

FALL & WINTER PROGRAM BROCHURE



LOGO FOR PROGRAMS FOR ALL AGES

NOTE: EVENING TALKS WILL BEGIN AT 7 P.M.

SEPTEMBER

Thursday, September 2, 2010 **TMH** **6-8 p.m.**

MCLAIN CELTIC FESTIVAL PRE-EVENT PARTY

Join us for a festive evening featuring food from local restaurants and caterers, bagpipes and kilts, libations and hospitality. Reservations required. Cost: \$45 per person.

Saturday, September 4, 2010 **TMH** **9 a.m. – 5 p.m.**



MCLAIN CELTIC FESTIVAL

Join us for the 16th Annual McLain Celtic Festival. There will be lots of musical entertainment, including Irish and Scottish dancers and bagpipes. Other highlights include re-enactors, Scottish Clan representatives, highland cattle, Border Collie demonstrations, highland athletics and vendors with Celtic goods and, of course delicious food! Tickets: Adults \$10; children under 12 free; Advance tickets \$9

HISTORY ON HIGH THE SHOP



Friday, September 3, 2010 **HOH 10 a.m. – 8 p.m.**

FIRST FRIDAY ON WEST HIGH STREET: HOLLYWOOD ON HIGH
Special Sales

Saturday, September 25, 2010 **HOH 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.**

Paul Hoch will be doing his woodcarvings.

October, 2010 **HOH**

SECOND ANNIVERSARY FOR HISTORY ON HIGH: THE SHOP
Weekly Special Prizes and Drawings

Saturday, November 20, 2010 **HOH 12-3 p.m.**

Elaine Haag will demonstrate how she makes her felt hats and purses.

Wednesday, September 15, 2010

CCHS

7 p.m.

A TOWN IN-BETWEEN: CARLISLE, PENNSYLVANIA AND THE EARLY MID-ATLANTIC INTERIOR

Speaker: Judith Ridner, Ph.D.

Dr. Ridner reveals the influential and turbulent past of Carlisle in the eighteenth century. Carlisle stood not only at a geographical crossroads, but also at the fulcrum of early American controversies. Dr. Ridner's talk is based on her new book on eighteenth-century Carlisle. A book signing will follow the talk. Books will be available for sale at CCHS and the History on High Shop.

Mondays, September 20 – November 1, 2010 CCHS

6:30-8:30 p.m.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY HISTORY WITH JEFF WOOD: OUT, OUT, BRIEF CANDLE: FAMOUS AND OBSCURE LIVES IN COUNTY HISTORY

Jeff Wood has presented the Fall Series at the Society since 2000. He is the owner of the Whistlestop Bookshop, is past-President of the Cumberland County Historical Society and is currently President of the Bosler Memorial Library.

Every year the Fall Series has retold the history of the county from different perspectives. This year's seven sessions begin in the early years of the county with the arrival of three groups of immigrants that seemed to have little in common but who worked out to be a dynamic team of settlement. Next we look at one of the most storied of county families and the legends that cluster around it. We follow a young woman West and her untimely return. We re-open the Carlisle Opera House to revisit a moment of glory. We take a fresh look at the most famous of county boarders and how he never really left. Finally, we fly in during World War II with one of the best pilots in the nation whose fate here touches national history to this very day. International heroes and heroines to humble and domestic folk will be the portraits of this year's series.

The series consists of lectures and audience discussion. It will be enhanced with power point tours of relevant county sites and objects of interest from local collections and the Historical Society's archives.

Monday, September 20: This Cloud of Witnesses

Monday, September 27: Faith of Our Fathers

Monday, October 4: Take a Chair and Set a Spell

Monday, October 11: Without Family or Friends

Monday, October 18: Stardust

Monday, October 25: Thanks, King

Monday, November 1: "a hundred things you have not dreamed of"

Reservations required. Cost: \$45 per member; \$60 per nonmember or \$10 per session

CAIU Act 48 approval: Additional CAIU fee \$5 per teacher per session.

Saturday, September 25, 2010

HARVEST OF THE ARTS in downtown Carlisle

OCTOBER

Saturday, October 2, 2010

TMH

7 a.m. – 2 p.m.

CCHS YARD SALE

CCHS is looking for donations of items to hold a yard sale at Two Mile House. We will not accept clothing or upholstered furniture. Start looking for those treasures now. Items can be delivered to the Two Mile House

MOLLY PITCHER STITCHERS DISPLAY AND DEMONSTRATIONS

Embroidery, both old and new, will be on display in Todd Hall from Monday, November 8, 2010, through Saturday, January 15, 2011.

Members of the Molly Pitcher Stitchers will demonstrate a variety of embroidery techniques in Todd Hall on the following dates:

Monday, November 15, 2010	CCHS	7-8 p.m.
Monday, November 29, 2010	CCHS	7-8 p.m.
Monday, December 13, 2010	CCHS	7-8 p.m.

Free to the public.

DECEMBER

Thursday, December 2, 2010 **CCHS** **5-7 p.m.**
VOLUNTEER OPEN HOUSE R.S.V.P. 249-7610

Friday, December 3, 2010 **CCHS**
HOLIDAY EXHIBIT OPENS

Saturday, December 4, 2010 **CCHS** **10 a.m. – 12 noon**
CELEBRATING SANTA

Matthew March, CCHS educator, will talk about the traditions of the holiday season and there may be a visit from a gift-giver or two. But beware they were not always jolly! Visit the holiday exhibit celebrating "Santas."

Sunday, December 12, 2010 **2-5 p.m.**
HOLIDAY HOUSE EVENT 328 West Old York Road
Reservations required. Cost: \$65 per person

UPCOMING EVENTS:

WEDNESDAYS IN WINTER - FEBRUARY 2010

The CCHS is grateful for the continued support of the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, Cumberland County, the Borough of Carlisle, Dickinson Township, Monroe Township, The Foundation for Enhancing Communities and CCHS membership. For more information about programs, call the Historical Society at 249-7610 or the Two Mile House at 243-3437. Visit our web page: www.historicalsociety.com. A copy of the official registration and financial information may be obtained from the Pennsylvania Department of State by calling, toll free within PA, 1-800-732-0999.

