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## Letter from Our President

Dear Members,

**The Museum opened for its 32nd season on May 3rd!** Have you been out for a visit yet? Some exhibits have been rearranged in anticipation of an exciting addition that we're not quite ready to announce yet. Also:

- ◆ Our porch has been repaired with a Heritage Support Grant provided by the Indiana Historical Society and made possible by Lilly Endowment, Inc.
- ◆ The museum conference room now has temperature control (both heat and a/c) thanks to a Crown Point Community Foundation grant.
- ◆ There are many new signs around town and at the museum with last year's Transforming Lake County grant from Legacy Foundation. **In fact, the first person to correctly identify the location of all 7 brown wayfinding signs will receive a free "Skate-Your-Date" t-shirt!**

As we have stated often in the past, as our members, **you are the most important ambassadors we have** in the Cedar Lake community and region at-large. Please make plans to join us for the annual member cookout on June 24th so we can thank you for your support in person—and bring a prospective new member with you!

Until next time,

*Kaz Laurinaitis*

P.S. Check out the **History on Wheels** exhibit we are bringing to the **Family Fun Fest** on August 25-26: <https://youtu.be/tPxYw29pUPI>

## For Community Kids

**Monday, June 11th • 1pm • Library**

*History of Candy: Early 1900s* - Includes taste-testing fun!

**Wednesday, June 13th • 4pm • Museum**

*Kids Painting Class (Age 7-12)* - Register with CLHA for this free make-and-take program.

**Monday, June 25th • 1pm • Library**

*Historical Sock-Hop* - Hear music from 1920's resort days and learn popular dances of the era.

**Monday, July 16th • 1pm • Library**

*Stringing Together History* - Discover the story of the violin string factory in Cedar Lake's Brunswick community. Special guests will explain how the violin is made.

***All library events are free, geared to grades K-6, and open to the public...registration is required!***

## Annual Member Cookout

*Sunday, June 24th  
Noon ~ Museum Lawn*



Please join us for our 7th annual member cookout from Noon to 2:00 PM on Sunday, June 24th! We'll provide the burgers, hot dogs, water, and lemonade. **Please bring a side dish and/or dessert to share.**

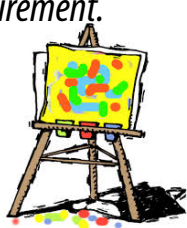
\*Invite prospective new members by sharing the Facebook event or ask us for a flyer!

# Community Art Show

## Friday-Sunday, July 27th-29th

The 3rd Annual Community Art Show will open with a reception on Friday, July 27th at 6pm. If you would like to be an exhibitor, **please register up to 4 pieces by Sunday, July 1st.** Download the exhibitor application from our website. *All mediums are welcome and there is no residency requirement.*

Contact us with questions or for more information at 219.390.9423 or [clhamuseum@yahoo.com](mailto:clhamuseum@yahoo.com)



## Volunteers Sought

*Can you lend a hand to make these programs special for our visitors?*

Always Needed: Flower Garden Maintenance, Museum Hosts, and Tour Guides (all season)

**July 4th-8th | Hours Vary**  
Museum Staffing during Summerfest  
*This is our busiest weekend of the season so we're looking for MANY helpers to welcome all of the fest goers. Shifts range from 2 to 4 hrs.*

**Sunday, July 8th | 1-4 PM**  
Pie & Ice Cream Social during Summerfest

**July 27th-29th | Community Art Show**  
Seeking exhibitors & volunteer staff

**Sunday, August 26th | 11AM-2 PM**  
Family Fun Fest & Camp LRCA Reunion

Internships also available. Do you have another area of expertise or skill such as electrical, carpentry, window repair, drywall, plaster repair, painting, video production, photography, non-profit business management or more? We're interested! Contact us TODAY at 219.390.9423.

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## Partner to Preserve Our Past Additional Ways to Give

### For Use Today...

We provide an escape to the past for visitors and residents through our unique programs, special events, and history museum on the shores of Cedar Lake. Partner with CLHA to create opportunities for history, recreation, and education by giving a gift to our organization. Financial contributions are welcomed and used for general operations. **Please make checks payable to Cedar Lake Historical Association.**

Amount of Gift Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

This is a tribute gift in (circle one):

**Honor of      Memory of      Appreciation of**

Name of Honoree: \_\_\_\_\_

### ...Or Forever

The purpose of our **Endowment Fund** is to provide operating support in perpetuity for the Association. The endowment is a permanent fund. The principle is never depleted, only the interest is used to support the organization. Consider a contribution to increase this fund and provide us with a source of revenue forever!

Our endowment fund is managed by the Crown Point Community Foundation. The easiest way to give is a cash gift. **Please make endowment gifts payable to Crown Point Community Foundation with "CLHA Operating Endowment" in the memo line.** Endowment gifts of stocks and securities, real estate, insurance, and tangible assets are also accepted. All gifts receive the maximum deduction allowed by law. Please call us with questions at 219.390.9423 or read more or donate online at:



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