



THE SWANSEA HISTORICAL SOCIETY
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"The Swansea Historical Society Celebrates Its 80th Anniversary"

Over the past year many changes have occurred within the Swansea Historical Society.

Because of the pandemic the Luther Store Museum has been closed to the public. Which meant no school tours for the children. Our fund raising events and programs have been put on hold. But the Society has prevailed. With the help of Sandra Clark Society member, we have started a new Swansea Historical Society web-site, Swanseahistoricalsociety.org. We will be celebrating the Society's 80th Anniversary by presenting a series of Still Photo presentations on the history of the Swansea Historical Society, along with a series of virtual tours on historical districts, historical buildings homes and historical sites of Swansea, with the help of Adam Kitchen from Swansea Cable Access. You will be able to view all the programs on the Swansea Historical Society's web-site and the Town of Swansea's web page.

As you know the Swansea Historical Society and its all-volunteer staff, operates on a tight budget. Our funds come primarily from dues, donations, events, and programs. In addition to our usual operating expenses, the Society is responsible for the care and preservation of our collections at the Luther Store Museum and Swansea Public Library.

Currently the museum is in need of a new roof with plans of replacement this spring as well as other repairs that go along with owning a historical building.

Membership benefits: Knowing that your dues and donations will ensure the growth and existence of the Swansea Historical Society and The Luther Store Museum.

Committees: Seats are open on several of our committees. Your time and talent is needed. Some of our committees are listed below. There is a place in the Swansea Historical Society for you.

Programs and Events / Refreshments / Membership/ Fundraising /Grounds and Property Maintenance and several others

Once things get back to normal and we are able to inter act safely, your continued support will help us with the Luther Store Museum, school tours, Vendor Craft Fairs and Food Events. In past years we had a successful Sea Glass Class, Vendor Craft Fair, Clam Boil / Raffle and Pumpkin Patch Event. We hope you will continue to be part of this wonderful organization

On behalf of the Board of Directors and Officers of the Society, I thank you so very much.

Carl Becker, President, Swansea Historical Society