

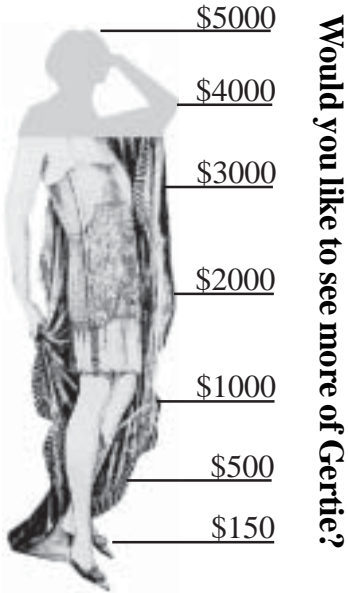
CHEQUAQUET LOG



The Newsletter of the Centerville Historical Museum

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Gertie's GERTHOMETER
contributions toward technology upgrades



TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES FUND DRIVE

Those who generously contributed are:

- Reza Mahdavi &
- Marie-Pierre Dillenseger
- Jean Desmond
- Rotary Club of Osterville
- Ralph and Iris Tolbert
- Royden and Jacqueline Richardson
- Joanne B. Chope Corsiglia
- Peter Buffington
- Andrew and Sally Buffington
- Andrew and Virginia Carothers
- Douglas and Virginia Murphy
- Nancy Hilmer

Those who graciously contributed their time readying the collection for the technology upgrades are:

- Pam Carew (jewelry, glass & purse collection); Eryn Fians (shoe collection); Julie Mahdavi (salts collection); Edmund Sullivan (ephemera collection); Eben Johnson (photography collection); Gwen Brown & Millicent Earls (baby clothes collection); Katie Miller (fan collection); Jenny Agel (helper); Joan Grover, Eryn Fians, Pam Carew, Diane Brooke (database management).

Who is involved in this project? We are coming to the end of a year long drive to upgrade the museum's technology. We are \$1500.00 short of our goal and will still gladly accept any restricted contribution toward meeting this goal. We want to see what Gertie looks like, don't you?



Pam Carew and Eryn Fians working on different parts of the collection.

**KEEP
CURRENT**

57th Annual Meeting

The Centerville Historical Museum's 57th Annual Meeting. November 12, 1PM

Holiday Silent Auction

Place your bids!! November 21 to December 13 during open hours

Precious Purses, Ravishing Reticules: A High Tea

Tea, delicious refreshments, a raffle, and a presentation of ladies' and gentlemen's handbags. Saturday, November 14, 1-3PM

The Architecture of Cape Cod

Three part lecture series examines the history of Cape Cod Architecture.

November 5 & 19, December 3, 7PM

MUSEUM ACTIVITIES



Bridge Lessons with ACBL Master Mickey MacMillan.



Volunteer Millicent Earls and museum matriarch Elna Nelson talk about Centerville, as part of the museum's Oral History Project.



Christine Rathbun, seen here as part of Assorted Strands, an evening of spoken 'yarns' and story telling in conjunction with the exhibit, IN THE LOOP.



Volunteer Joan Grover, working on the *technology upgrade project* by inputting collection data.



The winning foursome and Starting the day.
The 8th Annual CHM Golf Tournament at the Oyster Harbors Club.



SURPRISE !!!
Marie-Pierre Dillenseger and Reza Mahdavi, with party goers at Marie-Pierre's surprise birthday party.

C O M I N G E V E N T S

In The Loop though November 14



If you haven't had the time to see this exquisite exhibit, be sure to come over and enjoy it before Nov. 14. Four contemporary artisans are represented, each specializing in yarn works. There are soft sculptures, purses, jackets, scarves, capes and more. Great Christmas gifts, all hand made and beautifully constructed!

Precious Purses A High Tea

November 14th, 1 to 3PM

Come enjoy a delightful high tea of homemade sandwiches, pastries and desserts. Our feature presentation will be a walk through the history of the handbag and a look at several exquisite purses from the museum collection.

Cape Cod Architecture

Cape Cod has a rich history of architecture. Join us Thursday nights for this three-part series given by Ralph Tolbert, AIA.

Nov. 5th The First 150 Years

Nov. 19th The 19th Century

Dec. 3rd The 20th Century and Today

Talks will begin at 7PM.

Members \$3, non-members \$5.

"Spectacle of Trees"

December 3-5

Support the Centerville Museum by visiting the J.F.K. Museum in Hyannis for the "Spectacle of Trees", December 3-5th. View the 24 themed holiday trees and choose your favorite to win (raffle). The Centerville Museum's entry is "It's For the Birds" - Free admission and all bid s for our tree support our museum.

Holiday Silent Auction

December 1 through 13

Come in and bid at the Holiday Silent Auction - December 1-13, Tuesday through Saturday, 12 to 4PM, at the museum. Gift certificates, holiday gifts and gift baskets, artwork and more! Bidding ends 7PM the night of the Christmas Stroll.

CHM Classic Theater Night

Remember the old days of the black and white movie? They are coming back.

Best Years of Our Lives (1946),

Big Sleep (1946), *Sunset Boulevard* (1950),

Portrait of Jennie (1948), *Rebecca* (1940),

Top Hat (1935) ... and more.

Popcorn of course, no admission, seating is limited, first come-first seat, historic movies - historic museum, come see the best of black and white. *Dates & time TBA.*

"Fancy Nancy"

Valentine Tea Party

Saturday, February 6th, 2PM

In time for Valentine's Day! Tea party for young girls 5 years and up. Come "Fancy"!!! Fun with crafts, goodies to eat. Family, Patron, Benefactor, & Business Member: \$22/child; \$25/child non-member; chaperon fee: \$5. Register early, limited seating. Inquire about gift certificates.

Historic Valentine Exhibit and Wine Tasting

19th and early 20th century valentine memorabilia and ephemera will be on exhibit for a limited time in late winter. In conjunction with this exhibit we are planning an evening of wine and food tasting. *Dates and time TBA.*

Please Join us for a relaxing afternoon

Precious Purses, Ravishing Reticules

& Tea



Advance reservation required. Reserve early as space is limited.

Saturday, November 14th, 1-3PM

Come enjoy a delightful high tea of homemade sandwiches, pastries, desserts and, of course, tea.

Step back in time with us and look at the purpose of the purse. Learn about the traditions, styles and fashion history of the many types of purses. Items from our collection will be on view to enhance your experience. Event will include a narrative presentation, demonstrations and a raffle.

NAME(S): _____

TEL #: () _____ Email _____

Number CHM Member(s) @ \$20 each: _____

Number of Non-member(s) @ \$25 each: _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

Please make your check(s) payable to: Centerville Historical Museum, 513 Main Street, Centerville, MA, 02632

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HOURS:

Tuesday through Saturdays,
May 1 through December 12,
from 12:00 p.m. - 4 p.m.



Barbara Dunn



We will all remember Barbara's great laugh and light hearted humor. She was a long standing museum member, volunteer and friend. We will miss her.

BUSINESS MEMBERS

We do wish to acknowledge our current business members and ask you our constituents to support these businesses in every way you can.



Attorney
Frederick Chirigotis

