

Barberville Pioneer Settlement's Quarterly Newsletter Fall 2015

From the Director's Desk

To everything - turn, turn, turn, there is a season - turn, turn, turn...

One thing we can be certain of in life is that things change. This has been especially true for us lately.

When the huge water oak took out our storage barn, it forced us to take a closer look at other ominous trees around the property and determine that two had to go.

The fallen tree prompted us to host a fundraiser on gofundme.com called Save us from Falling Trees. Many of you donated to our on-line website at www.gofundme.com/pioneertrees and some donated off-line for a total amount raised of \$1,285.00! This really helps us to defray the unexpected costs of having trees removed and hopefully to replace the one at the Bridge House. Thanks to all that pitched in to help out and especially the Underhill's that provided the man power and equipment to do the clean-up of the destroyed barn!

Now that the Bridge House is no longer in the shade of a beautiful (yet dying tree) you can really notice the poor shape of the roof. As we slowly get closer to our overall goal for the Bridge House Restoration the priority of a roof replacement is in the forefront. Our lowest estimate, last year was \$20,000.00. To date we have raised \$12,819.00 leaving a little more than \$7,000.00 to cover the roof portion of the restoration. You can help us out at the Jamboree when you participate in the Silent Auction, the quilt raffle or the raffle for the \$250 to spend at the DeLand Fall Festival of the Arts, as all of the proceeds from these will go into the Bridge House Fund.

We also have an on-going fundraiser called the Crappy Chair Campaign, which to date is at \$931.00—nearly the half way mark of our goal! Thanks to all of you that have donated to help us provide comfortable seating! We have several concerts and events coming up in 2016 that those chairs will be very welcome to!

Sadly we also have had a change in our Board of Directors with the passing of our good friend and long-time supporter Deacon Ed Rinderle. Our heartfelt condolences go out to Mary and the Rinderle family as well as our appreciation for the in-memory donations made in his honor.

Thank goodness that some of the changes happening have been good ones. Have you noticed our updated logo? Mr. Barber finally got a Mrs.!



We have been blessed with the return of Joe & Connie, our work campers that were with us last year AND Lyle Behnke who worked here two years ago is coming back for the winter/spring season to help us out.

We are so grateful for the extra help since we have a tremendous line up of special events planned for 2016 as we celebrate the 40th Anniversary of the founding of the Settlement.

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RECORD CROWDS at FIRE & ICE!

What a fun day we had on Saturday, September 5th, 2015. Many thanks to all of our participants, guests, volunteers, yard sale vendors, musicians, blacksmiths and antique tractor and engine displayers.

You all helped to make our annual open house event a huge success! The line was out of the door before noon with people waiting to taste and judge. There were only 6 votes between first and second place in both the chili and the ice cream. Congratulations to all!

AND THE WINNERS ARE...

The BARBERVILLE PIONEER SETTLEMENT along with the West Volusia Beacon and the Hometown News present the 39th Annual...



Living History Demonstrations

Corn Boil

Sugar Cane Boil

Live Folk Music and Old Time

Dance

Silent Auction

Storytelling
Juried Art & Craft Show
Children's Activities
18 Historical Structures
Antique Tractors
Food & FUN!

November 7 and 8, 2015 Saturday 9am-5pm · Sunday 9am-4pm

FREE parking and shuttle bus service from off-site parking \$8 Adults \$5 Children ages 6-12—Children under 6 and MEMBERS are FREE!



Located just West of Rt. 17 just off of Rt. 40 Barberville, FL 32105

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First Place Chili #3— Clayton Thomas



Second Place Chili #4— Annie Black



Third Place Chili #5— Rich Breeze



First Place
Ice Cream
—Lori
Rogers—
Strawberry



Second Place Ice Cream—Susan Speace—Lemon



Third Place
Ice Cream—
Joe
Underhill—
Mango





Jamboree Quilt Raffle 2015



"Serendipity Doo-Dah"

Queen Size (95" square)

Hand-crafted and donated by Sarah King

Raffle Donation: \$1.00/ticket or \$5.00/6 tickets Need not be present to win **Drawing November 8, 2015**

Tickets are NOW available in our Bridge House reception Office and will be on sale at the information booth at the Jamboree.

to spend at



One Lucky Winner will be drawn at the close of the 39th Annual



November 7th & 8th, 2015

Tickets on sale at the Information Booth

\$3 for 5 Tickets \$5 for 10 Tickets

You need not be present to win. Winner will be notified by phone.

Vouchers are not redeemable for cash and can only be redeemed during the DeLand Fall Festival of the Arts on November 21 & 22, 2015 with participating artists.

Proceeds will benefit the roof and restoration of the Astor Bridge Tender's House.

November 21st & 22nd, 2015



We Need Your Support — and you may get in FREE to this years'— Fall Country Jamboree.

There are many ways to help.

From passing out post cards to working the admission gates, setting up chairs and washing coolers, every job is important for a successful event.

Sign up today! Call Shiloh for details 386-749-2959

Event Positions

Set-up · Admissions · Pre-event Food Prep · Food Services · Desserts · Silent Auction · Soup Wagon · Members' Gate · Information · Booth sitters · Advertising · Clean-up

This event would not be what it is without supporters like you. Thank You!

OPENING—DECEMBER 12th

Second Saturdays at the Settlement



Beginning in December—
Join us for an open-air market every
Second Saturday of the month.

8am-1pm
Free Admission and Parking
Vendor Spaces \$7.00

Fresh Fruits & Vegetables
Fresh Eggs
Handmade Arts & Crafts
Cottage Industry Items
Vendor Demonstrations
Art & Antiques
Cherishables & Collectables

www.SecondSaturdaysAtTheSettlement.com



The Second Saturday Market is a collaborative venture between the Barberville Pioneer Settlement and Rational Developments, Inc., DBA Go Natural Living

www.go-natural-living.com 407-744-4035 for vendor information



Located at 227 Lemmon Road,
Barberville, FL 32105
West of Rt. 17 just off of Rt. 40 and County Road 3
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Wouldn't you just love a rewarding volunteer position, of sharing and passing on an age old tradition?



We offer flexible hours and free training! Learn to teach the next generation about Candle Making, Butter Making, Farming, Woodworking, Spinning, Blacksmithing, Pinch Pots, Weaving, Seminole Patchwork and more.

Help us keep these traditions alive for our children and grandchildren.

Field trips are Monday – Friday 9am - 1pm. Once a week or once a month can be a big help! We can assist with period correct attire. Must be able to pass a background check.

For more information call 386-749-2959 or email directors@pioneersettlement.org



Joseph Underhill House Update

The Joseph Underhill House circa 1879 is believed to be the oldest brick residence in Volusia County. Joseph Underhill was one of the first pioneers to settle in this area and that combined with the fact that they chose to build with brick during that time gives the house a very unique and significant historical value.

In March of 2014 we began working with Volusia County to obtain funding to stabilize the house. On July 17, 2014 the Volusia County Council approved the allocation ECHO grant funds to cover the costs for replacement of the severed support beam, a new roof, second floor access, selective demolition of the addition, stabilization of the front and back porch support columns, and associated fees.

During the last year we have worked closely with Jerry Mills of BHM Architects to secure the necessary drawings, permits and to contract with a General Contractor that would meet all of the requirements set by Volusia County and the Grant, in order to proceed with construction.

If all goes as planned construction is scheduled to begin on November 9th, 2015, by A. G. Pifer Construction Company from Daytona Beach. The process took much longer that we had hoped but we are looking forward to having this valuable piece of history eventually restored. It adds another dynamic to the make-up of the settlement, makes a great addition to our educational programs and also will be a perfect venue for weddings and other celebrations.

In loving memory of our friend, long time supporter and past Board President, Deacon Edward Earl Rinderle.



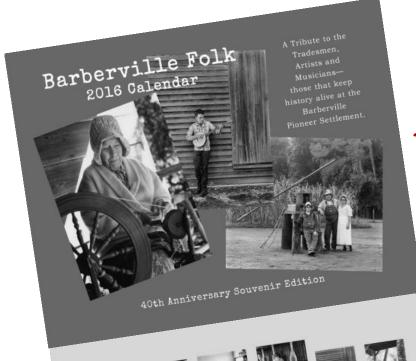
The other day we found a quote written by Ed about the Settlement.

On January 12, 2002 Ed wrote, "Wonderful roots, special memories, touching the past, helping appreciate the present, upon which to build the future."

Thanks Mr. Ed for touching our past, present and future. We miss you.



Barberville Folk is a collaborative fundraising venture promoting the appreciation for the rich cultural heritages and traditions of Old Florida. This project features the historical process of black-and-white film photography by Eric Dusenbery of Cinderic Documentaries and celebrates forty years of showcasing history at the Barberville Pioneer Settlement. Your purchase of this calendar equally benefits both non-profit organizations and supports their missions to preserve and share local history for future generations.





Gifts!

\$15.00 each SAVE \$3.00 each!

CELEBRATING

Stay up to date with

this special calendar

special events

Settlement's 40th

Anniversary.

Pre-Order on our website by October 31, 2015

www.pioneersettlement.org

Available on-line and at the Barberville Pioneer Settlement. Pick up your copies at the Information tent at the Jamboree.







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You'll definitely want at least one of our Barberville Folk 2016 Calendars to keep up with all that is happening. The Anniversary celebrations begin on January 9th with our first—Dance Party and then in March with Brian Smalley's Chickens Pigs. We are going to be open on Sundays, 11am – 3pm beginning November 15th through the middle of March. Spread the word to your visiting friends and family. Our field trip schedule is about filled now through the Holidays and we are looking forward

to a super Fall Country Jamboree in a couple of weeks. Joe & Katie Waller have done a bang up job scheduling over 75 performances on seven stages throughout the weekend. PLUS while you are here be on the lookout for the Happy Rocks hidden all over the grounds. You'll know it if you are lucky enough to find

one!

A time to cast away stones, a time to gather stones together, and a time for every purpose under heaven.



"To Everything There Is a Season" became an international hit in late 1965 when it was covered by the American folk rock band The Byrds. This song holds distinction as the #1 hit with the oldest lyrics since most of it is adapted word-for-word from Ecclesiastes, Chapter 3.



Saturday, January 9th 2016 10am-6pm

Beginners and all ages welcome!



Kick up your heels as we kick-off our first special event commemorating our 40th Anniversary. Join us as we begin our year-long celebration of the founding of the Barberville Pioneer Settlement.

Dance Workshops and Demonstrations 10am -12pm

Old Fashioned Barn, Scottish, Square, Waltzing, Ballroom, and Appalachian Style Clogging Workshop leaders include Rod Barngrover, Tina Tiejak and Promenade Action

Dance Party 1pm - 4pm

Callers: Alice Milmoe and Pat Czar

Music Provided by

Jackson Creek, Loners Junction, Celery City and Meridian

Special Concert 4:30 pm

International Touring Artists - Suzanne & Jim - Song-Chasers Traditional Americana Roots Music

\$8.00 Adults \$5.00 Children ages 6-12 Children under 6 and MEMBERS are FREE!

If you enjoy the music and dancing at our Spring Frolic and Jamboree you will love this fun dance filled event!



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Volunteer Salute



Bettina Maraldo — Master Rug Hooker and Volunteer

Thank you Bettina for both your donation of time and financial support for more than twenty-five years!

2015—2016 Calendar of Special Events

* New Special 40th Anniversary Events!

November 7-8 39th Annual Fall Country Jamboree

December 12 Florida Christmas Remembered

Second Saturday Market

January 9 *40th Anniversary Old Time

Dance Party

March 20 *Brian Smalley's Chickens Pigs—A

Live Cracker Opera

April 10-12 Ladies Golden Teacup Encampment

April 25 & 26 Spring Frolic Music & Dance Festival

June 13 Celebration of Olde Florida

August 20 *Special 40th Anniversary

Celebration—Ticketed Event

September 3 Fire & Ice - Annual Chili Cook-Off and

Ice Cream Churn Off

October 9 *Special 40th Anniversary—TBA

First Saturday Jams—are held on the first Saturday of every month with Free Music Lessons with paid

admission or membership.

The Family Farm Swap is held on the first and third Saturdays and the **NEW Second Saturday Market**

begins on Saturday, December 12th.

For full listing of events and the most up to date information visit

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