



Gulfport Historian

January 2007

Meeting and Event Schedule 2006/2007

Sept. 12th
General Meeting
Guest Speaker
7:00 pm

Oct. 14th
Birthday Bash
at Museum
10 am - 3 pm

Nov. 14th
General Meeting
Guest Speaker 7:00 pm

Dec. 12th
General Meeting
Holiday Party at Museum
7:00 pm

**Jan. 9th
General Meeting
Guest Speaker
7:00 pm**

**Feb. 23rd
Decade Celebration
60s Flashback
Casino**

March 13th
General Meeting
Guest Speaker
7:00 pm

April 10th
Annual Meeting
Potluck Dinner 6:30 pm

JAN. 9TH GENERAL MEETING

The January general meeting for all members and guest will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 9th at 7 pm in the Museum, 5301 28th Avenue South. Our guest speaker will be Col. Ken McMahon, who will give a brief history of the U. S. Civil Air Patrol in this area. The CAP celebrated 60 years here in 2006. Our building formerly housed the local CAP group prior to becoming the Museum. Refreshments will be served.

PREPARING FOR DECADE CELEBRATION

Get ready for an evening of the 1960s on Friday, February 23, 2007! Remember "Flower Power", tie dyed clothing, the music, TV shows, movies and the space race ending with men walking on the moon? This was a decade that saw TV go from Bewitched to Laugh-In. A lot happened in the 60s, and most of us remember most of it. We realize not all the 60's were remembered fondly by everyone but we will concentrate on the happy times. Tickets are still only \$15.00 and will be first come, first pre-paid **RESERVED** for full tables of 10. Tickets are on sale now so please call Cathy at 345-1501 for your reservations. Tickets will also be available at the Chamber of Commerce, the Casino and Small Adventures Book Store. Start planning your costumes, (you may want to start by looking in the back of your closet), and come ready to let it all hang out. We will have a couple of vintage cars on display also. By the way, the decade celebration for 2008 will be the 1920s.

MUSEUM TO CO-HOST CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MIXER

On Thursday, January 18th at 5:00 pm the Gulfport Historical Society and Museum will co-host the monthly Gulfport Chamber of Commerce mixer with our local Shaklee representative Naomi Korn.

**Gulfport Historical Society
and
Museum**

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**Museum Hours
of Operation
Monday - Friday
2 pm - 4 pm
Saturday
10 am - 12 Noon**

2007 CALENDARS ON SALE

2007 marks the 20th and **final** Edition of the Gulfport Historical Calendar. We are featuring the calendar covers of the past as our monthly pictures. This is the last edition of the Historical Calendar, as the editor (yours truly), has been putting this publication together herself for the past 20 years and is ready to get out of the calendar making business. The calendars are still only **\$3.00** and are available at the Museum, Sal's Town Shores Restaurant, the Library, Small Adventures Book Store, and the Chamber of Commerce. We also have Historical Society tee shirts for \$10.00 and coffee mugs for \$3.00 on sale at the Museum not to mention the two wonderful books by Lynne Brown on the History of Gulfport.

ARE YOUR DUES UP TO DATE?

If you look at your mailing label, the numbers under your name indicate that **last** time you paid your dues. The first number is the year and the second number is the month i.e. 00/4 reads 2000/April. With the increased cost of printing and mailing, each newsletter now cost \$94.00 to sent out! Your dues help cover this expense. We really do not want to delete anyone from the mailing list, but will need to start purging if dues are not up to date. Dues can be mailed to Gulfport Historical Society, P. O. Box 5152, Gulfport, Fl 33737 **THANK YOU** for your support!

Happy New Year!

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