

# CONCRETE HERITAGE MUSEUM ASSOCIATION Spring/Summer 2016

P O Box 445, Concrete, WA 98237  
[www.concreteheritagemuseum.org](http://www.concreteheritagemuseum.org)  
(With thanks to Bill Pfeifer, Technology Specialist)

NEW: We have a Facebook page! "Like" us!  
see what's new, and comment.

**Monthly Meeting:**  
3<sup>RD</sup> WEDNESDAY 7:00 pm  
Moved to the COMMUNITY CENTER for  
June, July, and August. Usually at Museum.  
EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

#### 2016 OFFICERS

President: John Lloyd 484-575-6374  
Vice-President - Robin Wood 826-3075  
Secretary - Gail Boggs 853-8347  
Treasurer - Cheri Cook-Blodgett 853-8533

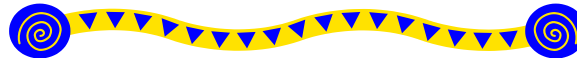
**THE MUSEUM IS OPEN  
SATURDAYS FROM NOON TO 4 PM  
MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND  
THROUGH SEPTEMBER**



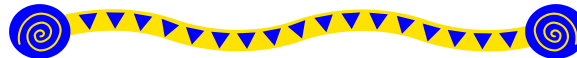
2016 Museum Logo designed by Bowen Beals.  
Purchase a new logo T-shirt at the Museum (\$20)

**BAKE SALES AT CONCRETE  
SATURDAY MARKET  
JULY 9<sup>TH</sup> AND AUGUST 13<sup>TH</sup>**  
Donate your baked  
specialty,  
or come buy a treat  
and support the Museum.

JOIN US FOR THE ANNUAL  
SUMMER POTLUCK AND PARTY  
AUGUST 17TH (Wednesday)  
CONCRETE COMMUNITY CENTER



**Save your yard sale items and  
donate them to the Museum.  
We participate in the  
Concrete Swap Meet  
Saturday, September 3rd**



**Our friends and families  
love  
Concrete's Annual  
GHOST WALKS**

**Every Saturday night in  
October, meet at the  
Concrete Theatre.**

**Ghost Stories night at the  
Theatre, to be announced**

**REMEMBER TO RENEW!** *We rely on the caring  
people in our local community to support the Museum.  
Your membership pays for insurance, electricity, heating,  
advertising, and other annual expenses.*

Your current membership expired (or will expire) on:

**2016-2017 SEASON --- OUR 21ST YEAR  
ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION  
( OR RENEWAL )**

RETURN THIS PAGE TO:

**Concrete Heritage Museum  
P O Box 445  
Concrete, WA 98237**

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
or  
Business  
name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks out to "Concrete Heritage Museum".

\_\_\_\_\_ \$25 INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP (annual)

\_\_\_\_\_ \$50 FAMILY or BUSINESS MEMBERSHIP (annual)

\$\_\_\_\_\_ Additional for Building Fund (Thank you!)

\_\_\_\_\_ I can volunteer to help with Museum projects.

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Best time to call: \_\_\_\_\_ Day, or \_\_\_\_\_ Evening

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

We are NOT supported by tax dollars, but we  
ARE a 501(c)(3) organization and your  
contributions are tax deductible.

## HIGHLIGHTS FROM OUR 2015 SEASON:

The 2015 [Swap Meet](#) event was a successful fund-raiser, and we will be repeating for a third annual on Saturday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> (Labor Day weekend). Start now with your home clean-out! Call a board member for more information.

[Ghost Walks](#) in October bring historic characters to life! We coordinate with the Chamber of Commerce on this month-long event, and share the proceeds. Dress up, pick your favorite “haunt”, and be part of the fun this fall.

We have started to [renovate the Annex](#) (former Sockeye Garage area) with drywall and a drop ceiling. Work is in progress. We need to finish this project so we can move display items from the Puget Sound Energy storage area and put them into the new exhibit space.

The Office door was falling apart, and has been replaced. The Museum floor is being stripped and repainted. We plan to replace deteriorating windows in the Office area this summer.

An August, 2015 presentation at the Concrete Theatre highlighted the photography of Darius Kinsey, and his work in the logging camps of the Cascades. We also sponsored a February, 2016 presentation on Mt. Baker Volcano Research at the Theatre.

The new [Museum Cookbooks](#) went on sale in December (\$16), with dozens of great recipes contributed by members, compiled by Gail Boggs, and featuring artwork by volunteer Bowen Beals. Copies are available at the Museum, Alberts, 5b's Bakery, or order on our web site (publications page).

John Lloyd has started a Concrete Heritage Museum [Facebook](#) page, and we invite you to log in and see what's new. This is your opportunity to share interesting news items, or comment on what others have added to the site.

We love the Concrete Library's [“Cache in Concrete”](#) summer program. We had a cache site in 2015 at the Museum, and are thrilled that the 2016 program has an expanded Concrete History emphasis. Pick up a brochure and follow the clues to learn more about the town.

We celebrated our 2015 success stories at the annual [Summer Potluck \(August meeting\)](#), and [Christmas Party \(December meeting\)](#). Join us in 2016 at the Concrete Community Center for more good food and fun with friends.

--Support us as you shop: Sign up for the Fred Meyer Community Rewards Program, [www.fredmeyer.com/communityrewards](http://www.fredmeyer.com/communityrewards) or the Amazon Smile program. <http://smile.amazon.com>

**Strategic Planning Goals** for the next year(s) include:

- \_\_ Continue renovation of the Annex
- \_\_ Move all Museum display items out of PSE storage area and create exhibits
- \_\_ Enclose the breezeway to create new Museum entrances.
- \_\_ Make plans to resurface parking and walkway areas, and provide ADA access. Research grant funding.
- \_\_ The Log Rail Car (outdoor display) is deteriorating, and needs major rehab.
- \_\_ Create a self-guided tour book for the Museum displays.
- \_\_ Find ways to have more liaison activities with schools and the community
- \_\_ Continue to recruit new members



--The regular meeting night is the Third Wednesday of every month, 7:00 at the Museum. Mark your calendars! We welcome your ideas at any meeting! And, you can purchase our new Logo T-Shirt (sizes Med to XXXL, dark green)