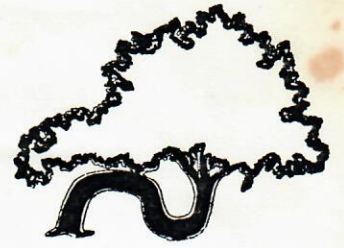


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ALL ABOARD ON AUGUST 20...

We are calling it Troutdale Trek #1, because we hope our August 20 expedition to Hood River with a ride on the Mount Hood Railway will be the only the first of many such outings for our historical society.

The way it works is this. You send us a check for \$20 a person before August 17. A handy form to do that is at the bottom of this page. Be at Troutdale City Hall, (conveniently located next to the bus stop) at 9 a.m. when our bus begins loading. We will depart promptly at 9:30 a.m. and head for Hood River where we have an appointment at the Hood River County Museum. After that we board the train for a two-hour ride through the Hood River Valley. You may take a sack lunch or buy food on the train.

We head home in the afternoon and, even with a stop for ice cream, should be back no later than 5 p.m. Once you pay your ticket, your only cost is lunch and ice cream.

Gene Bui, a member of our board of directors, is in charge. If you have any questions, call him at 667-3231.

MEET CYNTHIA...

Stop by the Harlow House any afternoon, Tuesday through Saturday, from 1 to 5 p.m. and meet Cynthia Howe, who is the hostess at our museum this summer. Or, visit on Sundays, 1 to 4 p.m., when one of our volunteer hosts, Virginia Murphy, Dorothy Larson, Cathy Hamme or Sharon Nesbit, will be there.

One of the good things that is happening this summer is that Cynthia is putting our new collections management system into effect. What this means is that a complete inventory will be taken of all the artifacts in both our museums, a new filing system will be created and each item will be carefully marked. The result should be that we will be able to locate any item in our museum and tell you who gave it, what it is and when we got it.

It's a good idea to visit the Harlow House anyway just to see the big hole where our barn will be built.

SIGN ME UP FOR THE CHOO-CHOO...

Make checks to Troutdale Historical Society.

Mail to: Gene Bui, 340 S.W. Halsey Loop, Troutdale, Ore., 97060.

Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State, ZIP _____
Telephone _____

Number of tickets needed _____

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PICNIC A SUCCESS...

We sold all 350 hamburgers, 100 ice cream bars and gallons of lemonade and coffee at our booth at the Troutdale City picnic July 16. The smell of those onions frying on the grill really drags in the customers.

Thanks to all the following: CATHY HAMME, GENE BUI, RANKIN DAVIS, TAD'S CHICKEN 'N DUMPLINS', TROUTDALE DELI-MART, ALEX JONES, TED & LOIS SCHULTE, JEAN HOLMAN, DOROTHY STURGES, SAM COX, CAROLE & GEORGE KLINGER, HAZEL & BOB WEBB, DICK JONES, ELAINE DUBESA, MIKE SULLIVAN, SHARON NESBIT, SAFEWAY'S CLACKAMAS BREAD PLANT (which donated the buns), and SHARLYN JACOBS, who arranged the bread donation for us.

We are also indebted to KEN OSBURN who provided the antique tractor (it had a real water bag hanging on the front, remember canvas water bags?) and the CEREGHINO FAMILY who rode it. The theme was, "Troutdale, Celery Capital of the World." We won a third prize in the float category.

NAME DROPPERS...Two important people were left out of our thanks for the ice cream social. LARRY ARMSTRONG donated a hand-carved wooden deer for the raffle. And ETHEL PETERSON made the afghan that we sold chances on. Ethel also has given a 30-cup percolator for use at the Harlow House...A wedding is planned at the Harlow House in August. MARIANNE THORNTON, a relative of the Evans family, former occupants of the home, will marry TERRY DOANE in the front parlor...CLYDE & EDITH GAGE and FRANCES SEITZ each gave \$100 donations to the barn fund at our July 6 barn-raising. Other donations came from MIKE HAMME and FRANK & JEAN DRIVER...Among our new members are JACKIE RATHMAN WARD, Portland, and DAN RATHMAN, Lexington Park, Maryland.

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