

Newport Historical Society
Museum Report of October 12, 2015

We had 18 visitors sign the register during the month of September.

We made (2) purchases of artifacts since the last report:

A pint milk bottle from the Sunnyside Farm on Unity Road (Ann Tenney's home)
\$24.24. We have a Real Photo Postcard of this farm.

A second copper boiler for the kitchen display \$35

We had 7 individual donations of artifacts to the Museum in the month of August.

Dick Gassett (7) items

Barbara Bailey (48) items

Barbara Kresse (27) items

Jan Michel (7) items

Susan Parker (19) items

Kay McCrillis (1) item

Maxine Scott Houle (1) item

We have all new or upgraded the displays, please take a look.

The wall out front that was damaged by the tractor trailer has been fixed and the work paid for by the trucking company.

The 3rd floor bathroom fixtures have been removed and the work started to make it into a storage area.

The work to remove the vegetation from around the foundation of the Museum is completed; work was done by Dick Gassett, Dean Stetson and me. At the same time, Dick repaired the stone wall and cleaned up the flower bed out front. Dick Gassett donated most of the materials.

Virginia Irwin is looking into the quotes for the alarm system.

We want to thank the Museum Committee Members, Board Members and the Docents that have given up their Sundays to staff the Museum. They make the Museum available for the public to learn about their town and answer questions from the visitors.

We are always looking for new Docents, training will be provided. You will enjoy your time there and will learn a little more about your Town.

Respectfully

Larry Cote

Newport Historical Society Museum Director