
ESCAMBIA ECHOES

AUGUST 2000

ESCAMBIA COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETING WILL BE AUGUST 22, 2000 AT 3:00 PM IN THE WOODFIN PATTERSON AUDITORIUM ON THE CAMPUS OF JEFFERSON DAVIS COMMUNITY COLLEGE; BREWTON, ALABAMA

AUGUST MEETING

Rebecca Lea Hill, a UWF graduate student will speak at the August 22 meeting of the Escambia County Historical Society. Mrs. Hill's topic will be her archaeological study of antebellum Conecuh River settlements in Escambia County, Alabama.

NEW MEMBERS

John and Addie-Faye Johnson

FAMILY QUERY

Mary E Landrum requests assistance in obtaining information on the following family names: Clements, Daughtry, and Scott.

JULY MEETING

John David Finlay gave a delightful presentation on the Robbins-McGowin Building and its colorful history. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the presentation.

GREETING CARDS

No greeting cards were sent for the month of July.

JULY REFRESHMENTS HOSTESS

Doris Bruner and Doris Atkins prepared tasty refreshments that were enjoyed by everyone. We all appreciate their efforts.

DON'T FORGET THE AUGUST MEETING

Please note the change in meeting place. Due to the election, the meeting will take place in the Woodfin Patterson Auditorium.

ALABAMA SUMMER SCHEDULE

The Alabama Room is open Monday through Thursday from 7:30a.m.-6:30p.m., Friday from 7:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m., and closed Saturday and Sunday.

NOTE: The library will be closed August 14th - August 21st for semester break.

DUES

Yearly dues are ten dollars and are due on January 1st of each new year. Please fill out the form in this bulletin and mail it to the treasurer, along with a check for ten dollars.

ARE YOU RECEIVING YOUR BULLETIN EACH MONTH???

Moving? Please send a change of address. If you do not receive your Bulletin, please call or write to the Editor, in order to correct the problem.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

The deadline for news items is the 10th of next month. Please call or leave a note in Bill Williams's box in the Alabama Room, if you have any news.

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BOOK SALES

Headstones and Heritages books are available for \$35 plus \$5 shipping and handling (if needed). COOKBOOKS are available for \$7.50 plus \$2.50 shipping and handling (if needed). Please contact the editor if you need one or know anyone else who needs one.

SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Date: _____
Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Telephone: (____) _____
E-mail: _____
Yearly Dues are now \$10 dollars, They are due January 1 st of each year.

JDCC CAMPUS TOUR FOR OUR MEMBERS

There will be a tour of Jefferson Davis Community College on Tuesday September 12th at 10:00am given by staff member Ms. Vanessa Murphy. Interested members should meet in the Student Center.

CARDS WILL BE MAILED

Cards will be mailed to members who are ill or who have suffered the loss of a relative. Please contact the Bulletin Editor if you know anyone in these circumstances.

PRAYER BY AN UNKNOWN CONFEDERATE SOLDIER (submitted by Willeen Elliott)

I asked God for strength, that I might achieve.
I was made weak, that I might learn humbly to obey.

I asked for health, that I might do greater things.
I was given infirmity, that I might do better things.

I asked for riches, that I might be happy.
I was given poverty, that I might be wise.

I asked for power, that I might have the praise of men.
I was given weakness, that I might feel the need of God.

I asked for all things, that I might enjoy life.
I was given life, that I might enjoy all things.

I got nothing that I asked for—but everything I had hoped for.
Almost despite myself, my unspoken prayers were answered.

I am among all men most richly blessed.



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