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Refreshment List

August: picnic  
September:  
October:  
November:  
December:

*Oakfield Historical Society*

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Our next meeting is our annual picnic at the home of Gary & Laurie Nanni, 7151 Fox Road. Please bring a dish to pass. You may call Dar at 948-5926 or Laurie at 259-4145, to let us know what you are bringing. Burgers, hot dogs and beverages will be provided. Party starts at 6:00 PM.

Our golf tournament was a great success with all 18 holes being sponsored and a whopping 16 teams. It was a beautiful day for golf and fun was had by everyone. Next year's date is Saturday, June 22, 2019.

Do you know what this is?



### *A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT.....*

Wow, time is flying I cannot believe that it is August already. We were so busy in June that it was a complete blur. We started with a great tour for the OACS 50<sup>th</sup> class reunion. Then we had the 2<sup>nd</sup> graders come to the museum. THIS is our favorite day of the year!! These kids are just amazing. They love to hear all about the museum and look at everything in it. Bill Chase mesmerizes all of them when he shows them the Native American room. We split the classes and Dar takes half on a walking tour of the Village giving them a little booklet showing them the old businesses, and explains about the big fire. The rest of us shows them museum, then we switch. This year we had a little contest. The picture on the previous page is a Parlor Trap that was donated to us by Scott & Kim Gibson; we had the kids guess what they thought it was. The winner got a \$10.00 gift certificate for ice cream at the Oak Grill. We had lots of guesses from a dog muzzle to a horse hoof protector. We took all the correct guesses (about 20) and put them in a basket and drew a winner, Emily Waldron. It was great fun and the kids loved the contest. We really appreciate Claudia Gelder, she organizes this tour every year, helping us keep the history of Oakfield alive. After the tour it was then time to really gear up for the golf tournament. Thank you to all of those who made a donation, either for a hole sponsor or a raffle donation, we truly appreciate all your help! After all the bills were paid, we made a profit of \$3,649.86. THIS is huge for the society, it will help keep the museum running, paying for books to be published, fire insurance, mortgage, utilities, maintenance etc. It is a blessing we are able to do this tournament to keep everything running. Hope to see you at the picnic! Laurie

