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ABRAHAM LINCOLN
A 50-Year Private
Collection
by Dwight Schaaf
March 4 - November 20

ROUND BARN EXHIBIT
July 10-15
Howard Co. Fairgrounds
Barns & Basketball

GREENTOWN HISTORICAL SOCIETY



Abraham Lincoln Exhibit

Abraham Lincoln was our 16th President from 1861-1865. He was one of four presidents assassinated while in office. Dwight Schaaf has a love of all things "Lincoln". Mr. Lincoln stood for honesty and integrity and was a most eloquent writer. A man you could respect.

Admission is free and the facility is handicap accessible. Public and home schooled students are welcome. Hours by appointment may be made by contacting Mr. Schaaf at 765-438-1186 or 628-2035 or the history center 765-628-3800 and greentownhistory@comcast.net



Eight grade students from Maple Crest visit the history center and enjoy the Lincoln Exhibit. Dwight Schaaf is pictured with two interested students.



Rev. Stuart Davis and his daughter, Rowynn, found the Lincoln Exhibit very appropriate for a Howard County school report. Rowynn enjoyed the interactive display.

Bean Supper

Special thanks to Carolyn Cogdell, Paula Shrock and Teri Duke who prepared the bean soup, corn bread, and desserts. The profit was about \$372.



Claire Hubbard, Porter Brovont, Jaden Echelbarger, Clayton Miller, Baleigh Hullinger

Volunteers Needed in Photo Archives

Volunteers are encouraged to come by and help in Photo Archives. If interested, please contact Rachel Jenkins at rjenkins.grapevine@gmail.com or call her at 765-860-3746.



Craig Trott enjoying the scan work in Photo Archives

2017 Annual Meeting

Dean Schaaf will be the guest speaker for the annual meeting on Thursday, November 2. Dean worked for NASA and is a Navy veteran and curator at Veteran Memorial Museum in Merritt Island, Florida. More information to follow.

Living Biography Winners

These top five 7th grade students were selected for their living biography papers. Claire chose Sue Hubbard; Porter chose George Howell; Jaden chose John Echelbarger; Clayton chose Brenda Esterly; and Baleigh chose Clarence Armstrong. The students are given about 30 seconds to read a portion of their biography to the whole seventh grade class and others in the audience. The featured adults chosen for the biographies were encouraged to say a few words as well. This is a great opportunity for students to learn research techniques, dig into the past of those they admire, and to practice public speaking.

Hours of Operation

The Greentown Historical Society is open Saturdays from 1-4; Sundays from 2-4; and Mondays from 1-4 P.M. There are no exhibits in January and February. Closed Labor Day weekend & July 1-3.

New summer hours of operation will be 5 - 7 pm just before the Music at the Fountain begins unless moved to the high school Performing Arts Center

Greentown Historical Society Newsletter

The next publication of this newsletter is scheduled for September. Please submit any articles of interest or pictures to Kim Patton at 1kim.patton@gmail.com or call or text at (502) 235-2757.

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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