

## Tour of Historic Homes To Be Held In Hancock

First-ever holiday house tour for Hancock Historical Society

**SPECIAL TO THE NEWS**

Nine buildings in and around Hancock, Md., are to be featured in the Hancock Historical Society's first-ever Holiday Tour of Historic Homes this Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 21 and Nov. 22, from 1 p.m. until 5 p.m. each day.

The tour includes one of the original early 19th-century National Road toll houses, bed and breakfasts, churches, the Hancock Museum and private homes.

Featured historic structures include:

**National Road Toll House, Old Route 40:** Chartered in 1819, the National Road between Hancock and Cumberland, Md., was completed in 1822. The old brick toll house that is now owned by the town of Hancock and maintained by the Historical Society is referred to in a deed dated March 29, 1820, as "lately erected." The land it sits on was part of a tract known as Brent's Chance, which Thomas Brent obtained a patent for in 1793.

**Foxcroft or Raymondhurst, 3 Grand Street:** Also known as the "Dillon Mansion," this private 15-room home was built in 1908 with the finest wood and materials available at the time. The current owners are restoring the structure to its original grandeur.

**1828 Inn, 10 West Main Street:** Furnished mostly in the Mission Style, this structure is now and bed and breakfast. It was known for many years as the McKinley House and was home to two doctors and at one time housed Mason's Drug Store in its basement.

**St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 2 East High Street:** Built in 1835, St. Thomas celebrates its 175th anniversary in 2010. The church was used as a Union hospital after Hancock was attacked by Stonewall Jackson on Jan. 5, 1862. Its graveyard is the burial place of Maj. James Breathed, M.D., who was chief of Confederate States Army general J.E.B. Stuart's horse artillery. Of special interest is an original Tiffany stained glass window and a balcony that was originally used by slaves who attended services here and now houses an M.P. Moller pipe organ.

**Taney House, Berm Road:** Probably constructed in the 1870s, this structure sits on the C&O Canal and was first used as a warehouse for a whiskey dealership. It is now a bed and breakfast.

**Hancock Museum, Hancock Historical Society, Town Hall, High Street:** Hancock's repository for genealogy, photographs, newspaper records, advertising items, permanent displays and rotating exhibits. Refreshments will be served at the museum to house tour visitors and door prizes awarded.

**Hancock United Methodist Church, 170 West Main Street:** Serving the Hancock community for 181 years, the present church building was erected in 1909 on land that was obtained in 1828.

**Good Samaritan House, 6 & 8 West High Street:** Although the 1877 Atlas of Washington County, Md., shows a structure in this location, the exact date of the Good Samaritan House's construction is not known. The building was purchased in 2007 by the Interfaith Coalition and is used as a temporary safe haven for victims of fire and family emergencies.

**Mr. Flint's or Cohill Mansion, 5012 Western Pike:** George Washington visited and dined at this privately owned home and mentions it in a September 1779 journal entry. Mr. Flint was an Indian trader who owned 258 acres of land. The exact date of the home's construction is not known, but a cast-iron fire back dated 1762 was found in a chimney that was being repaired. For many years the home was owned by the Cohill family that pioneered the orchard industry in Hancock. The home was sold in 1976 but purchased by the original Cohill owner's great-grandson in 1990.

Tickets for the Holiday Tour of Historic Homes cost \$12 each

for adults and \$6 each for students and are good for both Saturday and Sunday. Tickets can be purchased at Tower Bank, Hancock Town Hill or call 301-678-6308.

## Lunch Menus

**FORBES ROAD Breakfast Menu**

Monday, November 23: pretzel and cheese, cereal choice, apple, grape or orange juice.

Tuesday, November 24: pizza, cereal choice, apple, grape or orange juice.

Wednesday, November 25: cereal choice, apple, grape or orange juice.

Thursday and Friday, November 26 & 27: no school.

**Lunch Menu**

Monday, November 23: barbecue or fish, macaroni and cheese, carrots and dip, orange slices.

Tuesday, November 24: chicken strips, mashed potatoes, green beans, cinnamon apples.

Wednesday, November 25: macho nachos, tossed salad, bread slice, mixed fruit.

Thursday and Friday, November 26 & 27: no school.

**CENTRAL FULTON Elementary Breakfast**

Monday, November 23: assorted cereal or sausage and egg biscuit, toast w/spreads, fruit or juice, milk.

Tuesday, November 24: assorted cereal or fruit churros, toast w/spreads, fruit or juice, milk.

Wednesday, November 25: assorted cereal or funnel cake, toast w/spreads, fruit or juice, milk.

Thursday and Friday, November 26 & 27: no school.

**Elementary Lunch**

Monday, November 23: Italian dunkers w/sauce or meatball sub, cucumber slices, mixed fruit.

Tuesday, November 24: steakums sandwich or hot dog on a bun, carrot sticks, banana.

Wednesday, November 25: chicken patty on a bun or nachos grande, corn, mandarin oranges.

Thursday and Friday, November 26 & 27: no school.

**High School Breakfast**

Monday, November 23: assorted cereal or blueberry bagel half w/cream cheese, toast w/spreads, fruit or juice, milk.

Tuesday, November 24: assorted cereal or new breakfast pizza, toast w/spreads, fruit or juice, milk.

Wednesday, November 25: assorted cereal or breakfast parfait, toast w/spreads, fruit or juice, milk.

Thursday and Friday, November 26 & 27: no school.

**High School Lunch**

Monday, November 23: Texas grilled cheese sandwich, hot ham and cheese sandwich, tomato soup, mixed fruit.

Tuesday, November 24: nachos grande, chicken fajitas, corn, banana.

Wednesday, November 25: buffalo bites w/dinner roll, cheeseburger on a bun, sweet potatoes w/marshmallows.

Thursday and Friday, November 26 & 27: no school.

**SOUTHERN FULTON Breakfast**

Monday, November 23: breakfast pizza or cereal.

Tuesday, November 24: pop-tart or cereal, crunchy beef tacos or pizza bar, corn, applesauce.

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, November 25-27: no school.

**Lunch**

Monday, November 23: chicken patty on a bun or tuna salad w/roll, oven fries, peaches, milk.

Tuesday, November 24: cheeseburger on bun or turkey and cheese salad w/roll, mixed veggies, oranges, milk.

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, November 25-27: no school.



Tom DeShong, Carol Wright and Cathy Cline of Tower Bank mingle with chamber members during the Fulton County Chamber Mixer hosted by the McConnellsburg Tower Bank office.

## Tower Bank Hosts Chamber Mixer

Tower Bank, a division of Graystone Tower Bank, hosted a Fulton County Chamber Mixer at its McConnellsburg office on Wednesday evening, November 4, 2009.

"We are delighted to have had the opportunity to host a chamber mixer and open up our office space to business members of the Fulton County Chamber of Commerce," said Connie Burgan, McConnellsburg market manager. "We are pleased with the number of guests who were able to attend the mixer and benefit from an evening of networking."

More than 40 chamber members and Tower Bank staff gathered at the McConnellsburg office for an evening of business networking. Guests enjoyed light refreshments catered by Lincoln Way Pizza in McConnellsburg.

The Tower Bank office in McConnellsburg is located at 101 Lincoln Way West. In addition, Tower Bank serves the Fulton County community with the Express Center located at 187 Buchanan Trail West in McConnellsburg and a full-service branch located at 8264 Great Cove Road in Needmore.

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## FORBES ROAD GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL

Dec. 14	Hancock	6:00	Jan. 14	MHS	6:30
Dec. 15	at Hyndman	7:15	Jan. 19	at Belleville	6:00
Dec. 18	Belleville	6:00	Jan. 21	at F-M	6:30
Dec. 21	at C. Ridge	6:00	Jan. 26	C. Ridge	6:30
Dec. 23	at Everett	6:00	Jan. 28	SF	6:30
Dec. 28	FR Tourn.	7:30	Feb. 2	Everett	6:30
Dec. 29	FR Tourn.	TBA	Feb. 4	at MHS	6:30
Jan. 4	at NBC	6:00	Feb. 8	NBC	6:30
Jan. 6	at Mt. Union	6:00	Feb. 11	F-M	6:30
Jan. 7	Tussey	6:30	Feb. 15	at Tussey	6:00
Jan. 12	Hyndman	4:45	Feb. 17	at SF	6:30

## FORBES ROAD GIRLS JR. HIGH BASKETBALL

Dec. 11	CVCS	4:00	Jan. 21	F-M	4:00
Dec. 14	Hyndman	4:00	Jan. 25	at C. Ridge	4:00
Dec. 21	C. Ridge	4:00	Jan. 28	at SF	4:00
Dec. 23	Everett	4:00	Feb. 2	at Everett	4:00
Jan. 5	NBC	4:00	Feb. 4	MHS	4:00
Jan. 7	at Tussey	4:00	Feb. 8	at NBC	4:00
Jan. 8	at CVCS	4:30	Feb. 11	at F-M	4:00
Jan. 11	at Hyndman	4:00	Feb. 15	Tussey	4:00
Jan. 14	at MHS	4:00	Feb. 17	SF	4:00

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**Friday and Saturday**  
**December 4 & 5**  
**10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**

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*Wing Night Every Thursday* BBQ, Hot, Mild, Garlic Butter  
*Friday & Saturday - Surf and Turf*

**DANCES: Nov. 21, 27 - \$1 Cover Charge**

**MEAT AND CHEESE RAFFLE NOV. 21**  
Proceeds go toward Children's Christmas Party

**TURKEY GIVEAWAY NOV. 23 - 6-9 P.M.**

**Nov. 27 - Hawaiian Theme Dance**  
Just Get "Lei'd" - 8 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
*Appropriate dress is required at all functions*

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**2010 Ambulance Club correction on the mailouts - Subscription effective 01/01/2010 - 12/31/2010 information 485-4006**

Monday & Friday Bingo - Jackpots, Kitchen, Jars  
Doors open @ 6:00 p.m.

**Monday, Nov. 23 - Bingo/Turkey Raffle**

**Friday, Nov. 27 - Black Friday Late Nite**  
Doors open @ 7:00 p.m. Bingo starts @ 9:00 p.m.  
\$100.00 games with 70 players  
\$500.00 Jackpot to go last game of the nite.

**Saturday, Nov. 28 - Meat Bingo Hams/Turkeys**  
Doors open @ 6:00 p.m.

**Basket Bingo**

**Sunday, Dec. 6 - Christmas/Retired Baskets**  
Doors open @ 11:00 a.m.

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