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WEST PASCO HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
NEW PORT RICHEY MUSEUM LIBRARY

# West Pasco Historical Society, Inc.

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## PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Some news items are of no great consequence, but must be reported. We no longer have need for a septic tank. The Museum is now connected to the New Port Richey sewer system at no cost to us. We will never have to clean the tank again, which was done recently at a cost of \$500.00.

For those of you who have <sup>not</sup> been to the Museum lately, our interior lighting has been greatly improved. The number of fixtures has been doubled and each one has been lowered about three feet. Thanks to Adele Gregos for the suggestion.

When our membership chairman, Audry O'Neil sends members Correspondence it would be nice if more of us replied. After all, she is only asking that our dues be paid.

Ellen Seaman does a great job on our scrap books. If you have looked at them in the past, take a little time to look again. The books are added to every week.

Jessie Hyde, our librarian is hospitalized at COMMUNITY HOSPITAL room 221. We wish you well Jessie. Looking forward to seeing you soon. Please take note: The address of the Museum has been changed as follows:

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### CURATOR'S REPORT

Through the past few years we have showcased a wonderful variety of collections. These included Indian artifacts, old music, fans, Valentines, handkerchiefs, Wedgewood china, embroidery, boxes, Madonnas, pitchers, dolls, antique toys, teddy bears, antique radios, post cards, glass hats and shoes, historical documents, rocks and all-member memorabilia.

I am most grateful to those who share their collection for all to enjoy. Even one interesting article can be proudly displayed! Do you have something to share for a month or two? If so, please call me to arrange for the time. By changing our exhibits we keep our Museum fresh and interesting.

Thanks to all who have sat during the year. We surely could use a few more. You do meet the nicest people at our Museum!

**Adele Gregos**  
Curator

### HOSPITALITY

We welcome everyone to our hospitality Table at regular meetings and ask you to have coffee and cookies any time convenient to you, early or late.

We hope that you will look with favor on our offerings.

**JULIE CHENOWETH, CHAIRMAN**  
**JULIA HALL** Co-worker

### COUNTRY STORE

We have been doing a good business lately and had sales of \$60.00 in one day. If you are considering a yard sale, check for good items that could be sold at our country store.

**Frances Howland**  
Manager

### LIBRARY

In our Museum we have a reference library for local, county and Florida history. We have books, records of burials in local cemeteries which have been used by Genealogists and a large picture collection which was borrowed and copied by the state archives in Tallahassee.

**JESSIE HYDE**  
Librarian



A multitude of THANKS to the many who have given freely of their time and talents in our fund raising efforts. We've had a busy year to date and it takes many "hands". Dorothy Nelson has done a superior job with publicity. We can always not only count on but look forward to a great auctioneer in the person of Leonard Carr as well as an entertaining MC at our Fashion Show. Our models as always highlight all our shows. This year Kay Russo, Jean Cole, Adele Gregos, Belva Green and Flo Reveillac displayed some very lovely fashions.

We are planning a White Elephant Sale. If you have any suitable donations drop them off at the Museum of call Gene Sniffin 848-7563 or Norma Nelson 7442. Date to be announced.

In the works are plans for a calender, WPHS stationery and reprint of the cookbook formerly published by the society.

And, if you like T-Shirts, we have just received a supply in white, beige and light blue. They are enhanced with WPHS logo print on the front and are very attractive. They are available in sizes Med, Lg, Xlg for just \$6.95 and for XXlg \$7.95. Come by and pick a few.. for self, gifts or souvenir!

We are always in need of new ideas, talents or even just hands. You are very needed, so come aboard. You are the backbone of the Society. Thanks again to all.

FUND RAISING  
Norma Nelson.

THE WEST PASCO HISTORICAL SOCIETY

WILL HAVE ITS INSTALLATION DINNER MAY 16, 1991 AT 6:30 PM

The place will be LOLA'S RESTAURANT, 9735 U.S. 19 847-1785

Choices will be:

Accompaniments:

Prime Ribs of Beef  
Baked Chicken of Chicken Parmesana  
Fillet of Flounder  
Fillet of Sole

Baked Potato/sour cream  
Tossed Salad  
Loaf of Hot Bread  
ice cream Jello Choice of Puddings

COST OF COMPLETE DINNER: \$9.00 (nine dollars)

☐ Prime Ribs of Beef  
☐ Baked Chicken, Parmesan  
☐ Fillet of Flounder  
☐ Fillet of Sole

☐ Check for \$9.00 enclosed  
Mail to WPHS  
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Directions: Drive North past Ridge Road..past Gulf View Mall and Embassy Crossing. When you see Home Depot get into far left lane and make a U Turn to go South. This is Fox Hollow, watch for Lola's on way back. Ethan Allan comes first then Amoco and Lola's.



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