

Marshall Historical Society

Looking to the past to inspire our future

Newsletter

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Marshall Historical Society
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Website:
www.marshallhistsoc.org

Next Meeting
7.30 pm on
Thursday
October 15
Town Hall,
Deansboro

Join!
Provide your name
and address to the
secretary and pay
the membership fee:
individual: \$ 10.00
family: \$ 15.00

Donate!
Your donations to
the Marshall
Historical Society are
tax deductible.

Officers were re-elected at our September 17, 2009 meeting as follows:
President, Dorothy McConnell; Vice-President, William Koren;
Secretary/Treasurer, Carol Gilley with Trustees: Joanne Bolan, John
McConnell, Edith Eastman, Anne Jasek, and Howard West.

Dues are payable to Carol Gilley, Treasurer, at P.O. Box 232, Deansboro, at
\$10 per person or \$15 per family. The 2009-2010 budget was approved.

We want to thank Carol and Steve Mackintosh who shared with us on
September 17, 2009, a fascinating power point illustrated account of their
tandem bicycle ride across the United States from Virginia to Oregon in
2008.

There was a book signing at the Cruisin' to Waterville at the village Park at
Edith and John Reile's booth from 1-4 p.m. on September 19th. Dorothy
McConnell and Yvonne Brady sold 25 books. We have now sold 200
books and ordered and received 50 more on September 26, 2009. We again
want to thank all the farmers for their input, who helped make this book
possible.

Oneida County History Day was held at Whitesboro Park on Saturday,
October 3, 2009 from noon to 3p.m. Carol Gilley and Joanne Bolan
represented our society on that day. They set up a display of our current
books and Hop House note paper.

Dorothy McConnell sold the Marshall Barn & Farms Book at the Apple
Fest at the Deansboro Congregational United Church House from 11-3p.m.
on October 3rd.

At our meeting at the Town Hall at 7:30p.m. on October 15, 2009, David
Staley will report his findings on the archaeological dig at the site of the
Cheese Factory on State Route 315. Come join us for this informative
meeting. Fern Biederman has agreed to furnish refreshments. I shall help
with drinks.

See you on October 15th! Come and bring a friend. All are welcome.

Dorothy McConnell, President

Oneida County History Day

Oneida County History Day was celebrated on October 3, 2009. Ten historical societies gathered on the Whitesboro Village Green for a special program commemorating the 225th anniversary of the arrival of Hugh White, the first settler in the area.

Richard E. Pugh, Mayor of the Village of Whitesboro, presented highlights of people and events relating to Oneida Country History.

Guided tours of the Village Green, Town Hall (1807), Wetmore house (1785), and Dunham Public Library (1873) enriched the event for its participants.



Joanne Bolan and Carol Gilley represented the Marshall Historical Society at the event. They set up a table and poster featuring the new Town of Marshall Barns & Farms book. Other societies also set up interesting displays.

Donation by Eleanor Dawes

Eleanor Dawes donated the following articles:

- 8x10 black & white photo of Civil Defense Committee after WWII
- 8x10 black & white photo taken in 1963 of 50th Anniversary of Travelers Club
- 1942-Womens Mechanics Class with Hardie Sanders
- 1917 letter to Mr. Saymour Lloyd from

Brothertown Farms, W.A.Salisbury,
Superintendent

- 1931 Tax Paid Stamp for uncolored Oleomargarine
- Community Fallout Shelter Plan for Herkimer & Oneida Counties
- 1945 Sportsman's Map of United States and Canada

Our thanks to Eleanor for her memorabilia.

