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New Feature

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This months Newsletter Dedication: Deacon Harvey and Mamie Peek



My name is Dr. Constance Peek-Longmire and I am a Trustee at the Twinsburg Historical Society. I am pleased to highlight my parents Deacon Harvey and Mamie Peek of Twinsburg Township (heights). My dad was one of the first black business owners in Twinsburg Heights and my mom was a nurturing and immaculate homemaker. We owned a construction company called Peek's Asphalt. My parents migrated from Georgia to Ohio for a better quality of life without racism. They were God fearing and encouraged education and healthy eating. We had gardens and raised our own vegetables. My fondest memories of gardening was my mother canning tomatoes and growing pumpkins for my daughter. My parents were highly respected in the Township and Twinsburg City.

September was a terribly busy month. Our 2020 Scholarship winner is Drew Baird who is a rising freshman at Wooster. He won our hearts with his unflinching enthusiasm as he shared many hours doing maintenance and repair. He served as docent during some of our open houses and charmed the visitors. Trustee Beverly Klimas declared that he was an exceptional young man. He promised to come back and we cannot wait.

We are learning all about going virtual. Because we were unable to do the third-grade class assignment at the Olde Thyme Fayre Keith Harris created a digital tour that will be available for the third-grade grade teachers. Beverly Klimas, Bonnie Williams, Dr. Constance Longmire, Kim Barret Mulasky, Veronica Hughes and Stephanie Wike lead the virtual tour in the museum. Carole Krupa and Lynn Verbic worked with Stephanie also created craft activities for Charlotte's Corner in the barn. Ken Roddie led the tour in the rest of the barn. We even have a Power Point presentation demonstrating the printing press, thanks to Kim Mazey and Bob Davet.

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October Newsletter

Mark Your Calendar

September 27, 2PM-5PM, Open House at the Museum

October 7, 7PM, Trustee Meeting

October 16, Virtual, **Tales of Locust Grove**

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October 25, 2PM-5PM, Open House at the Museum and Riley House

November 4, 7PM, Trustee Meeting

November 22, 2PM-5PM, Open House at the Museum, **Program: National Association of Watch & Clock Collectors (2-4PM)**

December 2, 7PM-9PM, Riley House, **Annual Christmas Party**

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New Members:

Keith Harris

Karen H. Disque

We are planning on adding to our digital library for the website.

There was a real time activity on the September 12 and 13. There was a scavenger hunt around the square and local businesses helped us out by giving us prizes for the participants. Special thanks go to Dunkin, Handel's Ice Cream, George's Donuts, Dairy Queen, "R" Fun House, Twila's Treasures, 91 Nutrition, and Master Crafts. Answers did not have to be perfect and guessing was encouraged.

"Tales of Locust Grove" will also be digital this year. We will be taping on location so you will be able to see the characters right by their graves. We are assembling the cast and editing the scripts so everyone will have a chance to wander the cemetery from the comfort of their living rooms. We will be back live, next year but we are so happy that we have this to keep our stories alive.

Work continues on the foundation of the Moses Roach House as we work to preserve and protect that historic treasure. We are also opening the Riley House on days when the Museum is open. Please check the website for those days. Difficult times are the stuff of history. Please consider sharing some of the challenges you are facing. We will archive them for future generations.

Please remember that it is your membership dues and your generous donations that keep us doing this good work. Many of our fundraising activities have had to be curtailed so your contributions are even more critical.

The League of Woman Voters has had a table for all of our summer events to give people a chance to register to vote and get help with absentee ballots and encourage people to consider becoming a poll worker for the November election.

Check out our Facebook page and website to keep current. Suggestions are welcome.

Renewing Members:

Eleanor Smith

Christopher & Cassandra
Falcone



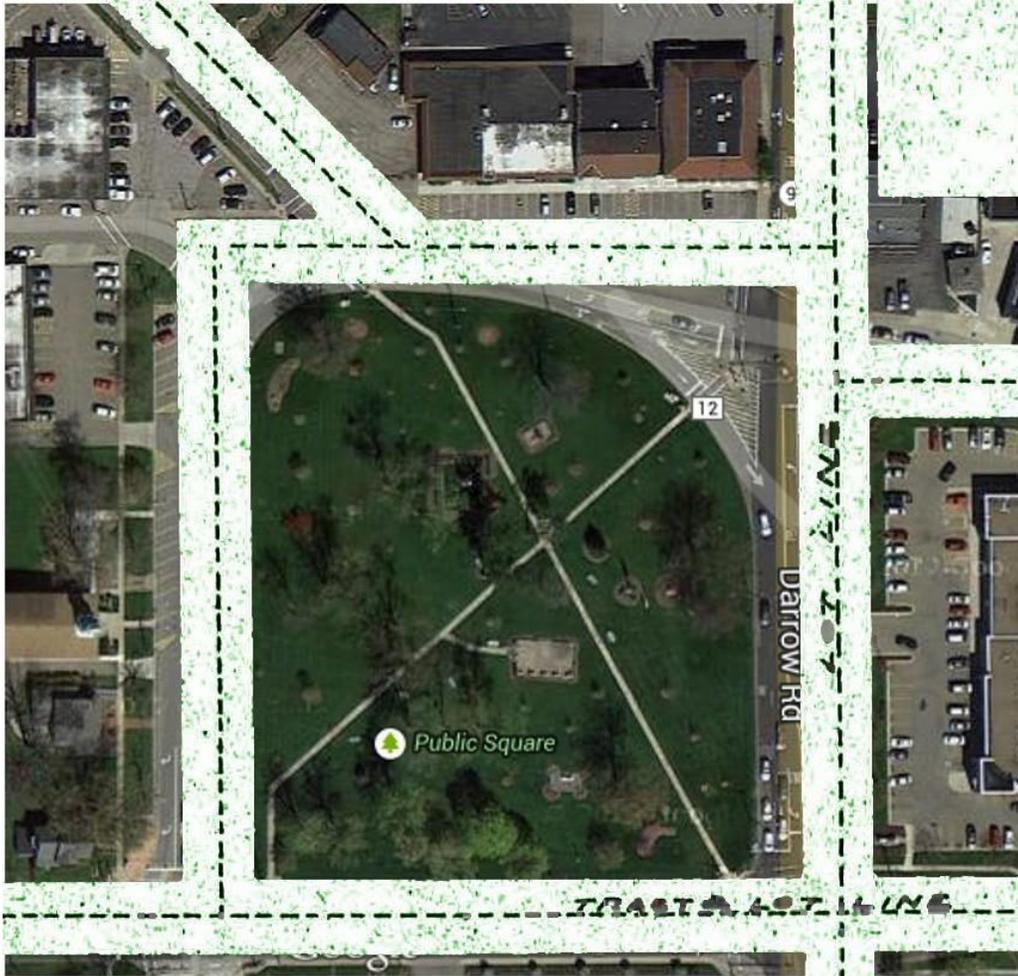
**Roach House
Basement Wall
Repair**



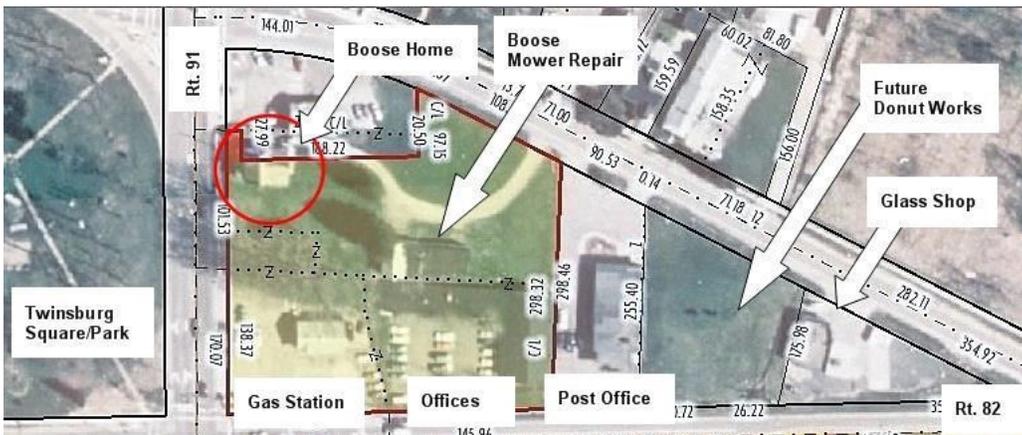
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