

Growth Continues at the Maritime Museum

Things continue to change at the Maritime Museum. The biggest change since Christmas has been the installation of our new library shelves. Member Jean Charters, a retired librarian, has volunteered to do the labeling and cataloging for our growing Maritime book collection. These books will be on the shelves later this year for the browsing pleasure of guests at the museum.

Our Maritime museum store is also expanding its offerings. If you haven't been in lately, come see the new jewelry and children's toys. Our store managers, Carin Nelson and Kathy Holodnak continue to seek out interesting offerings.

Keep your eye on the Maritime Museum this summer as the parking lot will take on its new look with excavating for the boat yard. If you are the construction-type, watch for notifications about work parties.



Thanks for Your Great Support: Dinner Auction a Huge Success

Thank you to all who volunteered their help or donated to our dinner auction on March 19 and to all who purchased items or donated to the Raise the Paddle event. When all is said and done, we will realize about \$36,000 from this event, our largest yet. Nearly \$10,000 of this was earmarked for the Boat Yard structure. The rest will go into our general budget, paying for rent, utilities, supplies and all the other many things necessary for running our three museums! You are indeed valued partners in preserving and celebrating the history of Poulsbo and North Kitsap.



Another Opportunity Awaits — Coming up almost immediately is the Kitsap Great Give. Here is another great way to donate to Poulsbo Historical Society. Kitsap Great Give is an on-line one day of giving in which you can choose from a variety of non-profits listed on the Kitsap Great Give website in a quick and painless way! Just google Kitsap Great Give and choose Poulsbo Historical Society and you will find out how fun and easy it is to give. Last year was our second year of participation and we garnered about \$1100 from gracious donors. It costs about \$6,000 a month to operate the three museums and various programs, and every contribution helps.

From the History Corner

By Judy Driscoll

It was 102 years ago this coming September that the great Poulsbo Fire wiped out one-third of the downtown businesses. The Olympic Hotel building is celebrating its century mark this year. The original building was constructed in 1890 by Capt. John J. and Anna Hansen.

Following the death of Capt. Hansen, his wife sold it to Andrew and Christine Johnson. This is the same Andrew Johnson whose name was quickly changed to Andrew Young after he instructed his sweetheart to address her love letters to him as Andrew Johnson “young,” so the postmaster wouldn’t deliver his personal mail to an older Andrew Johnson across the bay.

In 1901 the Andrew Youngs bought the Olympic Hotel and quickly expanded its offerings by attaching an annex and incorporating a restaurant, a drug store, and often offices for local dentists and doctors within its walls. The hotel was the focal point for the start of the fire the night of September 14, 1914. Young first rebuilt his property which had been destroyed across the street on the waterfront.



Original Olympic Hotel, about 1890.

It wasn’t until April 14, 1916, that the new hotel opened for business. Like most of the buildings constructed after the fire, the building was of solid concrete. Mr. Young said he had learned his lesson, so he had the walls built extra thick because he wasn’t about to lose the hotel to a fire a second time. Come to the Heritage Museum for a look at a few artifacts from the Olympic Hotel.

Other Exhibits at the Heritage Museum

On display this year at the Heritage Museum are exhibits celebrating more anniversaries in town. The Martha and Mary and Ebenezer exhibits present 125 years of caring through this well-known organization in Poulsbo.

The Grieg Lodge Sons of Norway is celebrated in an exhibits of the SONS century on the shores of Liberty Bay. The tall, red, log-front building on Front Street was the SONS original building, purchased in 1917 from the Poulsbo Athletic Club.

That building served as the lodge hall until 1973 when the new Grieg Hall was built nearby.



Monthly Programs Continue To Delight and Inform

If you haven't been to a membership meeting lately, you're missing out on half the fun of your membership. In January Mary Fitz and Bill Austin teamed up to tell us some the joys and pitfalls of restoring old homes and commercial buildings. The program could easily have filled two meetings as both speakers were quite entertaining. February was devoted to our yearly lesson on researching. Finding the Needle in the Haystack was presented by Judy Driscoll who took us through the steps she had recently used in putting together the pieces of a puzzle on the Henrichsen-Mesford families that came from a researcher in Norway. March was spent in a run-down of plans for the auction and a peek at some of the jobs necessary to complete a successful auction. In April historian Bob Nichols presented some of his recent research on Martha & Mary Children's Home in connection with the 125th anniversary of the home and the publishing of his book on the same topic. Bob's book will be available at our museum stores by May 1.

Program Presentations Are a Membership Benefit — Come and Enjoy!



Tuesday, May 10 at 9:30 a.m.

Paul Dorn, Suquamish Fisheries Department

History of Salmon

Paul brings a 30-plus years perspective on salmon restoration
In Kitsap County.

MONDAY, June 13, EVENING program at 7:00 p.m.

Richard Blumenthal

How Washington Towns Got Their Names

Bucoda to Yacont — or something in between — Richard will share
the background stories on towns we know and love.



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Tuesday, July 12 at 9:30 a.m.

Jeremy Sullivan and Kelly Sullivan

Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe

Jeremy Sullivan and Kelly Sullivan, representing the Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe, will bring us up to date on everything that is new and upcoming with the tribe, including their new hotel, restaurant and other additions.

Programs are presented in Poulsbo City Hall Council Chambers.

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Don't see your name on the list? Call the office at 360-440-7354. To begin or renew your membership, use the form on Page Six.

From the Bulletin Board

Volunteering at the Maritime Museum

- Greet the public. Welcome guests.
- There's a special need for volunteers on Saturdays.
- Take a three –and-a-half hour shift once a month.
- Contact Carol Tomas at the Maritime Museum.
- Or leave a message at 360-994-4943
- Or you can email:
PoulsboHistoryCoordinator@gmail.com

ART WALK

The Maritime Museum participates in the Art Walk offered downtown the second Saturday of the month. Join us for a great evening. Recommend artists! Volunteer to provide refreshments! Your involvement is welcome!

WALKING TOURS

It's tour season again, and we offer walking tours every Friday morning, starting at 9:00 on the waterfront. If you and your guests would like a tour to learn about downtown buildings and the stories behind them, contact the Heritage at 360-440-7354. Prices are reasonable at \$5 a person or \$20 per family.

Thank you!

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PIRATES PLUNDER

FLEA MARKET

A rummage sale to support
Poulsbo Historical Society

Saturday,
June 25

Christian Center
At First Lutheran
Church

Donations are NOW being accepted!

Contact Mickey Albanese

360-598-4667



Easy as a Click!

Anytime on Tuesday, May 3

- Go to www.KitsapGreatGive
- Click on Browse by Category
- Select Education
- Scroll down and click on Poulsbo Historical Society
- Or stop by the Maritime Museum 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and use our computer.



Upcoming Events

May

- 3 Kitsap Great Give – all day
Genealogy Interest Group meeting at 1:00 in the Heritage Museum
- 4 Girls Night Out in downtown Poulsbo with special events and sales at Poulsbo Maritime Museum and Visitor Center
- 6 Board Meeting at 9 a.m. in the third floor conference room at City Hall
Walking Tour starts at 9:00 on the waterfront
- 10 Paul Dorn of Suquamish Fisheries Department will discuss the history of salmon at 9:30 a.m. City Hall Council Chambers.
- 12 Special walking tour , led by Gordon Stenman, at 10 a.m. for Poulsbo Historical Society volunteers. Get to know the history, meet your downtown neighbors, make friends with other volunteers. A no-host lunch gathering will follow .
- 13 Walking Tour starts at 9:00 on the waterfront
- 14 Art Walk, 5 – 8 p.m. in downtown Poulsbo, Maritime Museum and Visitor Center participating
- 20 Walking Tour starts at 9:00 on the waterfront
- May 20 - 22 Viking Fest – Maritime Museum and Visitor Center participating with special sales, events
- 27 Walking Tour starts at 9:00 on the waterfront

June

- 3 Board meeting at 9 a.m. in the third floor conference room in City Hall
Walking Tour starts at 9:00 on the waterfront
- 7 Genealogy Interest Group meets at 1 p.m. in the Heritage Museum
- 9 Volunteer Outing – Destination to be announced... Save the date!
- 10 Walking Tour starts at 9:00 on the waterfront
- 13 An EVENING program presentation will feature Richard Blumenthal, talking about how Washington towns got their names. His talk will begin at 7 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers
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- 25 Pirates Plunder Flea Market, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Christian Center at First Lutheran Church

July

- 1 Board meeting at 9 a.m. in the third floor conference room at City Hall
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Membership Renewal Form

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Mailing Address _____

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Please mark your membership category and mail to:
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| _____ \$20 Individual | _____ \$100 Patron |
| _____ \$30 Family | _____ \$500 Corporate over 20 employees |
| _____ \$50 Business under 20 employees | |



New Signs in Downtown Will Showcase History of the Buildings

By Judy Driscoll

Be watching the old buildings along Front Street for new signs telling the story of buildings on Front Street. This has been a project we have long wanted to do but couldn't find the time or money together at the same time. All things came together during the past year when the NK Rotary donated the funds for the project, and we designed and produced the signs. You may have seen Jack Archer working along Front Street during these past weeks. He graciously offered his expertise in fastening the signs on a variety of cement, brick, and wood buildings, some with intricate trimming to work around. Thank you Jack, for your help on this project. Each sign features two photos of the building in its early years and a brief overview of its uses. We have materials for eight more signs yet to be assigned. With sixteen buildings already up and running, Poulsbo history will be more available to the general public.



Jerry Reitan and Judy Driscoll show off one of the signs that will bring Front Street history to life and demonstrate Poulsbo Historical Society's commitment to serving and engaging the community.

Maritime Museum: It Just Keeps Getting Better and Better!

By Dave Shields

September has been a busy month at the Maritime Museum. Bird Electric performed modifications to the building, including a new sub-panel and four circuits to be installed in the work room. These circuits will provide lighting and outlets in the future display and storage structures planned for the Boat Yard. Track lighting will also be installed near the back of the museum. This work was made possible by a generous donation from the Osberg Family Foundation.

Three new 10' x 20' tents have already been purchased and erected to protect current boats on display. A steel pipe flag pole, donated by the Sons of Norway, will be modified and installed near the Front Street end of the Boat Yard. A new structural engineer has been found to fine tune the design for the future storage and display structure. This action is a requirement for the Building Permit application.

In addition, inside the museum we will be continuing to work on the ship's cargo hold feature, which will mark the entrance to the museum and Maritime Library. This will consist of two large "knee braces" from the schooner *Wawona*, joined together by a hollow deck beam spanning the width of the room. Details will include a mast and vintage navigation lights.

Most importantly, we are always in the need of a few talented woodworkers and painters to support these projects and more as time goes on. Some projects are quick and small, while others are more significant and meaningful. We will schedule before- and after- hour work parties in order to minimize any disruption of the Maritime Museum during regular business hours. Contact me at 360-850-2389 or david.shields1@comcast.net to sign up for any or all projects.

C A Thayer Remains a Maritime Treasure

By Jim Shields

Capt J. E Shields purchased the vessel in 1925 for use in the codfish business, which was homeported in Poulsbo (now Liberty Bay Marina). The vessel went through an extensive conversion from use as a lumber schooner and salt salmon packer to codfishing in the Bering Sea, utilizing one-man dories fishing with hand lines.

Thayer had a varied career with the PCCC, first as a codfisher, then laid up during the great depression, and requisitioned by the government during WW II (1941- 1945). It was repurchased by the PCCC and returned to codfishing until 1950, which proved to be the last years any unit of the American fleet, which at one time numbered over 20, sailed north to fish for codfish. The vessel was sold, ending up at Hyde Street Pier in San Francisco, under the California State Parks.

It was eventually transferred to the National Historical Parks system. The NHP system invested in excess of \$13 million restoring the Thayer to its original condition as a lumber schooner. Of the hundreds of wooden schooners built in the late 19th century and early 20th, she is the last one, the end of an era, preserved for generations to visit and admire her beautiful design and rigging.

August 20 of this year the Thayer was re-christened in conjunction with the 100th birthday of the National Park Service. Members of the Shields Family (Jim and wife Ginger, David and wife Karen, Judy Fuhrer and daughter Liesl) were invited and participated in the rechristening festivities. Their father/grandfather, Capt. Ed Shields, was the last master of the C.A. Thayer in the late 40s and early 50s. The Poulsbo family members were invited to ring the ship's bell at 12:00 noon (8 Bells), as the ending highlight for the well-attended event. It was a fantastic honor for the Shields family!

Today the Thayer is in its finest condition, hull rebuilt, masts installed with most of the rigging and some sails included, and a fresh coat of new paint, presenting the old girl looking like the day it was launched at Hans D. Bendixson shipyard in 1895.



NOTE: To learn more about the C A Thayer, hear the Shields family recount the ship's history and restoration at the Monday, October 10, evening program meeting. It will begin at 7 p.m. in the Poulsbo City Hall Council Chambers.

Pirates Plunder Was a Fun and Productive Way To Raise Money

By Mickey Albanese

On Saturday, June 25, PHS held its first "Pirates Plunder" bazaar, raising money for the museums. So we are taking this opportunity to extend many, many thanks to all who helped make this sale so successful, with gross sales of \$4,000! Our hard-working volunteers including Tammy Mattson, Kathy Holodnak, Carin Nelson, Carol Tomas, Judy Driscoll, Judy Fuhrer, Judy Seibel, Kathy North, Jeannie Snouwaert and her daughter Elaine, Kathy Hogan, Hildur Gleason, Vern Martinson, Jim Shields, Dave Shields, Grant Alexander, John Jack and Ellie Lewis, David and Donna Rice, Rich and Ellie Frederickson, Gordon Stenman, Megan Holmberg, Kelly Hogan, Wade Moncrief, Mary O'Neill, Sue Bye, Susan Brionez, Thomas Kaufman, and Diane Anderson. (Hope we didn't forget anyone!)

And a special appreciation to all who donated items. Without these items there would be no sale. It was a lot of work, but the comradery turned it all into a fun time. The current plan is to repeat it all again next June – so please start cleaning out your attics and give us/PHS a call.



86 Years of High School Football

By Judy Driscoll

Kick-off your fall activities by visiting the new Heritage Museum NK football exhibit. "Pigskin Warriors" scans 86 years of high school football history at North Kitsap. If you're an aficionado of statistics, this is the exhibit for you! The top 10 teams and players in tackles, passes, punts, school records, offenses and defenses are noted along with photos of players, games, coaches and even some coaches who went on to make a career of sports in coaching or administration. Is every year represented? Are you kidding? With 86 years to cover, that would have filled the museum! But we have done our best to represent the best of the best. The exhibit will run through August of 2017.

More than 300 Books Will Form a Rich Maritime Collection

By Jean Charters

Thank you for your patience as we work toward the creation of the Maritime Library. For me this has been a labor of love as I have had the opportunity now to touch each book and marvel at what will soon be the rich collection that will serve as the Maritime Museum library.

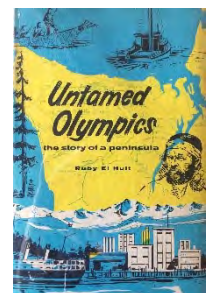
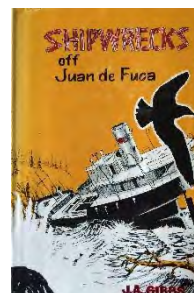
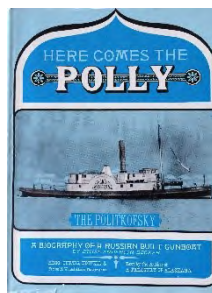
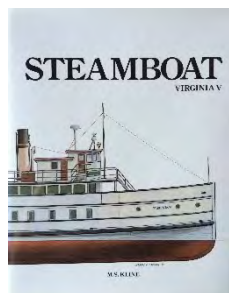
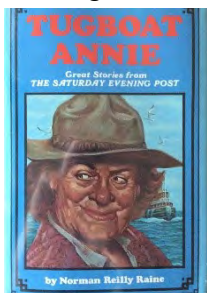
With more than 300 books loaned or donated, each needing to be evaluated, cataloged and prepared for use in the museum library, the progress has felt a bit glacial. I'm happy to report we're almost there. Much of the collection has been entered into our museum software. Two wonderful volunteers, Laura Christman and Olivia Smallbeck, have been tracking down Dewey numbers for the book spines so items can be shelved by subject matter. Both these lovely young women are heading back to college soon, and we cannot thank them enough for their thorough and thoughtful research. It has been a pleasure working with them.

Many of the items are older and show signs of having been well-loved. Our next steps are to wrap these in protective covers and label them properly before making them available to members. My hope is to have all the books in place by the start of October.

I want to extend a sincere thank you to the Shields family, and especially Judy Fuhrer, for allowing the museum to house much of their father's personal maritime library. The family took great care in preserving their father's collection, and Judy was essential to evaluating and choosing items for loan to the Maritime library.

Capt. Shield's collection is considerable in size. He collected works on all subject matter associated with maritime history. You'll find books that reflect the maritime history of our local community as well as the entire Pacific coast – from the tip of Cape Horn to Alaska. There are books about schooners and steamers, logging and fishing, shipbuilding and shipwrecks, navigation and light-houses, as well as an abundance of seafaring stories.

I'd also like to thank the members who have donated items to the Maritime library. Each and every item included is helping us build a maritime collection that reflects the unique and fascinating history of this region. Below is just a sneak peek at a few that I personally am looking forward to reading.



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Do Your Holiday Shopping at the Maritime Museum!

By Kathy Holodnak

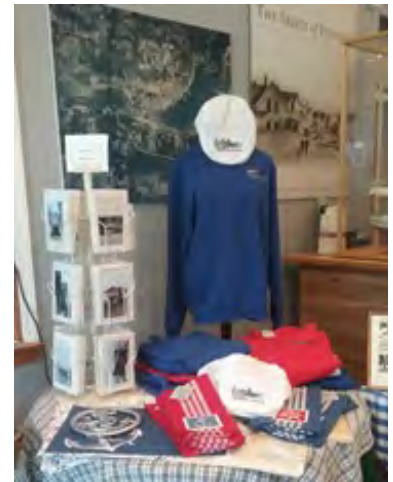
This month we invite you to explore the wonderfully stocked Maritime Museum Store at our Front Street location. We are open daily for you to not only visit our great Maritime Museum, but to also take a look at our great little retail space.

We have many things Poulsbo, including magnets, postcards, key chains, books, T-shirts and hooded sweatshirts with the "Poulsbo Washington 1908" logo on the front. We carry sizes youth S-LG, and adult S-XXLG in great, fun colors.

While at the shop be sure to check out our special on our heavier "Poulsbo Boat" embroidered sweatshirts. These are on special for \$30 down from \$49. Limited stock on hand. And for \$9.95 we offer a white halibut hat with the Poulsbo Boat logo. These make great gifts for the boat enthusiast!

You'll also want to see our section especially for children! Grandparents and parents alike will find the best gifts for that special child! Binoculars, nautical books, tub toys, pirate buckets and eye patches are among some of our fun selections.

In addition we carry beautiful American made jewelry, kitchen towels, wine glasses, nautical signs and Christmas ornaments for your tree. Start your holiday shopping early with a visit to our beautiful Museum Store!



Ray Holodnak (here representing PHS at "Poulsbo Uncorked") is one of our popular pirates. Have your picture taken with a pirate at the Maritime Museum during Girls Night Out on October 6!

2016: An Amazing Year in Progress!

The Maritime Museum has welcomed 15,956 visitors from January through August. In July we had a whopping 4,134, followed by 3,337 in August. That is about 1,800 a month. Numbers for Heritage Museum are at 938 for the first seven months of this year, about 150 per month. Reports are that numbers are up at Martinson Cabin as well.

Many individuals and groups make this success possible. Thanks to our partners at the Greater Poulsbo Chamber of Commerce and Historic Downtown Poulsbo Association. Thanks to all the volunteer greeters at the museums, collections specialists, and tour leaders who truly bring Poulsbo history to life!

Upcoming Events — Get Informed, Get Involved

October

- 4 Genealogy interest group at 1 p.m. in the Heritage Museum at City Hall
- 6 Girls Night Out – Poulsbo Maritime Museum and Historic Downtown Poulsbo. Have your picture taken with a pirate at the Maritime Museum!
- 10 Program at 7 p.m. on the restoration and re-christening of the C A Thayer, presented by the Shields family in the Poulsbo City Hall Council Chambers
- 18 Volunteer appreciation event: tour of Klondike National Park Site, Smith Tower and lunch; meet at 9:30 at the Bainbridge Ferry to walk on board. Watch for emails and RSVP.

November

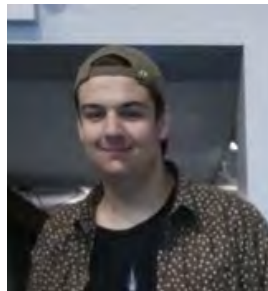
- 1 Genealogy interest group at 1 p.m. in the Heritage Museum at City Hall
- 8 Program at 9:30 a.m. on the History of the Poulsbo Yacht Club, presented by Tom Henderson in the Poulsbo City Hall Council Chambers

December

- 6 Genealogy interest group at 1 p.m. in the Heritage Museum at City Hall
- 13 Annual Christmas party and end-of-the year report/celebration at 9:30 a.m. in the Poulsbo City Hall Council Chambers

Thank you, Danton!

Danton Bennett was a great help at the Maritime Museum this summer, assisting with various maintenance projects in the museum and boatyard. Danton has returned to his studies in physics and astronomy at Olympic College, but we hope he will return again next year. Watch for introductions of some of our other new/young volunteers in the future!



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