



The Bulletin

Hanover-Horton Area Historical Society, Inc.

Conklin Reed Organ and History Museum

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2017 Summer and Fall Events

September 2017

- 3rd-Museum Open
1-5pm
- 9th- 6th Annual Harvest Home
and Garden Luncheon
9:00am-2:30pm
- 10th-Museum Open
1-5pm
- 15th-Community Potluck
6:00pm gather
6:30pm dinner
- 15th-16th-Organ Restoration
Workshop
9am-5pm
- 16th-Workshop Appreciation
Luncheon
- 17th-Museum Open
1-5pm
- 24th-Museum Open
1-5pm

October 2017

- 1st-Museum Open
1-5pm
- 8th-Museum Open
1-5pm
- 15th-Museum Open
1-5pm
- 20th-Community Potluck
6:00pm gather
6:30pm dinner
- 20th-21st-Organ Restoration
Workshop
9am-5pm
- 21st-Bluegrass Bonanza
7pm-11pm
- 22nd-Museum Open
1-5pm
- 29th-Museum Open
1-5pm



Putting The Reed Organs to Bed

If you have old sheets, lightweight blankets or other large pieces of soft fabric, that are not needed, please consider donating them to the HHAHS. Our reed organs have all been cleaned and many repaired for the grand reopening of the renovated organ room. By covering them with sheets for the winter it will help keep them clean and make the job of opening up in the spring a little easier.

Please drop them off during the society's office hours. Tuesday through Friday 8am-12pm

Sixth Annual Harvest Home & Garden Luncheon

Saturday, September 9, 2017, 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

Heritage Park Event Center

121 Tefft St., Hanover, MI

Sponsored by:

Hanover-Horton Area Historical Society

\$30 per person

Reservations required by Fri., Sept.1, 2017

Featured Speakers:

**Janie Uhila*

"Making Autumn Decorations"

**Kate VanTheel*

Antiques and Vintage on the Boulevard in Tecumseh, Mi

"Repurposing Ideas"

*● Large Raffle Basket ● Bake Sale ● Craft Booths
● Silent Auction ● Snacks*

Make checks payable to: Hanover-Horton Area Historical Society.

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2017 Harvest Home & Garden Luncheon

Name: _____

Address: _____ \$30.00 per person

E-Mail _____ Phone: _____

Please note:

We would like to thank our community for thinking of us when you find an old or historical item. These artifacts help to support the mission of the Historical Society to educate and preserve knowledge and items from our past. Your contributions are so important to us!

However, unless asked specifically to donate paint, please don't bring any in or drop it off. We already have lots of paint and when you drop it off, we have to find an environmentally safe way to dispose of it. This takes away from our time and the expense of maintaining our campus. Thanks again for all of your support!



Opening Day of Renovated Organ Room

The Conklin Reed Organ Museum was reopened on June 25 with a tour and ice cream social. We had many visitors including families of those who helped make the organ museum a reality. The Hartmann family, the Conklin Family and the Pengra family were all represented. The organ room was beautiful with new paint (done by Dan Childs), sprayed ceiling trusses (done by Brandon Lammon), beautifully refinished floor (done by John Ykimoff) and new draperies (done by Decorators Den).

The organ workshop people helped with last minute repairs, cleaning and many were on hand to play the organs!

But the brunt of the work was done by many volunteers who lifted, shoved, placed the organs in rented semi trailers and then returned them to their place in the organ room! Without these volunteers this renovation would not have been possible. So thanks to our many helpers!