

Clinton Historical Society presents

"OPEN MIKE" FOLK MUSIC

SAT. AUG. 28

8:00 PM

MASONIC HALL
Schultzville, Town of Clinton

\$ 5.00 per person at the door

Musicians: "Open Mike" format

7:30 sign-up at the door. Info: 266-5494

-- Shuttle parking at the Town Hall -- Proceeds to M. Hall restoration --

YOUNG MUSICIANS WANTED

The Masonic Hall Preservation Group is seeking to build on the success of the monthly Coffee House program and expand the venue to support the development of young musicians. Local talent under 21 years of age are encouraged to perform in our "open mike" sessions to gain experience on-stage in a friendly, very informal atmosphere. They will also see amateur and professional musicians in actual performance and will observe their techniques for delivery, audience interaction, skills with instruments, and get pointers on how original songs are created by these artists. Families and friends are encouraged to attend and 'cheer them on'!

DATE: Sat. Oct. 23

7:30 Sign-up at the door

PLACE: Masonic Hall, Schultzville

INFO: 266-5494 (lv message)

**\$5.00 Performers & Audience
at the door**

-- NEWS ITEMS --

WINE BBQ...was a great success, with over 75 attendees and \$900 raised for the Masonic Hall restoration. Thanks go to the event committee Marian Tompson, Linda Stokes, and Laura Boxer, and to Edna Lachmund, Gleed Tompson, and Dick Collier. A big thanks also to those who donated delicious salads and desserts!

ART SHOW...will be held at the Historical Center by the Nine Partners Art Guild Sept. 25 - Oct. 10. Always a treat!

COMMUNITY DAY Sept. 4 10-4

Volunteers are needed for our Food Booth, AM or PM shift. Call Craig at 266-5684.

MASONIC HALL RESTORATION...the contractor will begin the exterior scraping and painting before Labor Day. The metal roof, all exterior siding, and all windows have been contracted out. Volunteers will be needed to strip the asphalt shingles on the one-story addition, and replace them with metal roofing. Interior painting by volunteers will continue in the Fall.

ANTIQUES APPRAISAL SEPT. 18

at the Historical Center 10 - 4PM

Antiques dealers and appraisers Delores Murphy and Ralph Leed are volunteering their professional services to help our Society programs. **All area residents are invited to bring their antique treasures and heirlooms for an appraisal of their market value.** The appraisal charge is **\$5.00 per item**, and any number of items can be brought. All proceeds will go to the preservation of our 1777 Creek Meeting House (Historical Center) and our newly acquired 1865 Masonic Hall. Tell Your Friends!

(no coins/stamps please)

NEXT MEETING: Sept. 10 at 7:30PM

(Note: 2nd Friday, not 1st)

"Madam Brett Homestead"

Lorraine MacAulay has researched the Madam Brett Homestead for some time and has a special surprise for us. She has developed a new video and will be showing it for the first time anywhere in her presentation to us. Letters from Madam Brett's time reveal much about early life in this country area and Lorraine will use these to convey interesting facts about local people and places. She will then show the 20 min. video covering this National Historic Landmark and the successful businesswoman that had significant influence in the Hudson Valley. Come hear about this famous, early woman entrepreneur!

BRING A FRIEND! NON-MEMBERS WELCOME!

VINTAGE D.C. PHOTO EXHIBIT

Weekends Noon - 4PM

thru Sept. 12

— at the Historical Center, Clinton Corners —

"Reviews have been excellent, and attendance has been high. Don't miss this 'once only' private collection!"

*** WANTED TO PURCHASE ***

Multi-input sound system with or without speakers for CHS events (Coffee House, Community Day, etc). Call Craig at 266-5684. Leads appreciated.

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CALENDAR OF SPEAKERS

No meetings in July or August

Friday Sept. 10 "Madam Brett Homestead"
by Lorraine MacAulay

Friday Oct. 1 "Farming in Clinton: History"
by Dave Tetor

Friday Nov. 5 "Stoutenburgh of Hyde Park"
by James Spratt

Friday Dec. 3 "Holiday Dinner & Auction"

-- 7:30 PM at CHS Historical Center --

-- no meetings Jan., July, August --

DUES OVERDUE !

We have not received 1999 dues from many of our members. Letters have been sent as reminders to encourage continued membership and support. Dues are our primary source of income to help maintain this newsletter. Your mailing label has the year of dues last paid (period Jan - Dec). If it doesn't say "'99", please save us a phone call and mail your check now, payable to 'Clinton Historical Society', to: James Carberry, Treasurer, RRI Box 348, Staatsburg, N.Y. 12580. Thanks!

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