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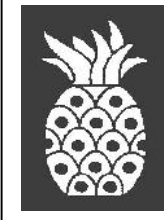
This is a gift membership from :

Membership Levels:

Individual	\$20.00
Family/Library	25.00
Senior (age 65)	10.00
Student	10.00
Business	50.00
Lifetime	250.00
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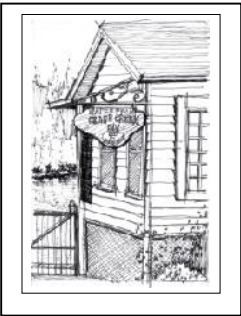
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March 2012

PLEASE JOIN US

Saturday, March 3rd
10 am - 2 pm
Downtown Melbourne
Home Tour



Tickets may be pre-purchased at: Meehans, Eau Gallie Florist, Expressions Florist, The Rossetter House, and The Florida Historical Society Headquarters in Cocoa Village. Tickets will be available on the day of the Tour at the residences. Adults and children over 12 are invited. Special access and assistance is not available.

Tickets: \$10 Donation

Tour home addresses are listed inside.
 For additional information: 725-4115

Saturday, March 10th
2 - 3:30 pm
Indialantic Town Hall
216 Fifth Avenue Indialantic

Sharing Memories with:
Marcia Littlejohn
 granddaughter of Indialantic founder Earnest Kouwen-Hoven

Dan Abbott
 grandson of Karl P. Abbott, owner of the Indialantic Tradewinds Hotel

Moderated by Cindy Earp
 Presented by the SBHS and the Indialantic Heritage Committee in celebration of Indialantic's 60th year of Incorporation.

Hear their family and personal stories of Indialantic and South Brevard and join in the conversation with your own memories.

New Historic Marker
4 pm Nance Park in Indialantic
 You'r invited to join officials and residents for the Installation Ceremony for a new State Historical Marker commemorating the Indialantic Casino/Bahama Beach Club.

DEAR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS....

There are busy times ahead and my head is spinning from preparations for the Home Tour and Indialantic Events. I've tried to list most upcoming area activities so you have a chance to mark your calendars.

Thank you for your comments regarding the newsletter. They're always appreciated. If you have an idea for an article that YOU would like to write, please contact me.

Congratulations to Ed Vosatka on the publication and now distribution of his book Melbourne's Logging Era: 1912 - 1932.. Many of us are greatly relieved that he's finally done and we celebrate with him. He'll share his many years of research and expertise with us in April.

FYI: The Florida Division of Historical Resources of the FL Department of State along with the cooperation of the Florida Historical Commission and the Florida Association of Museums, has been issuing an annual book on the various aspects of Florida's history. This year's edition is titled the 'FLORIDA CIVIL WAR HERITAGE TRAIL.' It contains general Florida Civil War information and resources arranged by districts. I hope to get some for distribution at our meetings so be sure to look for our "free publications" table when you attend our programs at the library.

I EXPECT TO SEE YOU IN MARCH !

**Carol Andren, SBHS President
725-4115**

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SBHS CALENDAR

APRIL 14th

Melbourne Public Library, 540 E. Fee

Ed Vosatka presents a program on:

Melbourne's Logging Era 1912 - 1932

Around Brevard

(also) March 10th 2pm

FPAN "In the Dirt Lecture

"FROM ENGRAVINGS TO ARCHAEOLOGY: Changing views on the 16th Century Mocama Indians"

Dr. Keith Ashley, University of N. Florida

Saturday, April 7th 2 pm

Florida Historical Society

Discover Florida Series: Gallery Walk

Florida author and artist Theodore Morris

Sponsored by the Friends of FHS

Free to the public

Florida Historical Society Headquarters

435 Brevard Avenue in Cocoa Village.

For more information: (321) 690-1971

Historic Rossetter House and Museum

Open Wed - Fri - Sat 10 am - 4 pm

1320 Highland Ave. in the Eau Gallie Arts District

tphone: 254-9855 for reservations and information.

Melbourne Beach: The Old Town Hall History Center

History of Melbourne Beach from the Ais Indians to the present. View a copy of the Rufus Beaujean Diary.

2373 Oak Street (across from Spaceward Holland Golf Course) Call 321-536-3336 for more information.

Open Saturdays and holidays 11-3 Free Admission

SPECIAL EXHIBIT IN MARCH

This invitational Art Exhibit has a theme of Florida inspired art. There is a large mix of media such as Oil Paintings, Watercolors, Sculpture, Carving, Basket weaving, Photos and others. The exhibit transforms the Main Hall of the Center into a wonderland of Florida Art.

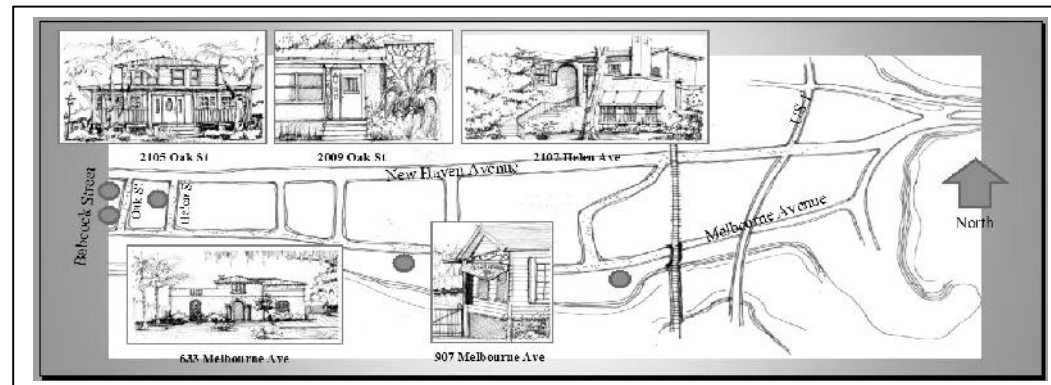
This will be available to the public all five Saturdays of March Annual Art Show

The Bensen (Grant) Historical House built in 1916

5795 U.S. Hwy 1, Grant. Phone (321) 723-8543 for hours or to arrange a tour.

MARCH 3rd HOME TOUR

MAP WITH ADDRESS LOCATIONS



2009 Oak Street and 2105 Oak Street 2107 Helen Street
633 E. Melbourne Avenue 907 E. Melbourne Avenue

MORE EVENTS:

Monday, MARCH 19th

Your are welcome to attend a program sponsored by the Abigail Wright Chamberlain Chapter of the DAR.

"Geology of the Windover Bog, Sink Holes and Caves"

speaker: Gregg Harding, East Florida Regional Director, State Preservation Council

Holiday Inn, 8298 North Wickham Road, Melbourne 32940

The program begins at 11:30 followed by lunch at noon.

The cost for lunch is \$16.00.

For a luncheon reservation call Nell Mussler at 321-723-6068 at least one week before event....

Saturday, MARCH 31st

FLORIDA HISTORICAL SOCIETY FUNDRAISING EVENT

VIP Reception 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

in celebration of the 30th year of the Windover Archaeological Site and the premiere of the new book by Dr. Rachel Wentz, "Life and Death at Windover"

Library of Florida History 534 Brevard Avenue Cocoa Village

\$75 single \$100 couple

Reservations are limited - phone 321-690-1971 ext 205

The fundraiser will feature gourmet food and wine, a signed copy of the new book, and more.

Free and Open to the Public at 7:00 pm

Free Book Premiere Party and 30th Anniversary Celebration

Join the FHS to celebrate one of the most important archaeological discoveries in the world.

The SBHS thanks AAA Malabar Mini-Storage, located across the street from the Malabar Town Hall, for their generous donation of air-conditioned secure storage for the Society's collections and archives.