Annual Heritage Night celebration is Nov. 3

A sailing trip in the South Puget Sound may be in your future if you attend the annual Heritage Night celebration at the Mt. Hood Museum in Government Camp. The sailing trip is one of many terrific items that will be part of the auction at the event.

Museum membership is your ticket to an evening of food, drink, music, friends, silent and oral auctions.

This year’s event, “Welcome Home to the Mountain,” is Saturday, Nov. 3 from 6 to 10 p.m. Visit our website for more information.

Upcoming Events

Visit the museum website at www.mthoodmuseum.org for the latest information about events.

Social History Happy Hour

Missoula Flood and Oregon Settlement Patterns. Lecture by Rick Thompson. Saturday, Oct. 27. Doors open 6:30 p.m.

Heritage Night

“Welcome Home to the Mountain,” an annual celebration at the museum. Saturday, Nov. 3, 6 to 10 p.m. Admission is museum membership.

Author’s Night


Social History Happy Hour

Mount Hood Movie Outtakes. Saturday, Dec. 29 at the museum.
From the President

To the community

The Mt. Hood Museum staff and volunteers have our own seasons and annual timelines. Our new year starts in June at the beginning of tourist season, bringing visitors from all over the world to Mount Hood. This steady stream of guests needing information continues non-stop through September. We see a sharp decline of visitors in the shoulder season of October and November, coinciding with event season - not a time to catch up on paperwork or maintenance. We pray for snow in November, as a little snow on the ground deters hikers and campers, giving staff a break before the real ski season starts. Weekends during the ski season are busy days at the museum with visitors touring our exhibits to learn the history of the mountain.

Fall events include Snowvana, Oct 19 and 20, at the Veterans Memorial Coliseum. Our museum booth at the event will showcase our vintage ski gear collection. On Nov 3, we celebrate our annual Heritage Night at the Museum, the best museum event of the year. The hosted food, beer and wine is always outstanding. We already have some fantastic auction items just in time for holiday gifts. Please call the museum if you have something to donate to the auction.

The monthly Social History Happy Hour on October 27 will feature Rick Thompson describing how the Missoula Flood affected the settlement pattern of the Oregon Territory 175 years ago. We’ll skip the November Happy Hour due to all the events and holidays this month. December Happy Hour will feature outtakes from R. L. Kohnstamm’s historic Timberline movie collection. This collection consists of movies made at Timberline Lodge between 1955 and 1995. If you skied or partied at Timberline during this era, you may appear in these movies.

We could sure some good volunteers this time of the year. We would appreciate any volunteer help available. Give us a call or email, and we’ll match your skills and availability with our needs.

Lloyd Musser  
Board President  
Mt. Hood Cultural Center and Museum
Curators Report Fall 2018

Cash donations
10/1/17 – 9/30/18

Grants
PNW Forest Service Association - $5000
Oregon Parks & Recreation Museum Grants - $6000
Clackamas County Tourism - $28,000

Cash: $1000 - $3000
Laura Henderson
Walter McMomies
Schnee Vogeli Ski Club – Capital campaign
Jack Nantz – capital campaign
Gretchen Makinson – In Memory of Gunther Heeren
Lloyd & Maureen Musser
Carolyn Sheldon

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Evan Farham
Cascade Ski Club

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Lana Miller in Honor of Nick and Natasha Rinard
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Dee Wright in Memory of Dale Crockatt
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Memberships
1/1/2018 - 8/31/2018

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Jeff Farze
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Collection Accessions - Oct. 1 2017 – Sept 30, 2018

**Eileen Crim** – Collection of archive material relating to skiing by the Paget family.

**Tim Pasowilt** – CCC (Civilian Conservation Corp) documents and photograph.

**Barbara Podesta** – Newspaper clipping about Government Camp and Timberline Lodge.

**Timberline Lodge** – Belt Buckle and National Ski Patrol member donor plaque.

**Mazamas** – Vintage ski pole baskets made by Ole Langerud, miscellaneous ski patches.

**Sara Foster** – Vintage wooden snowshoes.

**Emilio Trampus** – Mounted maps showing historic road locations Barlow Pass to Laurel Hill.

**Merced County Historical Society** – 1930s Mt. Hood postcard.

**Jesse Watkins** – 1960-80 ski race timing equipment from the estate of Red Nelson.

**Jeff Lokting** – Classic ski tote bags.

**Roger Deaver.** – Set concept drawings for Timberline Day Lodge and 1946 graphic of developments on Mount Hood in Government Camp area.

**Bev Pratt** – Old Smokeys quilt.

**Lloyd Musser** – Large collection archive materials related to Mount Hood history.

**James McAdoo** – Wooden plaque.

**Maryellen Englesby** – Collection of 92 ski patches.

**Linny Adamson** – Framed poster “Cosmic Expressions” signed.

**Deschutes Historical Museum** – Newspaper clippings related to Timberline Lodge.

**Pamela North** – North Ski Shop photo album, and memorabilia.

**Bob West** – Wooden sign “Red Devil Ski Area” and collection West Family photographs.

**Signe Lawrence** – Postcard and pamphlet about Schmaltz the skiing Mount Hood dog.

**Floyd Bergmann** – Vintage souvenir 6-inch plate made in Germany.

**Penny Hoodenpyle** – Collection of 1950s vintage ski gear and clothing including Head Standard skis, sweaters, jacket, mittens, ski boots, after ski boots and a rope tow gripper.

**Cheryl Weir** – Memorabilia from estate of John Ries, MHSP badge # 151.

[Image of rental equipment sign from Red Devil Ski Hill 1965]
Museum prepares Facilities Master Plan

The museum acquired the former Mt. Hood Manor B & B in 2001. This 9000 square-foot building has served our purposes, with some major modifications, for the past 17 years quite well. It’s time to analyze our future space needs and plan for orderly expansion and modification to our building.

The museum collection archives space is overflowing with Mount Hood history. We need a research library space so we can readily share the documented Mount History the community has donated to the collection. The meeting space is regularly filled to capacity for events, lectures and community meetings. We have the land needed to expand the building, we are debit free and the Board is ready to address the future.

We recently won a grant from Clackamas County Tourism to fund a Museum Facilities Master Plan. A building committee has been working with Nir Pearlson Architect, Inc to develop a draft master plan, which will be shared with the community at a special CPO meeting in Government Camp on Saturday, Oct. 13. The public is invited to submit comments for the next 10 days, during which the draft plans will be available for review at the museum. The final plan and a Capital Campaign will be revealed during the Museum’s Heritage Night program.

Hawk Watch 2018

Feathered friends took center stage at Hawk Watch 2018 on Sept. 22 at the museum. One-Eyed Jack is a rescued Great Horned owl that lives at the Rowena rehabilitation center. As a result of an auto accident he can't fly, but spends days teaching people about raptors in the Columbia Gorge. The Swanson's hawk is another rescue bird that can't fly, but helps Hawk Watch International teach people about raptor conservation.

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