### **Town of Greenfield**

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# Historical Society Newsletter Special Edition

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### Calendar

September 15, 2009: Tuesday, pot-luck dinner at 6 p.m., meeting at 7 p.m., at the Community Center in Greenfield Center. *Program: An Old Time Sing Along with Jim Smith and Lynn Woschinger providing the music.* 

October 20, 2009: Tuesday, meeting at 7 p.m. at the Community Center in Greenfield Center.

Program by Dick Rowland, Stories from the Saratoga County Fair.

**November 17, 2009:** Tuesday, meeting at 7 p.m. at the Community Center in Greenfield Center. *Program to follow.* 

Reminder that our year of meetings begins in September so everyone's membership renewal is due (unless you have recently paid). We have made it easy to renew your membership (or become a new member) by filling out our membership application contained in this newsletter and mailing it with your dues (if you prefer to keep your newsletter intact, you may copy the necessary information on another sheet and send it). We will also accept memberships at our meetings. The only requirement to become a member is an interest in local history (residency in the town is not required). We hope to have another good year, and we need you as a member to help it happen.

### Message from Ron Feulner, President

Hi, we decided to send you this special edition of our newsletter to update you on the farmer's market. We have had a difficult time sorting everything out this spring regarding the fate of the market. First, we were all set to go, then our insurance company informed us that they would not cover us if we sponsored the market. That caused us to seek other solutions, none of which seemed ideal. Finally, our insurance agent found a company who would provide the same coverage that we have had, and in addition, they had no problem with the farmer's market providing we follow a few simple rules that they outlined. We were back in business again and looking forward to a bigger and better market.

As president of the historical society, I would urge all of you to support the market. Many of us have already invested a good deal of time and effort in getting it organized. Now we need you folks to step up to the plate and make it a success. If you wish to be a vendor, contact Ron Deutsch, 469-6769, (Chairman of the Farmer's Market Committee) and let him know as soon as possible. If you would like to volunteer to spend one or more evenings (4-7 p.m.) in the historical society's booth handing out literature and signing up new members, you can call me at 518-893-0620. If you are not able to do either of these, please consider shopping on as many of the market days as you can. You will be supporting your neighbors and the historical society. Together we can make this year's market an even bigger success than last year's. Thanks, and see you at the market or in September.

Ron Feulner, President

### Greenfield Farmers Market Starts Friday, June 26, 2009

Hi Folks:

The Farmers Market is on. All of our insurance problems have been solved thanks to the hard work of Ron Feulner and others. We will be sponsored by the Town of Greenfield Historical Society and supported by the Town of Greenfield and the Greenfield Community and Business Association. It is a great partnership between the Town, the Historical Society and the GCBA. We are all working together to make this a success.

We are very excited about this years market. We will be moving to Middle Grove Park (just a hundred yards up the road from where we were at last year). We will have plenty of parking available for everyone – and plenty of space for vendors.

Here is what we will need:

- For those with insurance (commercial vendors) we will need you to list the Town of Greenfield and the Town of Greenfield Historical Society as additionally insured on your policy.
- For smaller vendor that have no insurance you will simply need to become members of the Historical Society to be covered under our insurance.
- We will be charging a flat \$25 fee this will cover your membership into the Historical Society and for the advertising in the Moneysaver Newspaper for 10 weeks.
- Those serving food should get a NYS Dept. of Health certificate saying you have a clean kitchen and can serve food.

Also need you to tell me what products you will be selling and will need you to commit to attending at least 7 of the 10 markets we will have this season. Please e-mail me a list of your products and that you will commit to be at 7 markets minimum.

Please see the enclosed Farmers Market Flyer.

I will hold a planning meeting in the next couple of weeks for vendors that want to come to the market. Please contact me for more information.

Thanks, Ron (Deutsch)

Ron Deutsch - 469-6769 - MKD67@aol.com

### It's Back! Better and Bigger than Ever!



Town of Greenfield Historical Society proudly presents:

# Greenfield Farmers Market Middle Grove Park, Middle Grove Road Every Friday from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. June 26 - September 4, 2009

### **Vendors will provide:**

- Locally grown vegetables
- Locally made crafts
- Tours of Historic Odd Fellows Hall right next to market
- Plenty of parking, bathrooms and places for the kids to play while you shop and meet your neighbors and friends

### SPONSORED BY: TOWN OF GREENFIELD HISTORICAL SOCIETY



## **TOWN OF GREENFIELD**



### **Membership Application/Renewal**

Become a member of the Town of Greenfield Historical Society and receive our newsletter. Send \$10 along with your name and address to the address shown below. If you send more it will be considered a donation. Other types of memberships are also available (lifetime, corporate, etc.), just call and ask (518 893-0620). Our membership year begins in September, and dues are paid annually. You may also join at one of our meetings.

Send this application form and fee to Town of Greenfield Historical Society, P.O. Box 502, Greenfield Center, NY 12833.

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We need articles for the 2009-10 year. If you would like to write an article f Town of Greenfield Historical Society, P.O. Box 502, Greenfield Center, NY using Microsoft Word, e-mail it to: aliron@localnet.com.	for the newsletter, send it to:

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