



Village Inn Englishtown, N.J.

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Battleground Historical Society
P.O. Box 61, Tennent, NJ 07763
www.thevillageinn.org

September 2009

FORTY YEARS!

We will be celebrating the 40th anniversary of The Battleground Historical Society:

**ANNIVERSARY
CELEBRATION**

Date: Sunday September 27, 2009
Time: 1:00PM-5:00PM
Location: The Village Inn
2 Water Street
Englishtown, NJ 07726



Please see the enclosed invitation for details. We hope you will be able to join us.

Don't miss the opportunity to see and celebrate what The Battleground Historical Society has accomplished. This event is open to everyone. We will be displaying the Societies memorabilia and showing a slide presentation of the historical house marking project that was completed as well as showing a presentation on the restoration process of the building. Tours of the building will be available.

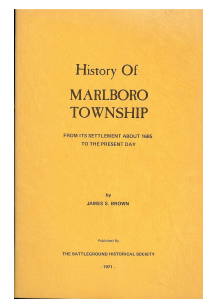


A mantle clock that had previously been donated to the BHS and was being stored for safe keeping has been returned to the Inn. It is now displayed on the mantle of the second floor fireplace. We also have a wool spinning wheel that has been donated and it is on display. Thank you Dick Dalik for your help in obtaining the return of the clock and for facilitating the donation of the spinning wheel.

Book of the Month:

History of Marlboro Township by James S. Brown
(Published by BHS in 1971) Cost- \$3.00

This book may be purchased by mail, through our website or at the Village Inn gift shop. Please contact us at thevillageinnenglishtown@verizon.net or 732-888-6061 for shipping costs. This would make a great gift or addition to your library.



The BHS raffle tickets have arrived. Each member will receive one book of five tickets. The cost for each ticket is \$5.00. For this raffle to be successful we all must sell (or purchase) our five tickets. The Society is counting on the proceeds to help sustain the Village Inn in the coming year. The expense of maintaining our Inn is escalating and we hope that this fundraiser will help to cover some of our operating expenses. Thank you to all our members for your continuing support.

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Name _____
Address _____
Phone _____

Battleground Historical Society 50-50 Cash Raffle

Drawing to benefit the Historic Village Inn
2 Water Street Englishtown, New Jersey

ONLY 500 TICKETS PRINTED

Cash Prizes! You can win up to \$500

First Prize 20% of ticket sales Second Prize 15%

Third Prize 10% Fourth Prize 5% of ticket sales

Drawing held on Saturday, November 21, 2009 at 8:00pm

At the Englishtown Village Inn

I.D. #278-05-25091 Presence not required to win. License #RL 2009-01
Tickets \$5.00 each

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Village Inn Notes & News

The next meeting will be on September 25, 2009 at 7:30PM. The guest speaker will be Fred Carl from Camp Evans/Info Age a science/history learning center and museum in Wall. Refreshments will be served.

Cataloging of the Inn's Donations:

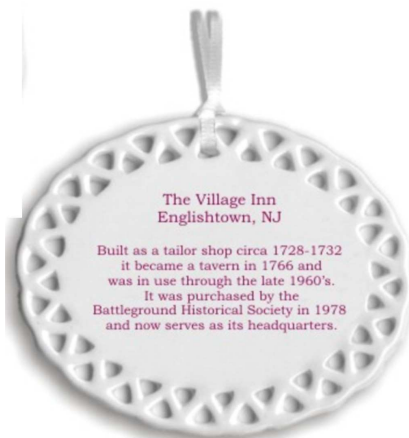
As you may be aware several volunteers have been cataloging the Inn's many donations. Although we have completed most of the project, we are still missing items that were donated to us. If anyone is holding items for safe keeping, now is the time to return them for cataloging and display. Please contact us at 732-888-6061 and we will make arrangements for their return.

Membership Dues and Renewal:

At the November general meeting there will be a vote on a by-law change. We will also be raising the yearly dues for 2010 to help cover the continuing cost increases in our operating expenses. The membership dues will now be \$20.00 Individual, \$30.00 Family and \$125.00 Life Membership. This is the first time dues have been raised in twenty years. If you would like to receive your newsletter via e-mail, please contact us at thevillageinnenglishtown@verizon.net. This will save on printing and postage costs. We are also collecting e-mail addresses so that we may notify you of all upcoming events.

October Festival & Holiday Preview Sale:

Don't forget the date Saturday October 17, 2009. We still need supplies and people who can sew and may have some creative ideas. Don't be bashful! Please help us make our "Fall Festival and Holiday Preview" a success! Call 732-888-6061 or 732-780-6428 to make arrangements for delivery of items or to join us for our work sessions to make some Christmas decorations. We'll have fun! We also need people to give tours and help with the yard sale.



Village Inn Ornament

We have a new item available! It is a white oval ceramic ornament with a burgundy ribbon. The front picture is in burgundy and the lettering is a metallic gold. The lettering on the back is in burgundy. It is gift boxed. We only have a limited number available so don't miss out. It is available at all meetings, in our gift shop or by mail. The ornament can be displayed in a window or on a shelf and would make a wonderful gift. Let's show off our Inn.



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Membership Ornament Order Form

Note: We only have 40 ornaments available from the first production. The Cost is \$20.00 per ornament.

Name: _____

Quantity: _____

Amount Paid: _____

Cash or Check: _____

Please make check payable to Amy Calandriello. She has purchased the ornaments. All Proceeds after cost will go to The Village Inn.

The ornaments have arrived and are available at all meetings, in our gift shop and by mail.

BHS 40th Anniversary Celebration Invitation

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO CELEBRATE THE
FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLEGROUND
HISTORICAL SOCIETY

WE WILL BE HOSTING A CELEBRATION AT THE VILLAGE INN
SHOWCASING OUR FORTY YEAR HISTORY

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 27, 2009

1:00PM-5:00PM

2 WATER STREET

ENGLISHTOWN, NJ 07726

DONATION \$10.00 PER PERSON
PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT THE CONTINUING
MAINTENANCE OF THE VILLAGE INN

PLEASE RESPOND BY SEPTEMBER 10, 2009

Checks can be mailed to:

Battleground Historical Society

P.O. Box 61

Tennent, NJ 07763



Name _____

Number of Persons Attending _____

Amount Enclosed _____

I am unable to attend. However, I wish to make a donation in the
amount of \$ _____ in support of The Village Inn.

CELEBRATION IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
DONATION AT DOOR \$15.00

RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP

MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE DUE EACH YEAR ON JANUARY FIRST
DUES ARE \$20.00 FOR AN INDIVIDUAL AND \$30.00 FOR A FAMILY AND
\$125.00 LIFE MEMBERSHIP

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone Number _____

E-Mail _____

Family Membership _____ Individual _____

Make check payable to Battleground Historical Society. Mail to P.O. Box 61 Tennent, NJ 07763

OFFICERS OF BATTLEGROUND HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Co-President: Hans Kernast, 3 King Charles Court, Englishtown, NJ 07726 Tel 732-446-7833

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Trustee (2011) Lora Capozzoli, 259 Van Dorn St., Keyport, NJ 07735 Tel 732-888-6061

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