

## **Newport Historical Society Museum Report for July 8, 2013**

Since our last meeting (21) visitors have signed the attendance book. Plus we had 22 children and 3 teachers from Cinnamon Street Day Care.

Purchases: We purchased an "Oak Ice Box" for the kitchen display. We purchased the book, "The Judge's Daughter", from the Charlestown Historical Society.

We have had (4) donations since the last meeting:

Priscilla & Jerry Hagebusch donated an American Flag that we can display when open.

Mary Keith Barton Revocable Trust: An (8) piece silver plate tea service and an old Newport scrap book from the Barton family circa 1900.

Barbara Aiken donated her mother's scrap book, many programs:

Winter Carnival, Prize Speaking, School plays, Opera House, Glee Club,  
Football, American Legion

Laura Pickney donated (2) Newport High School yearbooks, an advertisement yard stick and football poster from 1976 Newport High School.

We have an additional quote to have the building re-roofed. We now have (7) quotes ranging from \$6,543.50 to \$14,850.00 (see attached summary)

Patrick Hennig has asked to do a project for the Historical Society that would qualify him for a Merit Badge. He will be working to organize, catalogue and store the military related inventory.

We need volunteers to assist the Museum Committee members and the Historical Society Executive Committee members on Sundays when the Museum is open. Training will be provided.

Respectfully

Larry Cote, Museum Director

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