

### Welcome to our newest members

Donna Hamilton  
Joyce Thomas  
Joe Lombardo  
Molly Carter Calhoun  
Ada Forney  
Patricia Andrews  
Penny Cooper  
Kathy Dunn  
Hope Little  
Rocky Mosley  
Patricia Mullins

Do you have a summer address? - If you travel and will be gone for an extended time, let us know so we can mail your newsletter to your second address. The post office will not forward bulk mail - They throw it away - This is an expensive waste.

### Treasurer's Talk

We are looking forward to having everyone visit on February 23rd at 10am at the museum for Col. Titus' Historical Birthday Walk. The Historical Walk will be led by Roz Foster from the Florida Historical Commission. Cake and punch will be served at the Museum afterward.

~ Joan Harper

### New Museum Items

The museum staff would like to thank the following people for their item donations and loans of items.

- Nasa Apollo Patches - Bob Spillers
- Nasa Framed Photos - Bob Spillers
- Vintage Military Medal Reproductions - James Burt
- Virginia Bradly's Army Nurses' Cape - Elizabeth Bradley
- Air Force Suitcase, Jumpsuit & Jacket - Kettie Makin
- First Christian Church Plate - Betty Wattwood
- Antique Food Graters - Terri & John Eberhart
- Titusville Hardware Store Check - Terri & John Eberhart
- Parkway Annuals - Mary Ellen & Karen Duggan
- Jamacian Doll & Scout Patch - Mary Richmond
- Gen. Mac Aurthur Photos - Virginia Millsaps
- Astronaut High Pins and Photos - Brenda Pittman

### A note from the Vice President

Thank You, Thank you for the wonderful turnout to hear Mrs. Ada Forney! Her stories and presentation were wonderful and enjoyed by all.

Our guest this month will be Mr. Chuck Reed, A native Floridian from Cocoa. Mr. Reed writes a column called "Those days remembered" in the Star Advocate. Please mark February 25th @ 2:00 to attend the meeting and to welcome our guest.

~ Helen Durian

### Got Space!

Did you or a relative work in the space program?

Got a bunch of space or NASA related items taking up space in your home?

Looking for somewhere to donate them?

Bring them to the Museum! We are looking to add more artifacts from the space era to the museum. We will even stop by and pick them up.

### An Afternoon in the Park ~

Vendor & Demonstration Space going fast!

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The planning is underway!

This is our most important event as it is our main fundraiser for the Museum. I am looking to really expand the displays and vendors this year - but I need help - If you can, and want to help please call myself or Joan Harper - we need all types of volunteers. Spread the word and invite a friend! We are looking forward to seeing you there. If you cannot attend, we hope that you will still buy your tickets to help support the museum.

### Watch for your Barbeque tickets in the mail soon!

This is our main fundraiser for the museum. If you cannot attend the barbeque, we encourage you to buy your tickets and send in the funds as a donation to support your museum or to get them to someone who will buy them. We are counting on this event to raise some much needed funds for our termite bill coming up as well as our insurance bill.

*I would like to add more pages to the newsletter as I am running out of space - but I am trying to keep the cost down.  
- a second page would add \$30.00 a month to the cost.  
If you would like to help fund an expanded newsletter  
- Please send in your donation marked newsletter or call Ed @ 514-0096*

### Misc...

I am the voice on the other end of the phone usually asking for help. I am so thankful to those who can come in and sit at the museum "in a pinch" because the goal is to keep the museum open.

When you are at the museum next, please check the calendar on the desk and call me if you can give a bit more of your time. How about one more day a month? Even a half day a month would go a long way to fill in the empty slots. If you can add a permanent slot, that is even better.

You, the volunteers, make it happen for the people at the door who see the "OPEN" sign. To you all, thank you.

Sally Ludlow  
Volunteer Coordinator  
385-3813

**Bring a friend to the North Brevard Historical Museum!**



### Memorials

Mrs. Virginea Dunn Cooper ~ Mr. & Mrs. C.P. Durian

Mr. Bert E. Hedrick ~ Mr. & Mrs. C.P. Durian

Mrs. Virginea Dunn Cooper ~ Mr. & Mrs. William Birnbaum

Mr. Bobby Futch ~ Mrs. William Mattingly

Mr. William Myers ~ Mr. & Mrs. C.P. Durian

Mrs. Claudia Koehler ~ Mrs. Nancy J. Dupper

Mr. Bobby Futch ~ Mrs. Wanda E. Clark

Mrs. Barbara Bryan Henderson ~ Mrs. Wanda E. Clark

### Alert!

If there is a red dot on your mailing label, This may be your last newsletter.

Please check your records to see if your dues have been paid. If there is a question, please call the museum on Tuesday.

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What's



This  
Month

- ◆ Message From the President
- ◆ Vice President's message
- ◆ New items/donations
- ◆ Memorials
- ◆ New members
- ◆ New Staff
- ◆ Barbeque

## Message from the President

Happy Valentine's Day! February already, where does the time go. It seems like just yesterday Pam and I moved in and were getting settled - learning our way around town. June will make 2 full years since our move to Titusville. Wow!

The museum board of directors would like to say thank you to all of our hard working volunteers for staffing the museum. We appreciate all of you and look forward to your continued support. If you are able to help out by sitting an extra day now and then it would really be a great help.

Many of you were very loyal to June and I know that meant a great deal to her. Please help Sally by making a phone call or two if something happens and you cannot make your assigned time. If you cannot find a replacement, please give Sally a call.

Do you have a buddy? If there are pairs of volunteers that would like to take a regular day and time to sit together, please let Sally know. This will ease her scheduling woes.

Sally has taken over one of the hardest jobs at the museum. I hope that everyone can give her time to get to know each and every one of you.

The new Arcadia Books are in! We have four titles in stock now;

- ~ "Florida Light Houses"
- ~ "Florida East Coast Railroad"
- ~ "Titusville and Mims"
- ~ "Florida's Railroads"

Arriving on or about the 15th will be "North Brevard County" by John Manning & Bob Hudson. Each book is \$20.00 and that includes the tax. When you sell a book, please write out a receipt and place the money in the envelope for books in the desk drawer. That's it!

We hope the books will help raise much needed funds for our museum. Bob Hudson and Pat Manning have also agreed to do a book signing at the Barbeque!

~ Sincerely,  
Edmund M. Kindle



## ~ Meeting Schedule for February ~

- Board Meeting - February 21st @ 10:00am
- General Membership meeting - February 28th @ 2pm

## Officers

President Edmund M. Kindle  
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Treasurer Joan Harper  
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## Museum Staff

Volunteer Coordinator Sally Ludlow



Got a question?  
Ask us!



Got an idea?  
Let us know!