookout for your 2023 GHS Membership letter following the winter holidays. Please consider joining or renewing your Galesville Heritage Society membership. We hope you will help to keep our Heritage and History alive for future generations!

**Martie Black, Membership:
410 867-7075**

Docent Thank You

The Galesville Heritage Society would like to thank all the docents for volunteering at the Galesville Heritage Museum this season.

Special thank you to Karen Czarnowski, our docent coordinator, for all her time and energy keeping track of the docent schedule.

The generous contribution of your time and energy makes it possible for us to share our community's and our region's special legacy with visitors, residents, family and friends. Please know that your volunteer efforts are greatly appreciated. We could not pursue our mission without your help.

The Galesville Heritage Museum has many wonderful stories to tell about our community's more than 350-year history. Thank you for helping to discover, preserve, and share them for residents, visitors, and future generations. Thanks to the 2022 docents: Eric Ruark, Ann Hewitt, Jeff Beard, Susie Cosden, Bruce Weidele, Cynthia Czubat, Dorothy Whitman, Betsy Derrick, Kathy Smith, Bill Gibbons, Chris Tucker, Jim Chandler, Mark Steinlein and Adrienne Day.

Message from President

Congratulations everyone for making it through another challenging year, albeit a huge improvement over 2021.

GHS was pretty much back to business as usual, with most of the usual events. Thanks go out to all our volunteers who have made the Galesville Heritage Society a continuing success for over 30 years with new events, new exhibits and stories of Galesville and new members. We are not a collection of dusty memories, the Board and Officers are always looking for ways to keep the GHS relevant to the lives of our community and visitors.

Even with our many successes, our attendance at the Quarterly Dinners is off. I'd like to encourage everyone in the community to join in the fun and fellowship. There is no better way to catch up with your neighbors than over a delicious meal prepared by someone else. We have been lining up some very interesting speakers who should provide insights into topics of interest to the



community; and don't forget the Winter Speaker series during January and February.

It has been a pleasure to once again serve alongside a wonderful group of board members and volunteers; thank you all. If you're new to the community and would like to take a more active role in the affairs of the Galesville Heritage Society, please let us know and we'll get you started.

My best wishes for a happy holiday season and I look forward to seeing everyone in the new year at some of our many events.

~GHS President: Jim Chandler

Elections

As prescribed in the GHS bylaws, we will conduct the annual Board of Directors and Officer elections at the Quarterly Dinner which is scheduled for Tuesday Dec 13th. At that time we will take nominations from the floor to go along with the proposed slate of Board members. All the current Board members have agreed to return for next year. If anyone would like to join the Board please let us know so you can be approved by the membership.

Amazon Smiles

When you shop at Amazon, especially at the holiday season, please go to www.smile.amazon.com and choose the Galesville Heritage Society as your charitable organization. What an easy way to support the museum!

When you do, the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% to the Galesville Heritage Society for every purchase. Be sure to tell friends and family!



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.”