



A Newsletter for Members and Friends of the Lenexa Historical Society

LHS News

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A Presidential Letter

A letter from Marc Lassalle



Spring is upon us,

And as we do in springtime we cultivate seeds into budding flowers.

Membership is the life blood of any organization and we, its members, are the ideal candidates to promote it within our community.

The Lenexa Historical Society has been a part of our community for over 25 years and serves an important role in the preservation of our way of life.

If every member could make a commitment to recruit one additional member over the next year, it would go a long way in keeping our organization strong.

We need to look beyond simply recruiting. Encourage visits to the Legler Barn, promote its Historical Archives and drive traffic to our Website. Everything and anything-to get the word out.

Additionally, we need to develop programs for all generations in order to spark and maintain interest in the Legler Barn Museum and the Lenexa Historical Society.

I ask that if you have any suggestions regarding programs or events please contact the Barn and let us know- your input is appreciated.

I look forward to seeing you around the Barn.

marcl@leglerbarn.org

LENEXA HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP MEETING
Thursday, May 28, 2009
Lenexa United Methodist Church
Schneeberger Hall
91st and Caenen Lake Road
Lenexa, KS 66215

Freemasonry in Lenexa.

Presented by: Jon Robbins

Everybody is Welcome!

Call for reservations: 913-498-8117

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Lenexa Historical Society *Membership Meeting*

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Dinner: 6:30 p.m.
Program: 7:30 p.m.

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LHS General Meeting – May 28, 2009



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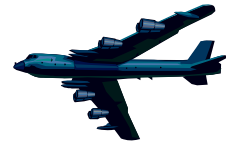
J – R Meat

S – Z Vegetable or Salad





AVIATION IN KANSAS



The next exhibit at the Legler Barn Museum will be "Aviation in Kansas" from 1900 to the present time, from April 11, 2009 to October 15, 2009. If all you know about Kansas is wheat and meat and oil; if the words "flat" and "boring" come to mind whenever someone mentions the state, fasten your seat belt.

There will be information on America's "First Lady of the Air", Amelia Earhart, A. K. Longren, Clyde Cessna, Jake Moellendick, Earl Schaefer, Matty Laird, Jim Bede, Walter and Olive Ann Beech, Bill Lear, Octave Chanute, aviation and the military, B-25's to B-52's plus much more. Wichita is known as "The Air Capital of the World". Info about the airstrip in Lenexa and Overland Park.

Enjoy Breakfast with LHS

Join us for FOOD and FUN conversation

Where: Hy-Vee, 87th and Pflumm

Time: 9:00 a.m.

When: second Saturday of each month

2009

May 9	September 12
June 13	October 10
July 11	November 14
August 8	December 12

LHS 2009 Directory Updates

New Member

New Address, Email, &/or phone

Rodney P. Booth
PO Box 15328
Lenexa, KS **66285**

Don & Judy Tuckness
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Lenexa, KS 66217
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Phillip & Kathleen Woods
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Deceased

Jane Klein
7802 Allman Road
Lenexa, KS 66217

LHS Monthly Breakfast Reminder

If you would like to receive an email reminder prior to our monthly breakfasts, contact Katie Evans at:

katiesevans@sbcglobal.net

or

913-390-5131

Photo Gallery

by Sharon Hammontree



Alan Uhl and Jennifer Doty greeting visitors during Passport to Adventure taken at Bass Pro Pictures below of the people running for council in Lenexa that attended our LHS General Meeting in April.



Angelo Mino, Ward 4



Cindy Green, Ward 4 Incumbent



Dan Sullivan, Ward 3 Incumbent



Diane Linver, Ward 2 Incumbent



Valerie Jansen, Ward 2



Fred Krebs portrayal of Thomas Edison and information was enjoyed very much.



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