



What's Happening at the Village?

April - June 2017

Afternoon Tea, April 8, 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm: Seating times available at 2:00pm, 2:30pm or 3:00pm. Limited Seating is available. Call for reservations. Cost is \$12 for JCHS members; \$15 for non-members. Pre-payment is required. This event will be an elegant, relaxed experience. In addition to a selection of teas and coffee, an abundance of finger sandwiches, sweets and scones will be served. All proceeds raised from this event will go toward programming and upkeep at the Jefferson County Historical Village.

Morning Coffee Hour April 15, 10am-11am: Enjoy a relaxing coffee break with friends of the Jefferson County Historical Society and learn more about what goes on at the Historical Village.

Chat Session April 18, 1pm-2pm: Chat topic will be "Churches". Discussion will include: pastors, buildings, music, and traditions. Feel free to bring photos, artifacts and other items to show and tell.

Bringin' it Back April 22, 2pm: This musical group consists of eight musicians that include three acoustic guitars and an acoustic bass and vocals. Come enjoy an afternoon of music from the 50's and 60's. Sing along and enjoy entertainment meant for all of those who love this genre. Favorite songs from Peter, Paul, and Mary, The Kingston Trio, and many other iconic folk singers will be performed.

Exhibit Preview Party April, 27, 4pm- 6pm: The theme of the exhibit is "Entertainment". The exhibit will feature a radio collection of over 100 radios, some dating back to the 1920's. A theater setting will provide a look back to the early movie days in Mt. Vernon. Jefferson County Fairs and the Circus will also be featured. The Chautauqua adult education movement of the 19th and early 20th centuries will also be part of the exhibit.

Theater Seats from the Plaza Theater at 118 S. 9th Street. The theater opened in 1919 and had a full orchestra for many years.



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The Historical Village Opens for Weekend Tours, May 6, 10am-4pm: May-October: Saturdays 10am-4pm and Sundays 1pm- 4pm: The Museum and the Village, with its buildings and their contents, reflect life in Jefferson County from the mid-19th century to more recent years and will be open for tours. The Schweinfurth Museum will also be open for tours. The JCHS new exhibit will be "Entertainment".

Chat Session May 16, 1pm-2pm: Chat topic will be "Names". How did the places in Jefferson County get their names? Examples are: streets, roads, boulevards, hills and towns. Feel free to bring photos, artifacts and other items to show and tell.

Morning Coffee Hour May 20, 10am- 11am: Enjoy a relaxing coffee break with friends of the Jefferson County Historical Society and learn more about what goes on at the Historical Village.

4Given Musical Program May 20, 2pm: Barb Bartley, Allyson Heitmeyer, and Ronda Phillips are a Christian music group that has been singing together for 21 years. They will sing through the years starting with songs from the 40's and ending with contemporary Christian music. 4Given will feature songs from artists such as The Andrew Sisters and The McGuire Sisters. Songs will include: "Don't Sit Under the Apple Tree", "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy", "Mr. Sandman", "Chattanooga Choo Choo", and gospel favorites.

Barbara Kay and Bill Paulic WWII Sing-Along June 10, 2pm: The World War II Sing Along takes the audience down memory lane. Barbara serves as the narrator and will go through the big news stories from 1941 up to 1945 and sing songs about them. These news stories are not just about the war, but about sports and entertainment news as well. Audience participation is encouraged.

Summer Quarterly Dinner June 13, 6:30pm: The Jefferson County Historical Society will host a spring quarterly dinner and program. The program will be given by Ellen Breeding and friends featuring the music of Irving Berlin. Pre-registration is required; please register by June 9th. You may register by calling 618-246-0033. Payment may be made at the door; \$8 per person.

Morning Coffee June 17, 10am- 11am: Enjoy a relaxing coffee break with friends of the Jefferson County Historical Society and learn more about what goes on at the Historical Village.

All events are at the Jefferson County Historical Village unless noted.

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