

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

## Antiques Sale & Show

Fair Barn in Pinehurst, Friday-Sunday, November 2-4, 2012

Friday & Saturday 10:00 am to 5:00 pm, Sunday 11:00 am to 4:00 pm

The Antiques Sale and Show promises something for everyone. No matter what your budget, or your taste in decor, you are sure to find that special "something" in the climate-controlled Fair Barn.

Over 30 dealers will feature - art, furniture, glass, jewelry, linens, porcelain, pottery and china, and many other fine collectibles. Plus onsite crystal repair and those special gifts offered by the Moore County Historical Association. *Admission \$5* (See www. moorehistory.com for \$1 Off Coupon)

## Holiday Members Party

Shaw House, Thursday, December 6, 2012, 5 to 7 pm

Time to renew your membership or join the Moore County Historical Association! If you haven't already paid your 2012-2013 dues you may mail them to P.O. Box 324 Southern Pines, N.C. 28388 or drop by the Shaw House if you're in town weekdays between the hours of 1 and 4 p.m.

The annual Christmas Members Party is not to be missed and is a decided fringe benefit of belonging to the MCHA, as well as knowing that your money is going to the worthy cause of helping maintain five historic house museums the MCHA owns in Southern Pines and Carthage.

This members-only event features delicious food and refreshments, and fellowship among your history buff friends and acquaintances. The Shaw House is always packed with members on the party evening. Guaranteed: You'll see friends and neighbors you may have missed the rest of the year and get a chance to catch up.

## Bryant House Christmas Open House

Bryant House, Sunday, December 2, 2012, 1 to 4 pm

Get into the old-time Christmas spirit with the annual Christmas open house at the historic Bryant House and McLendon Cabin. The Moore County Historical Association and Friends of the Bryant House host the event without admission charge so every Yule visitor can get a little taste of how early settlers celebrated Christmas.

Live music, refreshments, homestyle decorations, tours and demonstrations will get visitors in the mood.

## Shaw House Christmas Open House

Shaw House, Friday - Sunday, December 7-9, 2012, 1 to 4 pm

Enjoy old-time decorations, warm apple cider and homemade cookies at the annual Shaw House Christmas Open House. The event is free to the public to let people see how early Southern Pines and Sandhills residents lived. Old timey Christmas decorations in the Shaw House (1821) as well as the Garner House and Sanders Cabin (both 1700s era) in the back of the property will take you to a time when people made their own fun, their own refreshments, their own live music, and their own gala decorations from natural items found in nature or homespun.

## 4th Annual Palustris Festival Vintage Doll and Toy Exhibit

Shaw House, Saturday, March 23, 2013

The Moore County Historical Association will be hosting a Vintage Doll and Toy Exhibit during the 2013 Palustris Festival. Watch The Pilot newspaper and the website at moorehistory.com for more information.

## **UPCOMING TOUR**

## 2013 Alpine Countries Tour

April 4 - 16, 2013

\$4,199 pp Double Occupancy, \$4,599 Single, and \$4,169 Triple

\$100 Discount if Booked Before November 5, 2012

There's still time to sign up for a 13-day tour of beautiful Alpine countries that you won't want to miss.

Tour with the Moore County Historical Association and Collette Vacations "Exploring the Alpine Countries." Discover storybook castles and glittering palaces amidst stunning Alpine vistas as you explore Austria, Germany and Switzerland. Begin in Vienna with a visit to Schoenbrunn Palace. Enjoy a dinner at centuries-old St. Peter's Restaurant in Salzburg, the "City of Music." Travel through the Black Forest, visiting Oberammergau, famous for the Passion Play and expert woodcarvers. Enjoy picture stops at Bavaria's famous castle, Neuschwanstein, and a guided tour of the Chateau de Chillon on Lake Geneva. Enjoy two nights in the alpine village of Zermatt, Switzerland, at the foot of the Matterhorn, and two nights in Lucerne, "the Swiss Paradise on the Lake. Call the Shaw House today for more information and a brochure (910) 692-2051.



## **UPDATES**

The historic Shaw House has a couple of leaks in its roof, one on the north and one on the east side, that will have to be patched and board members of the Moore County Historical Association are in the process of obtaining estimates for the work.



# A SPECIAL THANK YOU

**MEMBERSHIP DRIVE** 

**NEW MEMBERS** 

**Walter & Vivian Dower** 

#### **CONTRIBUTORS**

**Jamie Boles** 

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John Parker

#### **OTHER**

Frieda & David Bruton

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#### **MEMORIALS**

Bill Brewer by Frieda & David Bruton Marie Hardister Marilyn Hartsell Dorothy Shankle

Charles P. Mason, Sr. by Charles Mason, Jr.

> Tony Parker by John Parker

#### **DONATIONS/CONTRIBUTIONS**

William Burkholder 19th Century Rifle

Mr. & Mrs. Ed Garner Woven Blanket (Garner House)

**Eulalie Graham** 

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Claire Bryant Spinning Wheel (Bryant House)

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#### **GRANTS**

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#### **AUTUMNFEST, October 6, 2012**





L/R Marie Hardister and Victoria Rounds, Co-President. Sarah Mathews takes count of the soaps.

#### SHAW HOUSE FAIR, October 13, 2012



LEFT: Joyce White and crafter, Ginny Crabtree helping with the Moore Treasures Table. Thanks to donations, the table sold over \$1,000 in treasures!

BELOW: Our Shaw House junior docent. Paula Caddell and Bill Snelgrove, as Squire Shaw.

MIDDLE: Lucinda and Edna Earle Cole. Marie Hardister, Judy Snider, and Marilyn Hartsell.

BOTTOM: Sue Young and Grace Snelgrove. The Smith Family plays on the porch of the Garner House.













The chimney at the historic Bryant House is 99 percent finished being repaired but work is still to be done, the board also heard at its recent meeting. Friends of the Bryant House hope that this 1821 era house can be in shape for its fireplace to be used during this year's Christmas Open House.

In other news, the Moore County Community Foundation has granted the Sanders Cabin \$500 for necessary repairs and maintenance, and the Southern Pines Garden Club has donated a number of dogwood trees to be planted in memory of Bill Brewer.

The MCHA is sponsoring a decorated Christmas tree in downtown Southern Pines for this Yule season. The tree will be up by Saturday Dec. 1 following the town's ceremonial tree lighting earlier that afternoon.

Our sincerest thank you to the Fresh Market who hosted a wine and hor d'oeuve event for the association. 100% of the ticket cost went to the preservation of the Sanders Cabin. In addition to furnishing the wine and food, John Craven, manager, also furnished food and gift items for a raffle.

#### Shaw House Fair

A beautiful Fall day graced the 4th Annual Shaw House Fair held Saturday, October 13, 2012.

Crowds of shoppers enjoyed free admission, turning out to browse the many antiques and collectibles offered by the vendors who set up their tables to display their wares on the Shaw House grounds.

The silent auction and Moore Treasures tables were popular spots due to the generous donations of items to be sold. The Friends of the Bryant House tempted the shoppers with hot dogs, pinto beans, corn bread and homebaked desserts while the front porch of the Garner House served as a stage for the musicians who entertained the crowd. It was a festive setting enjoyed by everyone.

Sincere thanks go to all the many volunteers and those listed below who made the Fair a great success:

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The Allen Smith Family, Spur of the Moment, Java Mules, Richard Boger & Friends, David McDonald & Friends

#### Crafters

Ann Bright, Ginny Crabtree, Eugene Dickinson, Bonnie Roberson, Larry Ross, Jackie Stewart

### Shaw House Fair Committee

Beverly Offutt & Dorothy Shankle-Co-chair
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George Hoffman-Silent Auction
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Grace Snelgrove & Judy Snider-Vendors
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## 2012 - 2013

#### **Officers & Trustees**

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## **MOORE NEWS**

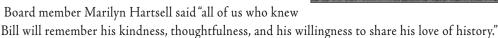


## In Memory of Bill Brewer

William Domas "Bill" Brewer, 72, died Aug. 30 at his home in Eagle Springs. A private burial was held at Pine Grove Baptist Church in Moore County.

He was a devoted and cherished member of the Moore County Historical Association for 15 years. He served six years as a board member and volunteered for all the activities involving the association, including the history tours. Bill was a mainstay at the Bryant House, helping with annual fundraisers, including Clenny Creek Day, the Christmas Open House also conducting tours of the Bryant House (1821) and McLendon Cabin (1760s), two historic house museums near Carthage.

One of Bill's most important contributions was a printed in-depth geneaology of the McLendon and Davis families who settled, built, and lived in the two historic 19th and 18th century dwellings now the property of the MCHA. The descendants of these families remain active in helping raise funds and doing other volunteer work to maintain and preserve the two houses.



Another longtime board member, Frieda Bruton, a past co-president, said "Bill was a man who was willing to help if he thought his help was needed. The Bryant House/McLendon Cabin needed him. He readily gave of his time and energy to save these properties.

"He was a reserved, highly principled man who endeared himself to those of us who worked with him on the ... Board. May his love of history dwell in all our hearts," she wrote.

Bill was born Sept. 14, 1939 in Newport News, Va. He graduated from Newport News High School and the Norfolk College of William and Mary (now Old Dominion University.) He received a Master's Degree from the University of Virginia in 1968, served four years in the U.S. Air Force, including 16 months in Vietnam. After 22 years teaching eighth grade English in the Fairfax County Public Schools he retired to a farm in upper Moore County that goes back to his great-great grandfather. Because he loved the land and its history, he chose to build his home there.

Bill was preceded in death by his parents, Aaron Domas Brewer and Foy Deaton Brewer, both originally from Moore County. Bill is survived by two sisters, Carol Johnson of Eagle Springs, and Barbara Dowaliby of Norfolk, Va.







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