

OPPORTUNITIES

Would you be willing to assist in maintaining the archives of the Wyoming Historical Society on the following basis:

☐ As Needed ☐ Weekly ☐ Monthly

Would you volunteer in some other capacity?

We need volunteers for our yearly Fall Festival booth, educational projects, photography, Wyoming History Museum and oral history interviews, etc. Please let us know of your interest in these or other activities.

Please contact me about a donation of the following historical materials to the society.

We are proud members of:
American Association for State and Local History
Ohio Local History Alliance
Ohio Historical Society.

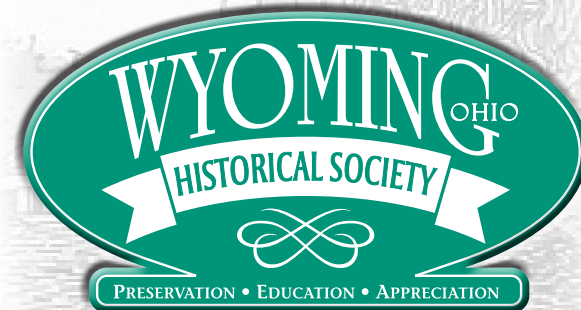


Mary Stonebarger McMath created the sketches used in this brochure for the Wyoming Centennial Celebration in 1974. She was a lifelong resident of Wyoming.

Cover art by Helen Haberstroh



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MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION



Hours:
Tuesday 10:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
and by appointment

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Wyoming, OH 45215-2720
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THE HISTORY OF THE WYOMING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Wyoming Historical Society was formally founded on November 12, 1981. Although its roots go back to the first Wyoming Historic House Tour, held in conjunction with the City of Wyoming Centennial in 1974. The initial meeting was held in 1981 with ten Wyoming citizens attending. The society's purpose was defined as "collecting and preserving historical materials and information and encouraging interest in Wyoming's heritage."

For several years, the society operated out of the homes of the officers and trustees. An active schedule of community projects was organized including educational annual meetings and a series of house tours, which were highlighted by Wyoming's listing on the National Register of Historic Places in 1986. In 1993, the Society obtained a permanent headquarters in the lower level of the city administration building at 800 Oak Avenue. This location serves as the focal point for the Society's activities to this day.

The Society currently has a vigorous program to collect, preserve and catalog items of Wyoming history. We are active in community events such as the 4th of July Parade, Wyoming High School Alumni Round-Up Weekend and the Fall Festival. The archives of the Wyoming Woman's Club, Wyoming Junior Women's Club, Wyoming Tennis Association, Wyoming High School Alumni Association, Wyoming Players and more have been entrusted to the Society.

The Society also promotes an historic marker project with 3 foot by 2 foot bronze markers going up around the city.

WYOMING HISTORY MUSEUM

Our newest project is the Wyoming History Museum. Located in the City Building, it is open Tuesday's from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. and by appointment.

ARCHIVES OF THE WYOMING HISTORICAL SOCIETY

- Audio & Video History Interviews
- Family Files
- Genealogies
- House files
- Maps
- Photographs
- Reference Library
- Scrapbooks
- Wyoming Historical Files and Records
- Wyoming High School Alumni Association Files
- Wyoming High School Yearbooks & Newspapers
- Wyoming Living Issues (complete)

COMMUNITY SUPPORT

- 3rd Grade Historic Tours
- 4th of July Parade
- Children's Programs
- Educational Workshops
- Fall Festival
- Historical Data/displays for city/community events
- Historic House Tours
- Historic District Register House Plaques
- Student Scholarships

WHAT THE WYOMING HISTORICAL SOCIETY CAN DO FOR YOU

We can offer help with research on your house or property...

We can offer help with research on people and families...

We can offer advice on how to research your interests...

We are always seeking additional information about our community. Donations of materials are welcome. We can scan or photocopy items - returning the originals if desired. We are open to the community each Tuesday, 10:30-3:00 P.M. and by appointment.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE PRESERVATION OF WYOMING HISTORY:

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

STATE/ZIP: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

Please send me the newsletter by email - check here: ☐

CITY: _____

PHONE: _____

_____ Individual Membership \$25.00 _____ Family Membership \$50.00
_____ Business Membership \$75.00 _____ Lifetime Membership \$500.00

Donation \$ _____

_____ High school and college students are free

Payable to the Wyoming Historical Society

We are a 501(c)3 organization. Contributions are tax deductible.

Please send to: Wyoming Historical Society, 800 Oak Avenue, Wyoming, OH 45215-2720