



CORRECTION

ONLY YEARLY memberships should RENEW January 1st or ASAP.  
Honorary & Life Members DO NOT NEED TO RENEW their subscriptions.  
We regret the confusion our January Issue caused.



**President's Message** by GERTRUDE DAVIS

There are many people we want to thank this month: VIRGINIA McGUINNESS for arranging the bus trip to the Palm Springs Follies and each one who participated by taking the trip; we thank ELAINE & CHUCK BRACK and JEAN & BOB ANGUS for the Chicken Pie Dinner in January; the GARDEN CLUB members for pruning and cleaning out the Memorial Garden area; the Restoration Committee members, BETTY McMILLEN, ELAINE BRACK, RAY & BARBARA WHITLOCK, CHRISTINE HERZOG and RALPH ANDERSON for arranging to have the outside appearance of the "Gift Shop" Annex repaired and upgraded. It is now ready for painting and plans are being made for that work to be done.

This is all VOLUNTEER work - - the only pay is satisfaction in the accomplishment and our "THANK-YOU".

We are discussing ways to beautify the garden area in front of the Store. Do come in and watch for signs of progress as you visit us.

We must also express appreciation to those who continue daily in their specific areas of work for the Historical Society.

To those who live afar - we thank you for your notes and letters of encouragement and especially for your contributions which enable this work to continue.

To you who live in the area and have time to spare - - we welcome your help, your expertise and your strong arm.

The next meeting is on Monday, February 26th at 7:00 pm. We hope to see you there.

TREASURERS REPORT by ELAINE BRACK

February is here and January zoomed by. . . So much has been happening that I really can't believe how much has been coming into the Society.

We received **\$2363** for the building fund. With these donations the **mortgage will DROP to \$88,590.00.**

The Chicken Pot Nite was a great success. . . the proceeds have been added to the building fund also.

THANK YOU EVERYONE. . . KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!

January Contributors

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|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| ANGUS, BOB & JEAN     | CARBONE, M/M PAUL | PAYNE, ERNESTINE     |
| BARONA CASINO         | DAVIS, GERTRUDE   | RAMSTEAD, JEAN       |
| BILL SIGNS TRUCKING   | DUNMIRE, TED      | SOMMERVILLE, ESTELLA |
| BRACK, CHUCK & ELAINE | EINER, FRED       | SPRINGER, M/M A.C.   |
| BROWN, RAY, Sr.       | MORTON, DOROTHY   |                      |

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**MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!** Plan to attend the ***REDEDICATION*** of the Olde Church  
**MARCH 24th - 2:00 pm**

Witness the unveiling of the **HISTORICAL PLAQUE** - Witness the unveiling of the **QUILT**

Get a souvenir **COMMEMORATIVE CANCELLATION** from the olde post office in our store

Musical selections by **GEORGE BUTTERFIELD, JEAN BAILEY GROUP,** and much much **MORE**

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**NOTICE**

**OLYMPIC TRAINING CENTER BUS TRIP HAS BEEN POSTPONED**  
**FURTHER INFORMATION IN YOUR NEXT NEWSLETTER**

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# NEWS...ABOUT OUR TOWN & PEOPLE

*Jur trip to the FABULOUS FOLLIES* was exactly that. . . FABULOUS!! You gotta see it to believe it! Many have already reserved for the next trip (*have no idea when it will be*). A bit of a problem with the mike, speaker system and air conditioning - - our DRIVER was fine and that is the most important (*you can't get everything*). This tour director is going to speak to the bus folks and get EVERYTHING for the next bus trip.

## BEAUTIFICATION OF LAKESIDE

by BETTY McMILLEN

In January the MAINE AVENUE REVITALIZATION ASSOCIATION installed a split rail fence and cactus garden around the "Lakeside Historic District" marker sign at the intersection of Maine Avenue/Mapleview and Highway 67.

The Lakeside Water District donated cactus as did Linda Baines. Connie Beck of the Lakeside Garden Club designed the garden and directed the volunteers who joined the fun of digging and planting.

Dominos Pizza, 7/11 and Burger King donated to the community spirited workers during the project. The antique water wagon which was donated by the Historical Society may be installed later - after some repair work. It was a real community effort. Thanks everyone!

WE KNOW YOU UNDERSTAND. . . . In our last newsletter while listing the many achievements of the Historical Society during 1995, somehow one of the greatest successes -- THE DAY IN THE PARK which included an Antique Auto Show and Craft Sale. LINDA & RON BAINES did a great job chairing the event and VI & FRED WALKER taking care of the many crafters. Thanks to you both and your many helpers too! We all enjoyed it and want to do it again.

TRAVELING - STAN ANDERSON & COLLEEN have traveled as far as Costa Rica and holding for a few days. They think they will have to ferry around to Columbia, then onto Chili -- border crossings are a challenge and expensive.

GUEST SPEAKER for our February 26 meeting will be LARRY BANEGAS who will lecture on the history and culture of the Barona Indians. Learn some surprising facts about our neighbors in Lakeside . . . before the Casino. MR. BANEGAS teaches at Cuyamaca College. Bring a friend. A brief business meeting will follow the lecture.

### **Pillows - Pillows - Pillows**

Various colors - Various fabrics  
Various sizes - Various prices  
Ya all come to our Store

## VFW ANNIVERSARY -

Golden Anniversary party was held Feb. 9, 1996 celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the Carter-Smith VFW Post 5867. 250 people enjoyed the dinner and program at the VFW Hall. Special awards and recognition were given to LES KEPHART, first Commander, 1945-47 and to his wife, ADRIENNE, Auxiliary President 1947-48. Nine Charter Members were present to receive plaques and commendation from County & State dignitaries. Of these nine, five of them are members of the Lakeside Historical Society: CLYDE ATKINSON, RICHARD CLEVINGER, BOB CONLEY, BERYL COOPER, ROY LEE COOPER, JOHN DIGENAN, KERMIT HEISE, JIM LAWS and LES KEPHART.  
CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF YOU!!

VISITORS - DON & DOROTHY CLEVINGER were hosts to NEWELL & MARY PICKERL and friends M/M TOM LEWIS from Alberta, Canada. They toured the local area and thought the Olde Church was beautiful. NEWELL's father drove a Lakeside School Bus while they lived here.

GERTRUDE DAVIS hosted LOIS TAFT from Connecticut. LOIS lived in Lakeside for 9 years, when her husband died she returned to Connecticut to be near her children. She was active in the Methodist Church, Woman's Club, and President of Lakeside AARP.

## *In Memoriam*



**ROD HARRISON** born in Iowa August 4, 1920 passed away August 21, 1995. He was raised in San Marcus but lived many years in Lakeside. Many will remember him as pumping your gas, cleaning your windshield, checking your air and tires or correcting a mechanical problem at the El Monte Shell station. He leaves his wife DORIS, daughter DOLLY WOOD and sons DAVID and HIRAM.

Monetary gifts in memory of GEORGE WOODS, MARY HOGQUIST, RAMOND SAM, THELMA ALBERT, JOHN C. PETTINGILL and ROD HARRISON have been given to the Lakeside Memorial Fund. Plaques will be placed on our Memorial Board which hangs on the wall of our historic building.

Listed below are members and friends of the Lakeside Historical Society who have donated to the Building Fund in 1994 and 1995.

AMES, William	DUNMIRE, Theodore M.	KOUNS, Edna	RUSH, Hunter M/M
ANDERSON, Penelope	EDGAR, Faris, M/M	KOUNS, Wes M/M	SANFORD, Robert M/M
ANDERSON, Ralph M/M	EDWARDS, Lee M/M	LANDIS, Lucille	SANGSTER, Robert M/M
ANGUS, Robert M/M	ELLWOOD, Patricia	LARSEN, Mike M/M	SANGSTER, Lois
ARMSTRONG, Dale	EMBRY, Virginia Kouns	LONGLEY, C.M.	SHACKLEFORD, Gordon M/M
AUNT CINDY's Gourment Pickles	ENNIS ENTERPRISES	LOSASSO, Kathleen	SHAW, Eleanor
BAILEY, Jean	FALTER, Virgil Lee M/M	LYONS, Dorothy	SHERMAN, Marguerite
BARKER, Leland M/M	FLOR, L.L. M/M	MAGILL, Art M/M	SHERMAN, Theodore
BARRONS, J.C. M/M	FOSTER, Charles M/M	McCAULEY, Barbara Dobbs	SHERRILL, Mary
BERGLUND, Denna M/M	FOSTER, Raymond M/M	McDOUGAL, Earl M/M	BILL SIGNS TRUCKING
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BRIGHT FUEL	HANLY, Joseph B. M/M	MERGENS, Marilyn	SMITH, Phyllis
BROWN, Jr. C.W.	HANSEN, MD, WM. J. M/M	MILLER, Jeanne	SOMMERVILLE, Estella Brown
BUCKEL, Harry M/M	HART, Marian	MILLER, Sallie Stewart & son Morgan	SPRINGER, Arthur M/M
BUTTERFIELD, Claude M/M	HAYES, Colleen	MONDY, Harvey M/M	STEWART, Ada Ann
CAMPBELL, Mickey M/M	HEAD, Bettie	NEMECHECK, Bruce M/M	STOLL, Bob M/M
CANFIELD, Rickard M/M	HEAD, George M/M	OGREN, Undine	STRAUSS, Ellwood M/M
CARBONE, Lucille	HELD, Richard M/M	OSTROM, Clarence M/M	STRICKLER, Rosemary Nelson
CARENDER, Eileen	HELIX LAND LTD	PACIFIC FREIGHTLINER TRUCKS	SUTTON, Frieda L.
CATE, Edwin M/M	HERALD, Brian M/M	PAINÉ, G. Ernestine	SWEAREGIN, Vaughnie
CLAUSSEN, Gene M/M	HELM, Velma	PHILLBROOK, Leonard M/M	SWINK, John M/M
CLAYCOMB, Frank M/M	HERMS, Henry M/M	PIGNATELLI, Jim M/M	TAYLOR, Claudia
CLEMENS, Ray M/M	HERZOG, Leon M/M	PINKARD, Bill M/M	THORNHILL, Kay
CLEVINGER, Don M/M	HISLOP, Patricia Roberts	PISTONETTI, Ethel E.	WALKER, DR., Wanda M.
CLEVINGER, Richard M/M	HOCKENBERRY, William M/M	PLATTE, Monroe	WARD, Selina C.
COE, Travis M/M	HOLDEN, Wayne M/M	PARKER, Grace	WATKINS, Peter
COLEMAN, Ralph	HOM, John M/M	POINDEXTER, David A.	WET & WILD
COLLINS, Rose	HORST, Florence	PRATT, Hazel	WHITE, Elizabeth
COMEY, David M/M	HUFFMAN, Harvey M/M	PRINDLE & CLEMENS Families	WHITLOCK, Ray M/M
CONANT, Julian M/M	ISOM, Phyllis	PRICE, LaVonne	WILKINSON, Russell M/M
CONLEY, Barbara	JABEN, Allen M/M	PUHN, Olga	WILLIAMS, Marcella
COPY CORRAL, Inc.	JACOBS, Cecil M/M	QUINCEY, Barbara	WINDRESS, Ida
CRAY, Charles M/M	JAMIESON, Margaret	RAY, Carroll M/M	WOMAN'S CLUB of Lakeside
CROSLEY, Pearl	KALSTROM, M/M	RAMSTEAD, Jeanne	WOODSIDE SHELL & FOODMART
DAVIS, Gertrude	K-DAHL ELECTRIC	ROBERTS, Jr. T.E. M/M	WRAY, Robert M/M
DeLAMARTER, Geraldine	KEATING, Marian	RUFFIN, Gale M/M	WRIGHT, Grace Wilkinson
DREHER, Lucy H.	KEPHART, Les M/M		YOUNG, Irma
	KOUNS, Charles M/M		

*Thank You!*

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## GIFT SHOP NEWS

(re-arranging & new Manager) by MARGUERITE SHERMAN

We changed the Gift Shop around to make it look more like a store and still have room for small meetings and an archives work shop. Also a better place to display the quilt that BARBARA BOGGESS is so loyal and constantly working on has been accomplished.

The planning, moving and rearranging within 4 days would have been impossible --- except for our WONDERFUL VOLUNTEERS: RAY & BARBARA WHITLOCK, ELAINE & CHUCK BRACK, OLGA PUHN, CHRISTINE HERZOG, MARGUERITE SHERMAN, SILVIA STURGES and MARCELLA WILLIAMS.

There is a change in Store Managership -- BARBARA WHITLOCK will be in charge, I will assist whenever BARBARA & RAY do their special travel trips.

I know you will enjoy the new arrangement and I have enjoyed being Manager - but it is time to slow down. I will still be on duty on Fridays - see you there!

EDITORS NOTE: MARGUERITE is not "slowing down" - she has just shifted tasks - she has accepted Presidency of the Lakeside Woman's Club.

# TREASURERS REPORT by ELAINE BRACK

The 1995 year has been really busy financially. I can't believe how everyone has pitched in and moved the Society forward financially to continue the purchase and restoration of the Olde Community Church.

\*You will find listed below the financial vital statistics for 1995.

Balance in checkbook January 1, 1995. . . . .		\$ 5,669.62
Income. . . . .	63,587.04	
Reimbursements for change . . . . .	<u>1,240.00</u>	+64,827.04
		\$70,396.66
Disbursements . . . . .	56,472.65	
Transfer to Savings . . . . .	3,785.00	
Change. . . . .	<u>1,675.00</u>	-61,932.65
CHECKBOOK BALANCE December 31, 1995. . . . .		8,564.01
BANK OF AMERICA MEMORIAL FUND BALANCE. . . . .	\$ 6,814.63	
GREAT WESTERN MEMORIAL CD BALANCE. . . . .	\$ 6,917.73	
GREAT WESTERN MEMBERSHIP FUND BALANCE. . . . .	\$ 8,001.10	
GREAT WESTERN MEMBERSHIP CD BALANCE. . . . .	\$11,804.38	
OLDE COMMUNITY CHURCH BALANCE BUILDING FUND. . . . .	\$ 3,662.84	

### MORTGAGE PAY DOWN INFORMATION

Fund balance January 1, 1995 . . . . .	\$115,000.00
Principle payment. . . . .	- 23,089.85
<b>BALANCE ON MORTGAGE DECEMBER 31, 1995. . . . .</b>	<b>\$ 91,910.15</b>

For 1996 lets be hopeful that the Historical Society can again pay a great deal off of the mortgage and continue the restoration projects. Please remember the Society in 1996.

*\*A MORE DETAILED BREAKDOWN OF THE FINANCIAL ACTIVITY WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE JANUARY MEETING.*

### LAKESIDE HISTORICAL SOCIETY'S PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1996

#### INCOME

CHECKING. . . . .	\$ 2,062.00
MEMBERSHIP. . . . .	5,964.00
LIFE MEMBERSHIP . . . . .	500.00
MEMORIALS . . . . .	2,100.00
WAYS & MEANS. . . . .	
MANSE RENT. . . . .	6,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS DONATIONS & USE OF CHURCH BY OTHERS . . . . .	<u>3,000.00</u>
	<b>\$34,626.00</b>

#### EXPENSES

ARCHIVIST, HISTORIAN, CURATOR . . . . .	250.00
PRESIDENT . . . . .	50.00
PROGRAMS (Vice President) . . . . .	100.00
DIRECT PUBLIC SUPPORT - 3rd GRADE ART & ESSAY CONTEST . . . . .	100.00
MANSE TAXES . . . . .	790.00
CHURCH LIABILITY & FIRE INSURANCE . . . . .	2,213.00
NEWSLETTER & ALL SUPPLIES FOR PUBLISHING. . . . .	2,500.00
OFFICE SUPPLIES. . . . .	300.00
POST OFFICE RENT & POSTAL SUPPLIES. . . . .	150.00
UTILITIES . . . . .	1,720.00
CHURCH RESTORATION. . . . .	4,850.00
CHURCH PAYMENTS . . . . .	14,640.00
WAYS & MEANS . . . . .	6,645.00
MEMORIAL EXPENSE. . . . .	100.00
CUSTODIAN . . . . .	<u>200.00</u>
	<b>\$34,626.00</b>

**VOLUNTEERS....**



**ARE SPECIAL PEOPLE**

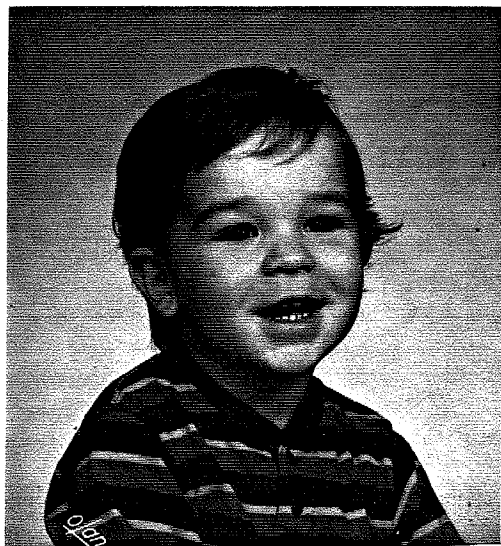
## TRAVEL NEWS

Seven of us - off to Pasadena to help decorate the San Diego Zoo float for the Rose Parade -- BARB & RAY WHITLOCK, BETTY McMILLEN, ROXANE SMITH, EMMIE SMITH, ERIN BELL and VIRGINIA McGUINNESS met at the Olde Church 6:00am - discussed the route to Pasadena - traveled caravan style with Whitlocks' in the lead. They were easy to follow on the freeways because of driving their "RIG" (cab over camper). Decision had been made the day before to pack lunch and coffee - not stop for breakfast - drive straight thru.

We signed in 9:25 and were assigned our various tasks. BETTY, BARBARA, RAY and VIRGINIA were assigned to cutting Statice while ROXANE, EMMIE and ERIN were sent to an adjoining tent to put water in vials. We had assorted tasks during the day -- Silver Leaf on the bow with glue (ugh - tough job); placing Iris into the vials; cutting of mums and more cutting of statice.

We had a good time - meet new people - had a young Russian lad working on the bow -- all VOLUNTEERS -- and we know VOLUNTEERS ARE SPECIAL!

STAN ANDERSON and COLLEEN HAYES are packed, driving a pickup pulling a trailer, on their way to the southern tip of South America. Enroute they will visit nephew ELDER J. ANDERSON in Chili. They will be back in time for the scheduled weddings of GENE & SHON.



OUR YOUNGEST LIFE MEMBER  
ANDREW KUHNER (AGE 3)

(Gift from Grandfather - RONNIE KUHNER)

## WALK IN THE PAST

The 30 plus people who participated in the Historical District Walking tour on December 17th enjoyed it and many suggested a return event at a less busy time.

Facts about early 1900 homes and the people who lived and worked here were divulged by Historical members as well as other walkers. Refreshments and a slide presentation by OLGA PUHN completed the afternoon. Donations were appreciated as well as a popcorn hand-out by WAYNE McALLISTER of Harlow House.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### JANUARY

- 15 Reservation for Pot Pie Dinner
- 19 Board Meeting-9:30am
- 22 POT PIE dinner-6:00pm  
Short meeting & program: Larry Banegas, History & Culture of The Barona Indian Reservation

### FEBRUARY

- 1 Reservation for Palm Springs Follies on 2/13
- 11 Commemoration service-2:00pm
- 23 Board Meeting-9:30am
- 26 General Meeting-7:00pm

### MARCH

- 22 Board Meeting-9:30am
- 24 Rededication ceremony, 100yrs. Unveiling centennial quilt  
Commemorative pictorial stamp cancellation
- 25 General Meeting-7:00pm

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



- ED HAYES JR. - Salt Lake City, UT
- EVELYN HAYES - Lakeside
- DEAN STRASSER - Lakeside
- JANEAN YOUNG - Escondido
- LM 276 ELIZABETH WHITE - Lakeside
- LM 278 MARJORIE KURSAVE SMITH -Lakeside
- LM 279 DONNA KUHNER - Lakeside
- LM 280 DON KUHNER - Ramona
- LM 281 ANDREW KUHNER - Lakeside

# You can make a difference

THANK YOU Jean Taylor-Bailey for volunteering one day a month at the Historical Center.

# Birthdays & Anniversaries

JAN 1996

## FEBRUARY

## EXCERPTS FROM OUR DECEMBER MAIL BAG

WISHED HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO LIZ WASHBURN WHO CELEBRATED HER 81st BIRTHDAY ON DECEMBER 12th.

- |                                      |                                     |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1 BARKDULL, EVELYN                   | 16 FOSTER, LLOYD                    |
| 3 29th CHRISTINE ♡ LEON HERZOG       | 16 39th CAROL ♡ GAROLD KURSAVE      |
| 4 PIERCE, CHARLES                    | 16 WILKAS, BERT                     |
| 5 CLARK, BONNIE                      | 16 60th MARIE ♡ BERT WILKAS         |
| 5 CLUBB, CURTIS                      | 17 58th ENA ♡ GEORGE BOWDEN         |
| 5 24th KATHYRN ♡ LARRY PADDOCK       | 17 23rd DOLORES ♡ AL MEYER          |
| 5 18th JEANNE ♡ LARRY TAYLOR         | 17 53rd LOUISE ♡ BRUCE NEMECHECK    |
| 6 JOHNSON, ROBERT                    | 18 80yrs. RIVER VIEW WATER DISTRICT |
| 6 20th VIRGINIA ♡ CHARLES MCGUINNESS | 18 BETTIE HEAD                      |
| 6 WILKINSON, RUSS                    | 18 45th JEAN ♡ BOB WALKER           |
| 7 AMES, NORA                         | 18 12th PAMELA ♡ PAUL GRISOFT       |
| 8 36yrs. WYROC INC.                  | 19 COX, FLORENCE EICKHOFF           |
| 9 BOST, FRANK                        | 19 47th JEAN ♡ BYRON CONRAD         |
| 9 BEN-JUDAH, CAROL CLEMENS           | 19 EICKHOFF, RON                    |
| 9 LANGLEY, BESSIE                    | 20 BANEGAS, DENISE                  |
| 9 MAUZEY, MARJORIE                   | 24 35th SERENA ♡ HARVEY HUFFMAN     |
| 9 55th LEONA ♡ LARRY WILCOX          | 25 40th RUTH ♡ CHARLES FOSTER       |
| 10 CONLEY, RON                       | 25 GOETZ, RAY                       |
| 10 MILLER, BEVERLY                   | 25 PITNATELLI, CAROL SWINK          |
| 11 KALSTROM, JIM                     | 26 14th DONNA FAE ♡ CLARENCE BRUNOT |
| 11 KALSTROM, MARYBETH                | 26 HOCKENBERY, MARY JAY             |
| 12 STANSBURY, HARRY                  | 27 HOWE, ALMA                       |
| 12 WALKER, VIOLET                    | 27 SAVAGE, RUSSELL                  |
| 13 ASHFIELD, HARRY                   | 27 WHITE, JAYNE PHILIPS             |
| 14 8th BETTY ♡ EVAN DOWERS           | 28 BAILEY, GEORGE                   |
| 15 EDGAR, FARIS                      | 28 SHAFFER, JENNIFER                |
| 15 LA PORTE, JERRY                   | 29 D'IMPERIO, ADELE                 |
| 15 38th DONNA ♡ JOHN SWINK           |                                     |

ERWIN DAGENDESH, La Crosse, WI. -  
I appreciate the Historical Bulletin and especially the new Ten Commandments. Hope I can keep every one of them! I'll review them often. You even listed my birthday - what research - I was 91!

JEAN BAILEY, Lakeside -  
I am grateful to all of you who make the building so beautiful. The Christmas Home Tour adds to good memories in the neighborhoods. I had visited the HAYES home in the 50's when BILL & LUCILLE DRANEY operated their egg ranch.

DAVID JOHNSON, Healdsburg, CA. -  
A mail order for calendars included greetings to those who remember his parents, RUSS & ISABELLE JOHNSON who lived on Wintergardens Blvd. (ANDY had a wonderful hours visit recently with DAVID reminiscing. (REX, SANDY, DAVID, TOMMY and BOBBIE JOHNSON grew us together).

ELDER J. ANDERSON, Chili - Thank you so much for letters, faxes and videos. Some people can't believe the poverty and dirtiness of everything here.  
Love to all.



JANUARY 22, 1996 POT PIE NITE

\$5.00 Donation - 6:00pm

Reservation Necessary & Due January 15th

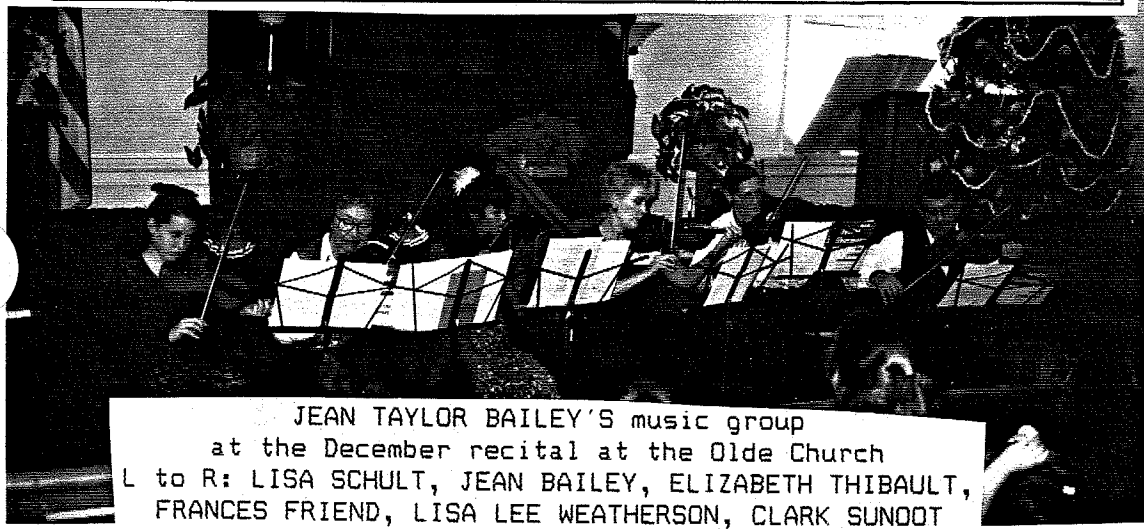
Call JEAN ANGUS 561-2223 or ELAINE BRACK 443-0573



### SALE

To celebrate the re-arranging of the store and back room, we are having a **JANUARY SALE!** Any item purchased during January will be discounted **10%**

STOP BY & TAKE A LOOK!



JEAN TAYLOR BAILEY'S music group at the December recital at the Olde Church  
L to R: LISA SCHULT, JEAN BAILEY, ELIZABETH THIBAUT, FRANCES FRIEND, LISA LEE WEATHERSON, CLARK SUNOOT

# From Our PRESIDENT

by GERTRUDE DAVIS

GREETINGS FROM ATLANTA, GEORGIA, WHERE A CRISPY HOLIDAY SEASON IS BEING ENJOYED. The thermometer is pointing to warmer days next week--working up from the lower 20's to between 40 and mid 50's. In Calloway Gardens' "Butterfly House" hundreds of butterflies are busy sipping nectar from many varieties of flowers as if it were mid-summer. Experts at the Gardens have constructed special housing where the metamorphosis from pupae to butterfly occurs. The newly emerged butterflies are then placed in the "Butterfly House" to begin their busy life.

Like the butterfly, something about the advent of the new year inspires one for a fresh start, to try harder and to attempt larger projects. The Historical Society has one tremendous project under way--the reduction of the mortgage balance on the olde church. Your generous support of this project during the past year has been greatly appreciated. We are now planning further reduction of the debt through our monthly payments and, we trust, by occasional lump sum payments on the principal.

Working towards our goal, several projects are already on the calendar for this year: The chicken pie dinner January 22nd, a bus trip to the Palm Springs Follies in February, 100-year dedication ceremony in March, the Golf & Bridge Tournament in August. Information on these events will be in this or succeeding issues.

I wish a good NEW YEAR to each one of you.



## OUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS WERE MANY , by Betty McMillen

Historical Society members have been breathing a little easier lately after a breathtakingly busy 1995 to raise funds for our newly purchased church building.

Determined to clean up the back yard, the Restoration Committee kept things churned up: A new handicap ramp was installed, cellar doors replaced. The old utility sink and sliding barn door were removed. A new picket fence surrounds the yard, and new fire sprinklers installed in the Country Store.

We enjoyed many dinner meetings which included pot pies, chili, a ham dinner, BBQ picnic, and our ever popular pot lucks. The Home Town Reunion catered dinner was a big success, as usual.


Other money-making and fun events were the field trip to Mission De Alcala and Mission Trails Park, the Ramona Historical Society, the Western Days breakfast, yard sales, street dance desert sale, golf and bridge tournament, Christmas home tour and an art show featuring local artists.

Other happenings included historic slide shows for elementary, middle, college and adult school classes. We hosted several meetings for the Congress of History. Our museum in Lindo Park was open many weekends for the public to enjoy. Celebration of Flossie Beatle week, a walking tour of Lakeside's historic district, and installation of 1996 officers finalized the 1995 year.

Future plans include restoration of sagging floor timbers in the church building, and remodeling the back exit of the country store. We will tackle the termite problem after that.

March will be the Centennial grand finale with commemoration of the first service held in the church building in 1886; and a musical rededication of the building (resembling the original dedication program held in 1886), and the unveiling of the centennial name quilt.

We can proudly say, with humility, that the Lakeside Historical Society is the most active organization in the Lakeside area.

  
**Lakeside Historical Society**  
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JANUARY/FEBRUARY 1996

# YOUR SUBSCRIPTION EXPIRES WITH THIS ISSUE!

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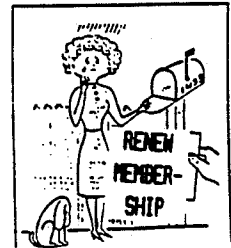
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for SUPPORTING  
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JIM WILLIAMS  
9705 PROSPECT AVE  
LAKESIDE CA 92040-4113

*Hold for Marcella*

## MEMBERSHIP

SHIRLEY ANDERSON is my name - Membership Chairman is my game.  
Today I am sad and blue - I need to hear from YOU  
With renewal slip and check, before I become a nervous wreck!  
Please take a minute to send in those dues -  
So next time I can report VERY GOOD NEWS.



INDIVIDUAL \$12.00 - LIFE MEMBER \$100.00 - BUS./ORG. \$20.00 - BUS./ORG. LIFE MEMBER \$150.00  
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