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MEMBERSHIP!
CONCRETE
HERITAGE
MUSEUM

P O Box 445, Concrete, WA 98237
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SPRING, 2022

www.concreteheritagemuseum.org

2022 OFFICERS

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Board meetings are held at the Museum on the third Wednesday of the month at 6:00 pm.

ANNUAL CALENDAR for 2022:

MUSEUM OPEN EVERY SATURDAY FROM NOON TO 4:00 PM. MEMORIAL DAY (MAY 28) THROUGH SEPTEMBER 24.

We welcome anyone who would like to help us host visitors to join us. Learn about local history as you interact with our docents.

BAKE SALES AT SATURDAY MARKET.

June 25th

July 16th

August 13

Members, please donate baked goods packaged in individual servings. Contact Leatha, Gail or Cheri to donate. Come to the Market and enjoy the vendors and produce. **RAFFLE COMING UP! Buy tickets at the bake sales for a set of cookware and a basket of kitchen gifts, plus a Museum cookbook.**

CASCADE DAYS INFORMATION BOOTH

Saturday, August 20th

Volunteers will be needed for short shifts at our booth in Veterans Park.

ANNUAL MUSEUM POTLUCK PICNIC

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17

Location to be announced. This informal gathering is held on the regular monthly meeting date. Prospective members are encouraged to attend.

GHOST WALK TOURS We hope to again hold this annual October fund-raiser. Check with the Chamber of Commerce at 360-853-8767 for updates.

Everyone is welcome! We strive to preserve the health and safety of all volunteers and visitors. Masks and hand sanitizer are available at the Museum and all events. Please observe all current COVID regulations

WE RELY ON OUR LOYAL COMMUNITY MEMBERS TO HELP PRESERVE OUR HISTORIC RESOURCES. THANK YOU FOR RENEWING YOUR MEMBERSHIP!!

2022-2023 SEASON --- OUR 27TH YEAR

FILL OUT AND 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".

_____ \$30 INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP (annual)

_____ \$60 FAMILY or BUSINESS MEMBERSHIP (annual)

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

\$_____ Memorial donation for _____.

_____ 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. Questions? Call Cheri at (360) 853-8533

VOLUNTEERS ARE WELCOME TO PARTICIPATE IN ALL ACTIVITIES!



SUPPORT THE MUSEUM BY DONATING TO THE BUILDING FUND

This past year's renovation projects and limited visitor contacts have severely depleted our reserves. Please help us continue our work by adding a donation to the Building Fund OR a Memorial donation when you renew your membership.

TWO (VERY EASY) WAYS TO DONATE:

--Support us as you shop!

Sign up for Fred Meyer rewards:

www.fredmeyer.com/communityrewards

Sign up for Amazon Smile program:

<http://smile.amazon.com>

Contact Cheri Cook-Blodgett for information.

Memorial donations to the Museum are greatly appreciated. A minimum \$25 donation will insure a brass memorial name plate with the name of your loved one on our memorial display in the Museum. Contact Gail Boggs for information.



Returning in 2022:

Artist Don Smith's popular T-shirt design of the Thompson Bridge will be back in our gift shop.

Other new items include a Museum logo keychain/toolkit, and Concrete water bottles.

Books are on sale in the gift area, or they can be ordered on the Museum web site in the "Publications" section.

"So They Called the Town Concrete" \$18

Museum Cookbook \$16

"The Story of Kate" - \$18

"Tell Edith Goodbye" - \$19.95

Robin Wood, 8 titles, in paperback (\$15) or hardcover (\$20)

VISIT OUR WEB SITE:

www.concreteheritagemuseum.org

We continue to add old photos, maps, Concrete Herald pages and more....it's a wonderful resource! Take a virtual Museum Display Tour, enjoy the exhibit photos and learn the history behind the items on display.

We have also received many "new" photographs and VIDEOS from the Skagit County Museum, and are posting them on the web site.

VISIT OUR FACEBOOK PAGE:

Concrete Heritage Museum Assn.

Keep up with what's new!

Like us, and post comments.

DURING COVID WE WERE LIMITED IN VISITORS, BUT WE ACCOMPLISHED A LOT! IT'S TIME TO GEAR UP FOR MORE IMPROVEMENTS AT THE MUSEUM...

**Strategic Planning Goals:
RECRUIT NEW MEMBERS!**

__Recent years have taken away many of our active Museum members, and we need to recruit some talent. If anyone would like to write a monthly article for the Concrete Herald, we want to hear from you! Hosts are also needed to help our docents on Saturdays at the Museum, and this would be a great opportunity to take a look at our collection of local history books and expand your knowledge of the Upper Skagit.

__Renovations in the Annex as we add displays. Museum exhibits will include "This Boy's Life" memorabilia, and a TV/video player. We will be able to play historic videos for guests, and you can sit in historic Concrete Theatre seats.

__Another video player was added in the Museum and we are now showing a series of scanned historic photos of Concrete from the late 1800's through the 1930's.

__We are planning to have a local contractor level and plant grass seed in the lawn area this summer, as the ground becomes drier.