Over Here & Over There: WWI in Wayland
Wayland HS Lecture Hall - Sunday, May 1, 2:00 pm

You are invited to come to the Wayland High School Lecture Hall on Sunday, May 1st to learn what Wayland was like during “the war to end all wars.” How did citizens respond to the transition from peace to armed conflict? On this 100th anniversary of the Great War, the Wayland Historical Society and Kevin Delaney and the Wayland High School History Project team up to excavate the stories of local men and women who responded to President Wilson’s call to arms. With a little luck and a lot of hard work, these wonderful students aim to shed light on a period in local history that has yet to be extensively studied, focusing on four men who went to war. Refreshments by Kathy Heckscher and Dottie & Ed Lee.

ANNUAL MEETING - Grout-Heard House Museum
Wednesday, May 18, 7:30 pm

Plan to attend this year’s Annual Meeting to hear reports from your dedicated, hard-working officers and committee chairs, and to exercise your right to vote for the proposed slate of candidates for the 2016-2017 year. Please review the Nominating Committee Report on the next page for the current list of candidates.

Refreshments by the Board of Directors
Nominating Committee Report

The Nominating Committee is pleased to present the slate of candidates, listed below, for the various Board of Managers, Trustees of Funds and Officer positions for the 2016-2017 year.

Please note that during the past year, Debby Jones stepped down from the Trustees of Funds after long and greatly appreciated service. The Board of Managers appointed Lynn Trimby to fill the vacancy created by Debby’s resignation. Lynn brings to the Trustees many years of investment management experience. She also has experience as a Treasurer for not-for-profit organizations which adds to her understanding of the interplay between an endowment fund’s policies and an organization’s operating needs.

OFFICERS (One-year terms)

- President: Molly Faulkner
- Vice President: Robert Mainer
- Treasurer: George Ives
- Secretary: Margery Baston
- Curator: Lois Davis
- Museum Manager: Joanne Davis
- Maintenance Manager: Roger Backman
- Past President: Jane Sciacca

BOARD OF MANAGERS (Three-year terms)

- Alice Boelter: Through 2017
- Kate Jenney: Through 2017
- Aida Gennis: Through 2018
- Elisa Scola: Through 2018
- John Heckscher: Through 2019
- Brad Keyes: Through 2019

TRUSTEES OF FUNDS (One-year terms)

- John Beard, Chair
- Bill Hicks
- Lynn Trimby
- George Ives, Treasurer

All candidates have agreed to stand for election at the Annual Meeting.

Nominating Committee: Robert Mainer, Chair, Alice Boelter and John Heckscher.
“Living in Long Ago Days”

First and second grade girls wearing mobcaps and enjoying the Society’s after-school program “Living in Long Ago Days” in the Campbell Room of the Grout-Heard House Museum. Many thanks to Joanne Davis, Lois Doerr, Molly Faulkner, Kathy Finch, Jane Fontana, Kathy Heckscher, Claudia Heller and Marney Ives. This always popular program was presented this year on four consecutive Tuesdays in March.

Wayland Tidbits*
*Tidbit—a small piece of news or interesting information. The following are excerpted from an extensive list compiled by Jane Sciacca:

In 1954, teacher Ann Hale was fired by the School Committee for prior membership in the Communist Party.

In 1971, Katy Seiler became the first woman to be elected to the Board of Selectmen—332 years after its founding.

Mainstone Farm is the sole survivor of Wayland's agricultural past. In 1885, there were 106 farms, 141 farmers and 110 farm laborers.

In 1639, a man aptly named Thomas Cakebread became the first miller.

In 1953, the Sudbury Valley Trustees was founded by seven Wayland men, led by Allen H. Morgan, to protect wildlife and preserve open space.

In 1999, twenty-nine miles of the Sudbury, Concord and Assabet Rivers were designated as “Wild and Scenic” by act of Congress.

In 1640, the progenitor of Wayland's First Parish was established.
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