

ECHOES OF CEDARVILLE

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Cedarville Area Historical Society



History Class Features Addams Pieces

Five members of the Cedarville Area Historical Society have already enrolled in the four local history classes being offered this spring by the society in partnership with Highland Community College.

The enrollment period for the thirty available seats closes in early March.

The hour long classes at the Cedarville Museum will be at 7:30 p.m. March 13 and 27 and April 10 and 24. All of the classes will concentrate on stories about many of the individual Addams family artifacts that are on indefinite loan to the museum from the Alice Haldeman DeLoach and Marcet Haldeman Bliss collection. The late Mrs. DeLoach was the granddaughter of Jane Addams sister.

The classes will be team taught by Andy Dvorak, history instructor at the college,

and Jim Bade, president of the historical society.

Attendees will receive printed information relative to each class a week before each session.

The cost is \$40 plus \$10 for printed material, a total of \$50. An enrollment form is on pages 4 and 5 of this newsletter. The completed form should be sent to CAHS, Box 336, Cedarville, IL. 61013 with a \$50 check made out to the college.

The classes are open to historical society members and the general public at the same cost. The classes will be held in the museum's second floor meeting room. A single button elevator is available for those physically handicapped.

Free refreshments will be served after each class.

Photos of annual Christmas party: P 2, 3
New Addams family exhibit article: P 6, 7



*Ken & Pam
Rosmann, Fa-
mous Fossil
Winery, pre-
pare for the
evening.*



*Narcissa Engle and
friend Santa (AKA
Don Franz)*



*Wendy Gilpin, Lisa Goodwin
and Mom Bonnie Bade*



*"Thanks" were rendered
by CAHS Treasurer Galen
Bertram*



*What a spread
of goodies!*



*Harlan & Judy
Corrie, Nar-
cissa & Roger
Goodspeed*

That Was A Smashing Society Christmas Party



*Santa whips
up the audi-
ence in song*



*Marilyn Ingram,
Dee Blomberg,
Sharon Barmore*

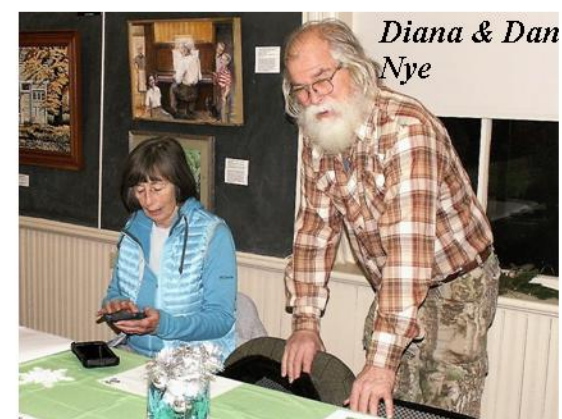
Photos by Lisa Goodwin, Wendy Gilpin, Jim Bade



Decorations by Lisa Goodwin



Music by Carole Bertram



*Diana & Dan
Nye*



*Roger Goodspeed, Don (AKA Santa) &
Vickie Franz, and Jane Goodspeed*

Social Security Number _____ - _____ - _____

Must be 16 years of age or older to register for classes.

Your Social Security number is requested for the records system at HCC, compliance with federal and state reporting requirements, and tax purposes.

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Home phone (include area code) (_____) _____ - _____

Date of Birth _____ Sex ____ Male ____ Female

Are you Hispanic or Latino
(Or are you of Spanish Origin?)

- ☐ Yes Hispanic or Latino
☐ Not Hispanic or Latino

Are you from one or more of the following racial groups?
(Select all that apply)

- ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native
☐ Asian
☐ Black or African American
☐ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
☐ White
☐ Choose Not to Respond

Please identify your primary racial/ethnic group
(Select One)

- ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native
☐ Asian
☐ Black or African American
☐ Hispanic or Latino
☐ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
☐ White
☐ Choose Not to Respond

Are you in the United States on a Visa - Nonresident Alien?

- ☐ Yes in the United States on a Visa.
Provide Home Country of Origin _____
☐ Not in the United States on a Visa

Highest Degree Earned Year _____

- ☐ Associate's
☐ Bachelor's
☐ Doctorate

High School Graduate _____ Yes _____ No

Year Earned _____

City _____

GED _____ Yes _____ No

Year Earned _____

State _____

Fees are refundable when a course is canceled by the College. Fees are refundable to the student whose written request for withdrawal has been received by the Office of Admissions and Records prior to the registration deadline.

| Course ID | Course Title | Cost |
|-----------|--|--------------------------|
| 6911 | Cedarville and Addams Family Artifacts | \$50 including materials |
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Method of payment:

- ☐ Full payment by check (check # _____) Make checks payable to Highland Community College.

Mail registration with check to: Attn. Admissions, Highland Community College, 2998 W Pearl City Rd, Freeport, IL 61032

- ☐ Full payment by credit card (Highland will call you for credit card number to process over phone). Preferred phone (_____) _____ - _____

Total cost for classes **\$50**

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Student's Signature _____

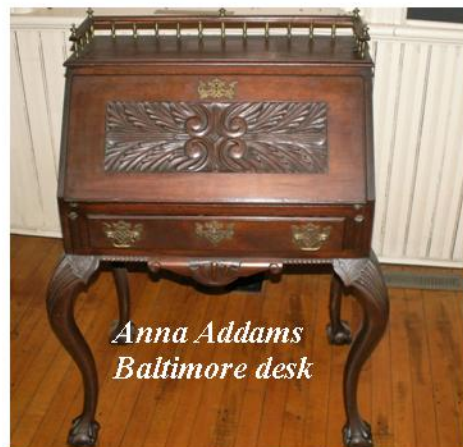
Date _____

What's Behind the Addams Artifacts?

The furniture, the personal effects, the photographs, the paintings, the documents that comprise the collection of almost one hundred Addams family items on indefinite loan to the Cedarville Area Historical Society are not just "old things that belonged to an old local family" They are pieces of history that reflect the life of the previous owner.

Let's examine a few of these pieces.

The finely crafted, small desk that belonged to Anna Haldeman Addams, second wife of John Addams, reflects the exquisite tastes of Anna who was known as a well-educated and cultured woman. Because she had money, she traveled to Europe and Florida. She enjoyed poetry, reading and music. A patrician, so to speak, a label that rubbed some Cedarville residents the wrong way. She purchased the desk in 1886, a year when she and Jane Addams lived in Baltimore.



*Anna Addams
Baltimore desk*



*Anna by her desk
in November 1907*

Besides her other attributes, Anna was a long-lived and sturdy woman, dying in 1919 at the age of 91. Her sole heir was Marcet Haldeman-Julius, Anna's only granddaughter.

Marcet's mother, Sarah Alice Addams Haldeman, is heavily represented in the collection. Sarah, usually known as "Allie" in the family, was an older sister of Jane and was married to Henry (Harry) Winfield Haldeman, Anna's son by her marriage to William Haldeman who died in 1866, two years before his widow's marriage to John Addams.

Sarah was an unusual woman with many talents. She became president of a private bank in Girard, Kansas, she was a trained medical nurse and a good artist and photographer.

A considerable number of paintings are credited to her although most of them are unsigned. She took photographs at Hull-House that were later published. She also created art pieces in the shops at

Hull=House. Several dated to 1903 are in the collection.



This brass bowl (shown upside down) was created in 1903 by Sarah Haldeman in the Hull-House shops. Her "SAH" monogram is visible.



Addams dog "Ponto" by Sarah



A silver spoon created in the Hull-House workshops by Sarah. Note her "SAH" monogram on the handle.

Sarah was born in 1853 and died in 1915, ten years after her husband. It is interesting that Anna disapproved of her son's marriage to Sarah and John Addams disapproved of his daughter's marriage to Henry Haldeman. But Anna's will left her entire estate to Marcet, the couple's only child.

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The society is recognized as a non-profit organization by Illinois and the U.S. government and has been designated as eligible for tax deductible gifts under IRS tax code regulation 501 (c) (3).

Seventeenth Annual

Chili-Soup-Sandwich-Dessert

Lunch / Annual Meeting

Sunday, February 4

11 a.m. to 1p.m.

New Location: Cedarville Museum



Adults: \$6; Children under 12: \$2

Tickets available at the door

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