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NEWSLETTER OF *THE SCHUYLER COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY*
& THE BRICK TAVERN MUSEUM

COMING EVENTS:

MARCH 19, 2016:

Women's History Month:

Susan B. Anthony Portrayal

ANITA GASTON WILL PORTRAY MISS ANTHONY AND TELL HER STORY IN A FIRST PERSON NARRATIVE. 1 PM AT THE BRICK TAVERN MUSEUM. MEMBERS \$3, GUESTS \$5.

APRIL 9, 2016:

The Hidden Treasures Gala

FUNDRAISER FOR THE SCHUYLER COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY AT THE WATKINS GLEN HARBOR HOTEL . SEE PAGE 3.

APRIL 21, 2016:

Annual Members Meeting

DINNER, ANNUAL REPORT, ELECTION OF OFFICERS & A SPECIAL PRESENTATION BY DENNIS MORRIS WITH 'DIA-GRAPHICS' OF THE BATTLE OF GETTYSBURG AND CIVIL WAR LETTERS AT MONTOUR FALLS MOOSE LODGE. NON-MEMBERS \$12/MEMBERS \$10 RESERVATIONS APPRECIATED.

MAY 22, 2016:

Annual Breakfast 8-11am

AT MONTOUR FALLS MOOSE LODGE.

JULY 20, 2016:

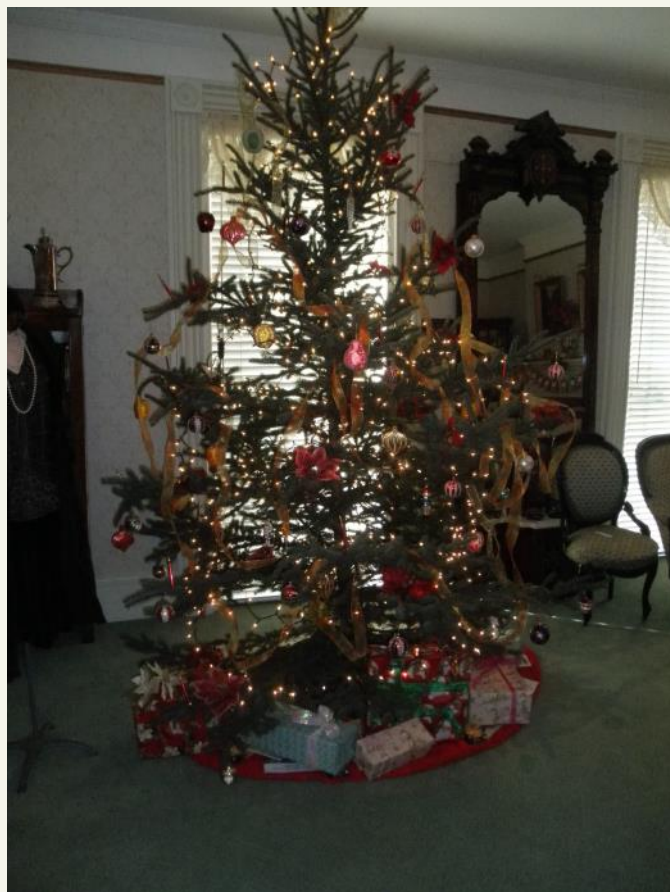
Bus Trip to Susan B. Anthony House in Rochester NY.

MEMBERS \$60; OTHERS \$65. INCLUDES LUNCH. RESERVATIONS REQUIRED.

LOOK WHAT YOU'VE MISSED!

Our Annual Holiday Open House was a success! We decorated our Brick Tavern Museum in traditional fashion and hosted a very special afternoon affair with over fifty attendees. All had a wonderful time and it was a joy for all to visit with folks we hadn't seen in some time. Thank you to Les Wilson for donating the beautiful white spruce that reached the height of our ceiling!

Thank you to all the volunteers who decorated and worked to make the occasion such a pleasure.



Annual Members Meeting

The annual meeting will be on April 21, 2016 at 6pm, at the Montour Falls Moose Lodge. This will be a dinner meeting; dinner will be chicken alfredo/stuffed shells, salad, vegetable and bread. There will be a presentation by Dennis Morris with 'diagraphics' of the Battle of Gettysburg and Civil War letters. The agenda will include an election of officers & trustees, as well as a vote on adopting new Mission and Vision Statements, below. Non-members \$12, Members \$10. Reservations appreciated.

Proposed Mission Statement:

The mission of the Schuyler County Historical Society is to collect documents and artifacts related to the history of the area and to insure their preservation and availability for present and future generations.

Proposed Vision Statement:

The vision of the Schuyler County Historical Society is to enrich people's lives by connecting them to the past. The Society will actively try to:

Increase public awareness and involvement	Expand programs and special events
Strengthen financial security & independence.	Improve organizational effectiveness.

It's Membership Renewal Time!

If you have not submitted your 2016 membership form, it's not too late to send it in. If you need a 2016 membership call 607-535-9741 or go to www.schuylerhistory.org/membership.html. If you're not a member, won't you consider joining the team in supporting the Society. Membership benefits include a copy of THE JOURNAL, our quarterly historical publication and free access to our research library!

Please Support our 2016 Business Members

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Call 607-535-9741 to arrange for your ad to be placed in four newsletter in 2016!

 Proudly presents....

A Fundraiser for the Schuyler County Historical Society!

THE HIDDEN TREASURES GALA

April 9th, 2016

At the Watkins Glen Harbor Hotel

6:00 Cocktail Hour / 7:00 Dinner

Special Waterfalls History Presentation

8:00-10:00 Dancing to Music by Hep-Cats

Raffle & Silent Auction

Advance Tickets Only -\$75 per person

Look for your invitation in the mail!

Preview raffle & auction items at www.schuylerhistory.org on the News page.

Please support our additional sponsors:

Famous Brands, Lakewood Vineyards, Lakeside Veterinary Services,
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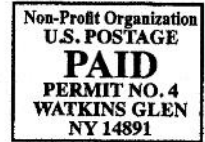
Donate one of your Antique Items to be included in the Silent Auction at the Gala!

The Board will be reviewing antique items for the Gala Auction. If you have an antique item you would like to be considered for the auction to help raise money for the Society, please call the Director, Irene Wilson, at 607-535-9741. Because we are a 501c-3, the value of your donated item may be tax deductible.

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How long
has it been since
you've stopped by the
**BRICK TAVERN
MUSEUM?**

Now is a great time
to stop in!

Things are always
changing!

Get access to all the materials
in our Research Room, visit
our gift / book shop, tour the
exhibits or just read a book on
your favorite historical sub-
ject.

Keep an eye on the events
listed in the Newsletter and
on our website to see what
programs and events we've
planned for the community's
enjoyment.

WINTER HOURS:

Tues. thru Fri.

10am—4pm

SPRING HOURS:

start on May 1st.

T, W & F 10-4

Thur 1:30-7

Special hours may be available
by appointment only.