

SCCA News

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Shade Community Center
Association

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Schedule of Events

Sept. 9 — Jammin' in Jerseyville, 7-10 pm
 Sept. 10 — Recycling, 8 am — noon
 Sept. 14 — SCCA meeting, 7 pm
 Sept. 15 — SSCA (Seniors) meeting, 7 pm
 Sept. 20 — SLHGA (History) meeting, 6:30 pm
 Sept. 27 — SCCA Executive meeting, 7 pm
 Sept. 29 — SSCA Potluck, 5:30 pm

Oct. 8 — Recycling, 8 am — noon
Oct. 8 — Jerseyville Festival
 Oct. 12 — SCCA meeting, 7 pm
 Oct. 13 — Seniors' Fundraiser, 11:30 am
 Oct. 14 — Jammin' in Jerseyville, 7-10 pm
 Oct. 18 — SLHGA (History) meeting, 6:30 pm
 Oct. 27 — SSCA Potluck, 5:30 pm
Oct. 29 — Halloween Party

Mondays & Wednesdays — 6:30 - 9 pm
 Open Gym Basketball
 Tuesdays — 6-9 pm
 Open Computer Lab & Library open
 Thursdays 11-2 "Open Center"
 Potluck at noon
 Home Ec room open
 Computer room open

Making Fall Memories

It's that time again, when we celebrate fall with our annual Jerseyville Festival. Mark your calendar for October 8th, the second Saturday.

This marks the seventh year for this event! Yes, the SCCA has been around for longer than that.

The entire day features musical entertainment, with The Hart Brothers performing two sets. Remember Then, the Jerseyville Jammers, Boyd Ruth and friends, and the Federal Valley Cloggers are also on the program, as is Alex Couladis. See the flyer on page 3 for schedule.

Jerry Foster is chairing the event for the fifth straight year. Jerry notes that there will be a variety of arts and craft vendors, good food, apple butter and cider making and, of course, cow patty bingo! Kids' activities are planned, including a "bouncy house".

A pie baking contest is also being held. Watch for information, so you can plan preparation of your winning entry.

A "Sampler Quilt" pieced by Evonne Mouw of the Sew 'n' Sews Quilt Guild and quilted by Henry Brown is being raffled. The quilt was donated by Geraldine Howard to benefit the Shade Community Center. See page 4 for flyer show-

ing design. Teresa Winning will have tickets for sale at the Center on Tuesdays from 10 am to 4 pm in the Home Ec Room.

Jerry Foster reports that All Power Equipment has donated a weed eater, which also is to be raffled.

Returning to memories ...

Darleen Innis chaired the event in 2005 and 2006, its first two years, when many of the traditions for the event were established: lots of musical entertainment, arts and crafts vendors, "downhome" food, and cow patty bingo.



Dixie Cantrell exhibiting in 2005.



The Jersey cow in 2006.

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SCCA Meeting Highlights

July 13, 2011 Monthly SCCA Meeting

Debbie McAdoo reported the findings of the Financial Review Committee for 2010: only minimal errors and discrepancies such as transposed numbers were found.

Security alarms donated by Steve Kane were installed at three doors in the fire tower. Yard sale revenue was approximately \$300 from the 15 to 20 vendors participating.

Rhonda Meeks reported only 12 viable units of blood were donated at the July 12 Red Cross blood drive; goal was 20. Another blood drive was tentatively scheduled for September 6th.

Fran Moxley moved that the room next to the history room be used as an annex, expanding the history room to permit museum space. Teresa Winning seconded; motion carried.

Teresa winning moved to accept the recommendation of the mediator for the quilting groups for a trial period of one year. Fran Moxley seconded; motion carried.

Stephanie Hysmith moved for Alex Couladis to contact a group interested in renting to show second floor rooms. Roberta Henderson seconded; motion carried.

Stephanie Hysmith moved Association pay registration for up to three officers to attend a conference in late August that is co-sponsored by the Athens Foundation. Ray Baker seconded; motion carried. (31 attended the meeting)

August 10, 2011 Monthly SCCA Meeting

Treasurers report showed negative \$1165.17 for the month because of an insurance payment.

Maintenance, mowing and weed eating are up to date. Plans are to spread landscape mulch as usual in the fall before the Jerseyville Festival.

Pat Davidson, Fran Moxley, and Rhonda Meeks planned to attend the Athens Foundation conference August 23.

Following discussion, it was agreed that we would allow members to sign out tables, chairs and OLD table cloths for private outside events, although linen napkins are NOT to be loaned. The person signing for the items is responsible for any damage/loss.

Two items discussed were: the possibility of increasing the rent to the home school group by \$50.00 to \$250.00 per month, and installing security cameras to monitor activity.

Jerry Foster provided a Jerseyville Festival update: The Hart Brothers, Remember Then, and the Federal Valley Cloggers are among those performing. Jerry is contacting vendors and pursuing the possibility of having an inflatable "bouncy house" for kids at the event. Volunteers are needed.

In Memoriam

Ala Marcella McGrath

November 30, 1936 to June 6, 2011

Stephen Kukoleck

1930 to July 20, 2011

Kenneth Chaney

December 15, 1932 to August 14, 2011

Belated Condolences

To John and Myra Robinson and their family on the passing of their son Justin R. Robinson.

Welcome

Welcome to new member:

Nina Kirk

Executive Board Meetings

Meetings of the Executive Board are at 7:00 pm on the last Tuesday of odd numbered months.

Next Executive Board Meeting is September 29.

Seventh Annual

JERSEYVILLE FESTIVAL

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8TH, 2011

MUSIC ALL DAY • FREE ADMISSION

JERSEYVILLE JAMMERS 11:00 AM



BOYD RUTH & FRIENDS 12:00 NOON

THE HART BROTHERS 1:00 PM



REMEMBER THEN 2:15 PM



THE HART BROTHERS 3:30 PM

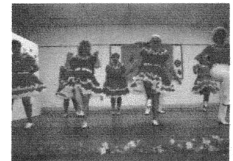
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**Pie
Baking
Contest**



Arts & Crafts

**Federal
Valley
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Noon-1pm**



Apple Butter & Cider Making

**Kids'
Activities**



Cow Patty Bingo

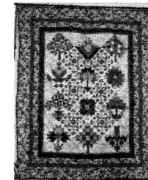
Food and much more !!!

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For more information call 740/590-0408



Raffle for *Evonne Mouw Memory Quilt*



(75" x 94")

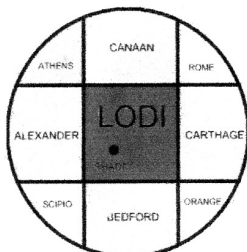
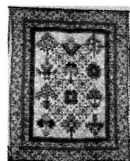
"Sampler" quilt pattern pieced by Evonne Mouw.
Quilt donated by Geraldine Howard.
Quilted by Henry Brown.

*In memory of Evonne Mouw of the Sew 'n' Sews Quilt Guild
(All proceeds to benefit the Shade Community Center Assoc., Shade, OH. We are a 501 (c) (3) organization)
Located on Old Route 33*

Drawing: Saturday, October 8, 2011

Jerseyville Festival • Shade Community Center

Call 740-818-7440 for tickets. Donation \$1 each or 6 for \$5



"History Page"

The Shade-Lodi History and Genealogy Association generally meets on the third Tuesday of each month at 6:30 in the History Room on the second floor of the Shade Community Center.

Meetings are open to everyone whether interested in history, especially Lodi Township and surrounding area, or just interested in stories of the past.

Contact Brenda Ruth for information: 696-0070

A Letter Home from the Civil War

Summersville Va, 1862

December the 5

Dear father and mother I seat myself to let you know that I am well at present and hope that these few lines may find you all enjoying the same blessing. I received your letter last night and was glad to hear that you all was all well and that you was getting your work all done. I got two letters at Clarksburg from you and the other from Vincent and we had to start our march the next day and I had not time to rite and haven't much to write now. Well the route we took was from Clarksburg to Summersville Va. We got here on Sunday today is Wednesday. We are awaiting for the trains to come up and then we will go ahead. I don't know where we will go but we will go towards the Ohio River or else stay here all winter. What I have to eat

is healthy it is crackers and meat and rice and coffee, sugar and plenty of it. We draw more coffee than we can use we save it and sell it for 50 cents a pound and I have ____ them that is good. Yesterday I went out on a pass and got some molasses and my dinner and some apples and it all didn't only cost me 15 cents.

Well, I can't think of anything more to write _so nothing more at present. But I still remain your son until dead. Good by write soon.

Well Vincent and Lydia I now try to write you a few lines to let you know that I am well at present and hope these few lines may find you both well. Well Lydia I can't write you a very good letter on a march for I haven't ____ for it anyway. Darned old pen isn't any account. When we get in winter quarters I will send all good letters. I will write you good ones for that one I got ____ I think that one is just about as good as the other it is no more than could be expected of them anyhow. Well Vince I can't write you much of anything today. But excuse me for this time and when I get in quarters I will write you a good one.

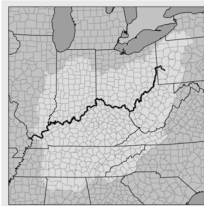
The preceding letter was written by M.W. Haning to Ira, Francis, Vincent and Lydia Haning early on during the Civil War.

The letter is one of several donated by Carrie Ator-James, who also transcribed the letter.

M.W. Haning was an ancestor of SCCA member Bill Cooley.

Pilgrims on the Ohio

Imagine floating down the Ohio River in a canoe fifteen feet long from Brownsville, Pennsylvania to Cairo, Illinois. Imagine doing this with your family in 1894. And imagine taking some of the first ever snapshot photographs of your trip.



That is exactly what Reuben Gold Thwaites and his family from Wisconsin did in 1894! At the July SLHGA meeting, Gail Jordan reported on their journey based upon the book Pilgrims on the Ohio, written by Robert L. Reid and Dan Hughes Fuller.

Pictured below is a man and his son in front of the family's cliff dwelling at Long Bottom, Ohio.



Upcoming Program

September 20th — Video presentation of Will Rogers' commentaries on American politics.

2011 Community Yard Sale Photos



(Jerseyville Memories, continued from page 1)



In 2007 Elvis visited, and it was reported he enjoyed some good food in Lodi.

2008 brought a corn hole tournament and pumpkin decorating.



The first pie baking contest and Remember Then appeared in 2009.

More kids' activities were created in 2010.

Come to Jerseyville this year. Add to the tradition, and see what is new in 2011.



South Canaan Yard Sale

The Fourth Annual South Canaan Road (CR24) Yard/Garage Sale Weekend is Saturday, October 1st from 9am - 5pm and Sunday October 2nd from 10 am - 4pm. Don't miss it! Something for everyone! FMI: Call Lorie Springer 740-591-7790 or Craig Scott 662-5264.

Blood Drive

Photo below is from the Red Cross Blood Drive held at the Center in July. Watch for information about the next blood drive being scheduled in December.



Who's Who

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Cook's Corner

“Stars and Stripes Gingersnaps”

1 c. sugar
1 c. molasses
1 c. lard (or shortening) and butter mixed
2 tsp. ginger
2 tsp. cinnamon
1/3 c. vinegar
2 tsp. baking soda
Flour to make a stiff dough

Combine the ingredients in the order listed. Roll out very thinly and cut into shapes. Bake at 375°F just until the bottoms start to brown.

This recipe is from the booklet “Northern Ladies’ Civil War Recipes” by Patricia B. Mitchell.

This year is the sesquicentennial anniversary of the Civil War, although I selected this recipe as appropriate for the ten year anniversary of 9/11. Editor.

Shade Exchange

WANTED: Hedge apples. Call 590-9537 or 696-0070.

WANT TO BUY OR TRADE for a patio umbrella. Contact Pat Davidson, 740-517-5628 or 662-4551.

FREE: Pickup Topper for full-size pickup long bed. Call 590-9537.

This space is available as an opportunity for you to “buy, sell, trade, or give away” items.

Place your advertisement in the envelope on the whiteboard in the cafeteria, or email it to newsletter editor Gail Jordan at gail.jordan@live.com.