

May 2018

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Refreshment List

May:
June:
August: picnic
September:
October:
November:
December:

Oakfield Historical Society

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Our next meeting is on Tuesday, May 1, 2018. Our board meeting is at 5:45 and our program at 7:00. Our friend Matt Ballard, the Orleans County Historian will be presenting *Stories that Kill: Infamous Crimes in Orleans County's History*



Annual dues are due they are now \$5.00 per person.

Our annual golf tournament will be Saturday, June 23, 2018. This is a 4 man scramble. The cost is \$75.00 per person this includes 18 holes w/cart, lunch at turn and dinner following. If you would like to sponsor a hole in the name of your business or in memory of someone you may do so for \$100.00

A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT.....

The museum reopened last weekend and it was very well attended. We were very happy to have Rick Hale and Jim Ferris come spend the day with us. Rick brought his gun collection and hand carved powder horns. Jim Ferris came dressed as a man from the 1700's with him he brought his pack that would allow him to survive in the woods for 4 – 5 days in the 1700's. He did several show & tell demonstrations throughout the day and everyone enjoyed it. THEN, Bill Chase showed how to knapp an arrowhead. Bill has worked very hard and has learned how to make arrowheads. He has made some of glass, they are amazing. Bill is constantly learning how the Native Americans did things clay pipes and bowls, arrowheads, weaving and so much more. Each year he has something new in the displays.



Don't forget the cemetery clean up this year will be at the Reed Cemetery. If you would like to join us we will be starting about 8:30 until about 12:00. Please bring work gloves a shovel or any tools you think would be helpful.

Our new website is still under construction but it is coming along this should be finished soon. Now that we have the displays finished we can do the updates to the rooms and it will be done.

Happy Spring!! Laurie Nanni