



NEWTOWN HISTORIC ASSOCIATION, INC.

P.O. BOX 303 - CENTRE AVENUE & COURT STREET - NEWTOWN, PA. 18940

MAY NEWSLETTER

At the Annual Meeting, April 17, 1989 the membership confirmed the appointment of David Callahan as 2nd Vice-President, Marjorie Torongo as Recording Secretary and Martin Sutton to the Board of Directors.

Please don't forget the Studio and Gallery Walking Tour on Sunday, May 21, 1989, in lieu of our May meeting, from 2-5 pm. Studios open will be those of Kathering Renninger, John Foster and Harriet Ermentrout. Three galleries on State Street will be open, also. Tickets can be purchased at the Court Inn and refreshments will be served.

The Edward R. Barnsley Room of Newtown History reports 1989 donations of books, photographs, copies of the Newtown Enterprise and other miscellaneous items from Mrs. Eugene Bachmann, Edward R. Barnsley, David Callahan, Mrs. Jean Wright Comfort, Alice Ford, Norman Kitchen and Jane Murphy. All of these things contribute to the information about Newtown in our research area and are always appreciated.

The Upper Makefield Historical Society will have a House Tour on Sunday, May 21, 1989, from 1-5 pm. The cost of the tour will be \$5.00 per person. The following homes will be on the tour: Nolan house at 532 & Dolington Road, the Malmros house at 826 Washington Crossing Road, Springhill Farm at 995 Washington Crossing Road, Willow Farm (as featured in the Feb. 1987 issue of Colonial Homes magazine) on Upper Creamery Road, the McNair/Slack house (recently restored by Mr. and Mrs. David Cook) at 100 Stoneybrook Road, and Makefield Farm (the Dudley home) at 1051 Eagle Road. Please call Doris Kennedy, 493-5415, if you need further information.

"Mansions along the Mississippi" was a great success!! The group enjoyed antebellum accomdations in both Vicksburg and Natchez. The food and guides were outstanding. Thirteen antebellum mansions were visited each a architectural masterpiece. The group was so engrossed in its pursuit of history it hardly noticed the passing tornado.

The Newtown Historic Association extends its sympathy to the family of Edward R. Barnsley. Ned, a founding member, will be remembered for his support and many contributions to the Historic Association.

Dues were payable on April 1, 1989. If you have gorgotten please send your check.

Single membership	\$ 10.00
Family membership	15.00
Contributing membership	50.00
Corporate membership	150.00

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

Sunday, May 21, 1989	Studio and Gallery Walking Tour	2-5pm
Saturday, June 24, 1989	Pig Roast	6:30 pm
Saturday, September 16, 1989	Market Day	10-4 pm
Saturday, December 2, 1898	Colonial Open House	10-5 pm