



Clinton County Historical Society

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Museum at Mint Festival

America 250 Party a Success

Thanks to all who attended our America 250 birthday party on July 23rd at the Museum.

Although it had been delayed a week due to smoke in the air, fortunately none of our planned activities had to be canceled including the music and food truck.



Birthday cake served



Our new Railroad/Interurban Exhibit



The CCHS Museum will have special hours during the St. Johns Mint Festival. On Friday, August 7th it will be open from 2-5 pm and on Saturday, August 8th from 10:30 am—2 pm.

In addition to tours of the Paine-Gillam-Scott House, General Store, and Carriage House, kid's activities and sale items will also be available.

Along with a continuation of the RBW exhibit, the second floor has been renovated with new Interurban-railroad and America 250 exhibits.

If it happens to be a hot day, no worries as the main house is now airconditioned so you can enjoy the exhibits in comfort.



County Societies Meet

The Clinton County local historical societies and museums met on July 11th at Bath.

Julie Peters of the CCHS shared progress on the reorganization of the archives room and the current project of digitizing the vital record card file. She also talked about the Clinton County Historical Museum's new exhibits and a fall Mt. Rest Cemetery walk.

Ken Miller of the Ovid Historical Society has been busy collecting, organizing, and printing plat maps.

Rose Marie Thering and Molly Weslock of the Elsie Historical Society have been cataloging and organizing donated items.

Sue, Chris, and Kate Hagerman and Bruce Harte from the Bath School Museum are working on preparations for the 100th year anniversary of the Bath School Explosion arriving in May of next year. They recently received an America250 grant which allowed them to purchase a scanner which is being used to digitize their collection.

Westphalia couldn't attend, but they're hosting a farm home exhibit at their museum.