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EXTERIOR DECORATION:

Whether you'll be paid or interested in learning, attend the April 11th

Kathy R. Bundy, Historic Preservation Consultant, will address the top Schemes for the Historic

Members are invited to bring their houses for discussion during the period.

The Nomination Committee of the Society. Election of

Your Newsletter includes the Constitution and the general meeting to vote on

that you attend the meeting as a quorum is required to pass on these changes.

Refreshments will be served. Come and bring a friend!

BOARD MEETING

The Board of Directors met on Sunday, April 1 to complete the revisions of the Constitution and By-Laws. The next Board meeting will be held on Sunday, April 29 at the Langhorns.

SEE YOU ON THE 11TH AT 7:30 P.M. IN THE SAUGATUCK CITY HALL

Happenings

Garden club sets home tour

The Douglas Garden Club's annual home tour is July 30, according to President Christa Wise. Members will meet at the library in Douglas at 9:30 a.m. Monday, April 16, to plan the tour and to hear Betsy Borre from the West Michigan Horticultural Society. Borre will speak on "A botanical garden in our future." The Horticultural Society is in the process of raising funds for establishing a conservatory and/or botanical garden on the northeast side of Grand Rapids. The garden club has contributed \$500 to the project.

Easter Parade on Saturday

Saugatuck Retail Association is sponsoring the April 14 Easter parade. The parade begins at 2 p.m. and will proceed down Butler Street. There will also be an Easter bonnet competition. For more information, contact Linda Kinnaman, 857-1012.

Exterior decoration discussed

Kathy R. Bundy, historic preservation consultant, will speak on "Exterior decoration: accurate color schemes for the historic house," at the April 11 meeting of the Saugatuck-Douglas Historical Society, 7:30 p.m. in the Saugatuck City Hall. Members are invited to bring antique or contemporary photos of their house for discussion and questions following the lecture period. A special meeting following the general meeting will be held to vote on changes to the constitution and by-laws. The nomination committee will also present the slate of officers for the May election. Refreshments will be served. Everyone is invited.

Films celebrate Earth Day

The Saugatuck-Douglas District Library will present two short films dealing with ecology at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 21, in honor of Earth Day. "The Garden of Eden" features a Florida nature sanctuary in making the case for conservation in order to maintain economic growth, scientific investigation and pharmaceutical research. The film received an Academy Award nomination in 1984. "The Gifts" shows the price of pollution combining facts with strong visual images. The program is open to the public and will last about one hour. For more information call 857-8241.

Open house planned

An open house is planned Wednesday, April 18, for retiring Ottawa Area Intermediate School District Superintendent Roger Troupe from 3 to 5 p.m. at the Careerline Tech Center, at the corner of Port Sheldon Rd. and US 31, north of Holland.

Road restoration topic at meeting

The Allegan County Road Commission will present the cost of restoring Lakeshore Drive north of 130th to two lane traffic at 7:30 p.m., April 18, at the Saugatuck Township Hall, 38 Center St., Douglas.