



Established in 1995 – Preserving the history of Fremont, Newark and Union City

Spring Newsletter March – June 2018

President's Message

Happy Spring and thank you for picking up a copy of our most recent newsletter!

We just completed our annual elections for board positions. Three positions were up for election on the ballot, which went out to all of our paid members on January 1st. Votes were tallied and the final results came in at our February board meeting. Marjory Begley was voted in as our new alternate. I (Kelsey Camello) and Patty Lacy were voted to continue on the board. As a board we then re-elected me as President, moved Patty Lacy from a general board position to Vice President, and moved Tom Heater from his position as an alternate to a general board position. To the right you can see a breakdown of the final museum board going forward. Thank you to everyone who voted!

Please take note of the colored insert in this newsletter. Ducks 4 Bucks is happening now! The fundraiser will run through April 28. The last day to return duck purchases to the museum is Friday, April 20. Please use the enclosed insert and envelope to help us continue to raise funds for archiving. Our archiving fund goes directly to paying for work done on our existing collection, which is constantly being added to by donors who look to us to store pieces of our local history. We appreciate your support in this!

Read on for more information about everything we have going on in the coming months. Thank you for helping to keep history alive in the Tri-City area, and remember – volunteers are always needed and welcome!

Kelsey Camello
President

Board Members

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Board: Harry Avila
Board: Tom Heater
Alternate: Stuart Guedon
Alternate: Marjory Begley



**Congratulations to
Carmen & John
Melendez, who won our
membership raffle!
Thanks to all of you who
paid your membership
EARLY this year and
were entered into the
raffle. Let's do it again
next year!**

**Happy 70th Birthday
to Patricia
Schaffarczyk! We
would be lost without
her constant work
and dedication!**



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SAVE THE DATE

Annual Volunteer/Donor Luncheon **Sunday, May 20th, 2018**

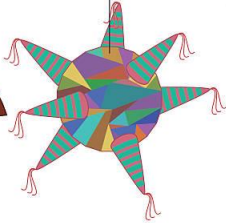
Swiss Park Hall
5911 Mowry Avenue in Newark

Doors open at 12pm -- Lunch starts at 12:30pm

*Join us for a wrap up of the year, a raffle with fun prizes,
and a selection of our collection on display!*



Family Day at Rancho Higuera Historical Park



47300 Rancho Higuera Road in Fremont
(an authentically restored adobe)

Saturday, April 28, 2018
11:00am – 3:00pm

- Traditional Mexican music and Folklorico dancing
- Mexican food for purchase
- games, activities, and a piñata for children
- tours of the adobe
- a video of the history and restoration of the adobe
- displays including Ohlone, Mexican, Portuguese, & American families that lived here & Rattlesnake Roger with his authentic spurs and chaps of the period

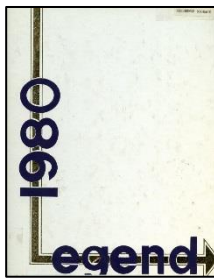
*Suggested Donation: \$10.00 per family or \$5.00 per person;
Museum members and children 5 and under: FREE.*

Additions to Collections

Annette Sproule donated photos of the Holy Ghost Parade and Avila Ranch from the 1930s and 40s.



Andrew Cavette donated a Niles Canyon sticker and Teen Band Night Demo CDs (City of Fremont) from 1998 – 2012.



The Alameda County Library, Irvington Branch donated yearbooks from Irvington High School, Kennedy High School, and Horner Junior High.

Bernice Myers donated vintage photographs of relatives of her family (Santos) and her grandparents, who were Frank and Mary Duarte of Niles.



Barbara Barrie donated a watercolor painting of the Chadbourne Carriage House by Rachel Bentley as well as additional information related to the painting and the artist.

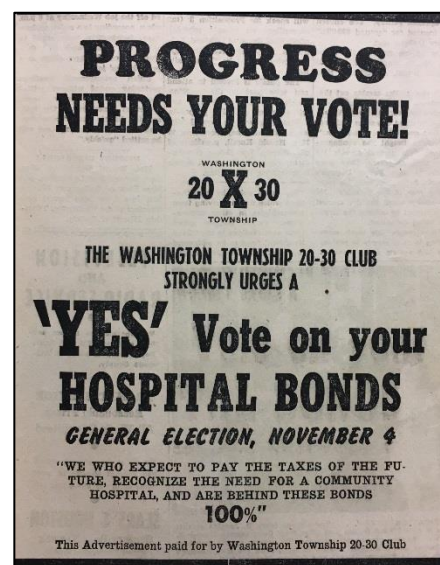
The Hayward Area Historical Society donated two local 8x10 aerial photos by Bay Area Aerial Survey from 1960 and 1961.

Tom & Gail Blalock donated a woolly mammoth tusk taken from the Bell Quarry in Fremont. Ken Painter, a construction inspector for the City of Fremont, found it in 1975.



Al & Barbara Auer donated items from the McIver Hardware Store and Family.

Frank Martin donated a scrapbook of the 20-30 Club, owned by Baine Leask of Fremont, with newspaper articles, photos and papers. In the 1940s, Leask owned the grocery store across from the International Kitchen Restaurant.



Volunteer Opportunities: *We are currently in need of the following. Can you or someone you know help?*



- tour guides and docents for adult and student tours (museum and adobe)
- researchers for various projects
- collections and archiving help
- technical help / IT specialists
- a membership chairperson



The Great Rotary Hot Chili Pepper Challenge

In September and October of 2017, we participated in the Great Rotary Virtual Hot Chili Pepper Challenge. Both Mission San Jose Rotary and Newark Rotary chose us as their beneficiaries for the 2:1 matching funds from this campaign. Thanks to all of our museum members as well as Tri-City community members who donated to our cause during the campaign, we were able to raise \$12,195.00 in just two months. WOW! Thank you all for your generosity! (Donors listed below)



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Our Virtual Museum -- Thanks to the generous people at Niles Rotary, we are continuing to work on our "virtual museum", which will be a selection of our extensive photo collection available online to anyone with internet access. We are actively working on getting this set up and operational. Our immediate goal is to represent each of the original eight towns of Washington Township. Please look for more information on this in the coming months!

Mission San Jose Walking Tour

On Saturday, March 10, we had our first walking tour of the year. Forty people came out on an overcast day to learn all about the history of the town of Mission San Jose as told by Kelsey Camello, with help from the crowd! **Please print page 7 of this newsletter and hang a copy on your fridge. We want to see YOU on our next walking tour!**



Ducks for Bucks

Duck for Bucks is here! Look for the colored insert in this newsletter. All of our proceeds from Ducks for Bucks will go to our archiving fund. The last day to return duck purchases to the museum is Friday, April 20. Race day is Saturday, April 28 at Lake Elizabeth - Family games start at 11:00 am, with the duck race at 1:00 pm.

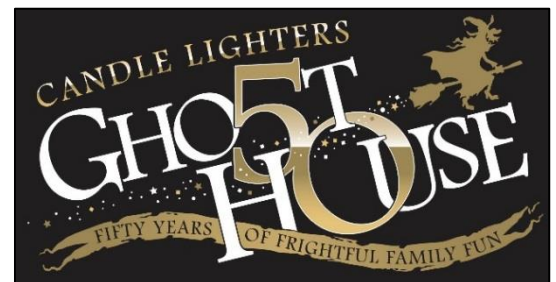


San Francisco History Days

Thanks to Stuart Guedon, who represented the museum at this year's SF area history fair inside the Old Mint building in the city. This was our second year participating in this fun event, which took place on March 3-4th. Join us next March to learn all about the history of the SF Bay Area, not just the Tri-City!

Candle Lighters Celebrates 50 Years & Grants Two Sheds to Our Organization

The museum is looking forward to receiving our two new sheds this year— one for the adobe property and one for the museum property. Candle Lighters will fund these sheds. In January, we were able to celebrate the end of the 2017 season and thank Candle Lighters for their generosity at a beautiful lunch at Spin-A-Yarn. This year Candle Lighters is celebrating 50 years of service, and we are hoping to join in somehow! Look for more details on this in the coming months.





WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP MUSEUM of LOCAL HISTORY

2018 Historic Walking Tours

All tours are free to the public. Suggested donation is \$5.00/person.

MARCH



SAT 3/10: Mission San Jose - 11am - Meet at 190 Anza Street in Fremont, led by Kelsey Camello & Marjory Begley.

JULY



SAT 7/14: Newark - 11am - Meet at the corner of Thornton and Ash Streets in front of Watkins Hall, led by Anthony Guzman.

APRIL



SAT 4/21: Alvarado - 11am - Meet at Alvarado Elementary School, 31100 Fredi St. in Union City, led by Tim Swenson.

AUGUST



SAT 8/18: Decoto Bike Tour - 11am - Meet in the parking lot of Dry Creek/Pioneer Regional Park, located at the end of May Road (near Whipple and Mission Blvd) in Union City, led by Tim Swenson.

MAY



SAT 5/05: Niles - 11am - Meet at Essanay Film Museum, 37417 Niles Blvd in Fremont, led by David Kiehn.

SEPTEMBER



SAT 9/15: Centerville - 11am - Meet in front of Holy Spirit Church, 37588 Fremont Blvd in Fremont, led by Tim Swenson.

JUNE



SAT 6/16: Irvington - 11am - Meet at the Irvington Monument at Five Corners in Fremont, led by Caroline Harris.

NOVEMBER



SAT 11/3: Cemetery Tour - 11am - Stay tuned for location & leaders!

Ways to Donate



Wondering how you can donate to the museum?

1 Donations can be made with money, by becoming a member, increasing your membership contribution, gifting a membership to friends or family members, by giving a general donation, or by donating to a specific project.

2 Donations can also be made in-kind, by giving items to the museum. These items can be either historical, or useful for the day to day operation of the museum.

3 A third way of donating is by giving time, energy, and skills – volunteering! We can always use another helping hand.

4 Finally, the newest way that you can give to the museum is by donating appreciated securities. If you already use Vanguard for your investments, Vanguard offers a form to accomplish this. If you use someone else, a letter of authorization should be sent to your broker with a request to send a specific number of shares (must exceed \$1,000 in value) to: Museum of Local History Guild, EIN 94-3230552, Account # 51670697 - Vanguard Group, PO Box 1103, Valley Forge, PA 19482-1103.

Save your taxes and money by donating appreciated stock to the Washington Township Museum of Local History!

You can now give appreciated stock to the WTMLH which you have held for more than one year and you may take a charitable tax deduction for the market value of the stock. Neither you nor the WTMLH have to pay capital gains taxes when the tax is sold!

- The combination can result in a bigger deduction (and more tax savings) for you and a bigger gift for the museum.

- This is a tax planning tool derived from the IRS general rule that the deduction for a donation of “property” is equal to the fair market value of the donated “property”. What the stocks have gained in value, the donor does not have to recognize the gain.

- This allows you to double up on your donation to the WTMLH by a charitable deduction and avoid tax on the appreciation in value of the stock.

- Your tax advisor is your best source for information on how you, personally, may benefit from this gift of appreciated stock to the museum.

If you are interested in receiving an easy to use form to be taken to donate your appreciated stock, contact the museum at info@museumoflocalhistory.org. Questions? Call Harry Avila at 510-409-0124!

Interested in donating to or establishing a fund in memory of a loved one? Contact the museum today!

Currently established memorial funds:

*Randy Power Fund
Lionel Goularte Fund
Eilif Andersen Fund
Regena Dennie Fund*

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**T-shirts for sale
- \$10 each. Call
the museum if
interested!**

Women's History Month (March): Elizabeth Lowrie, Pioneer of Washington Township

by Kelsey Camello & Patricia Schaffarczyk



Born in Newark in 1880, Elizabeth Lowrie was the youngest and the last surviving member of her immediate pioneering family from Washington Township (now Fremont, Newark and Union City). Her father, George Lowrie was born in Scotland in 1832, immigrated to the United States in 1847 and settled in Washington Township in 1853. He worked as a farm hand and cook (with a specialty in bread making) between Newark and Alvarado and settled in Irvington. George was known for his ability to spin long, comical yarns -- a trait that he passed on to his youngest daughter. In 1871, he married Harriet Thompson. Together they had five children.

Hay baling was intense, with most of the work done by manpower. The men jumped and trampled on the hay to pack it into solid bales. Typically, farm hands consumed five meals a day. On top of his regular duties, together George and Harriet prepared and served food to the workers. This was the family that Elizabeth was born into.

She spent her adolescence going to school, working and playing on the family farm, and exploring with her siblings. From the ages of 25-35 (1905 – 1915), Elizabeth lived in the Mission hills with her sister, Phoebe, who suffered from tuberculosis. The two women first lived in a tent near Calaveras and Alameda Creeks and then near the Overacker house on Mill Creek Road. The second year, their brother David built them a small cabin to live in.

During their time in the Mission hills, the women worked to build and organize their home. They also explored the hills and looked for ways to earn their way. Wild pigs invaded their food supply, so they gathered wild plum branches from the Linda Vista farm over the hill (Ohlone College today) and made baskets, which they used and sold for an income. Next, Elizabeth and Phoebe collected butterflies to earn money. They had a mentor who came from San Francisco to teach them the trade. The entrepreneurs subscribed to the journal *The Butterfly Farmer*, and their brother helped them construct cages and stretching boards to raise and preserve the best specimens. They connected with the most prestigious collector in the nation, Dr. William Barnes and worked “on assignment”, collecting and raising various butterfly and moth species and shipping them to him via train from Irvington Station. At the time, Barnes paid them up to \$5 per butterfly or moth, a relatively large sum for the period. He even named a moth, *Tolyte Lowriei* in their honor. The entire collection of Dr. Barnes was donated to the Smithsonian Institute after his death. It is still part of their archives today.



Imagine for a moment how the area of Elizabeth's youth has changed. For the first seven years of her life, the family lived on property near Patterson house, which is still there today. This is where her father built a small two-story house and near where Elizabeth and her siblings collected Native American artifacts. The house was later moved to just across the railroad tracks from the entrance of the Ardenwood Historic Farm (in a housing development near the corner of Roxie and Tupelo Terrace). The Lowrie's next move was to the Marshall house - close to today's Fremont Bart station and Walnut Avenue. There they lived next to a lake, the remnants of which include part of today's Tule Pond. Elizabeth recalled the pond freezing in the winter and ducks sliding across the ice when trying to land. From this home, the Lowrie children walked to school where Centerville Junior High School is today. Next, the family moved to the Mowry farm, close to today's Irvington High School. Her father managed the farm there and Elizabeth rode her horse to Washington Public School (Irvington) at the corner of Lincoln and Union Streets. After George retired, the Lowrie's bought a home on Main Street (Fremont Blvd. today), between Carol Street and Blacow Road.

Elizabeth Lowrie was a jack-of-all-trades. When Phoebe and Elizabeth returned to live in Irvington, Elizabeth needed to earn a living while she cared for her ailing mother and sister. She took a course in millinery (in Oakland) and opened a shop in Irvington catering to Portuguese clients who needed new hats for the annual Portuguese festivals. She ran the shop for ten years. Elizabeth

was also an accomplished organist and donated her time to several local churches. Later, Elizabeth wrote verses, which she sold to national greeting card companies, as well as two short stories for children. She also worked as the Irvington librarian (first for the County Free Library, and later for Alameda County Library) from 1938 – 1962, retiring at age 82. Many people who grew up in Irvington during this time remember her as their first librarian who demanded a quiet and clean library.

Her instinct to collect was again awakened during her time as a librarian. In 1948, she compiled a collection of over 1600 buttons, making her collection books by hand and exhibiting them in various displays and shows throughout the area.

Her work at the library was demanding. In 1959, she recalled some of her time there, writing, “From July ’57 to July ’58, I circulated 13,285 books without assistance.” Elizabeth went on to note the inequality of pay, writing, “[I was] paid by the month – about 30 cents per hour. [The] boy who mopped [the] floor and washed windows received 75 cents per hour. [I] used to wonder if it wouldn’t be better to trade jobs.” Finally, she noted, “Still [receiving] the same pay per hour as received six years ago. May starve, can’t earn enough to pay taxes.” She was a witty woman in her own right.

In 1971, Elizabeth described herself as “tougher than a boiled owl”, and she proved it to be true many times throughout her long life. Neither she nor any of her siblings ever married. She passed away in 1979, just two days’ shy of her 99th birthday. She is fondly remembered as a true pioneer in Washington Township and someone worth celebrating during Women's History Month!

Elizabeth’s story is illustrated in a display at the museum and at the Fremont Main Library, Maurice Marks Center for Local and California History (2400 Stevenson Blvd, 2nd floor) through April 30th. Stop by during open hours to learn more and explore her button collection in person. Additionally, view a PowerPoint on her life story by visiting the museum website at <http://museumoflocalhistory.org/special-exhibits/>. Thanks to Patricia Schaffarczyk for putting together the PowerPoint and conducting a talk on the subject at the Washington Township Historical Society Meeting on January 22nd of this year.



Bunkmates Meet at the Museum

The museum is happy to be hosting the "Bunkmates" once per month in our building and sharing some visions and goals together moving forward.

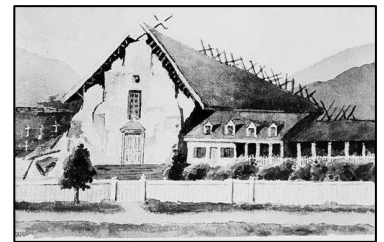
The group lays out their main goal in their mission statement, which reads: "The Chinese Bunkhouse will be used to celebrate the contributions by people of Chinese heritage to Fremont’s rich cultural history through its restoration."

Want to get involved? Let us know and we will get you connected.

Find more information at <https://sites.google.com/site/savethebunkhouse/>.

Hayward Fault: 150th Anniversary of Great Quake (1868)

Math Science Nucleus and the City of Fremont are working together on commemorative events for the 150th anniversary of the 1868 earthquake. This earthquake devastated the town of Hayward. It also destroyed the original Mission San Jose adobe church and many nearby buildings. The west wing, which housed the convent, remained standing. It contains the present Mission San Jose Museum.



We are hoping to get involved in this year’s events with our photo collection. We will keep you informed on that as we move forward. In the meantime, if you have an interest in geology or plate tectonics, especially concerning our local area, you may wish to be a participant in the upcoming fault awareness event on 10/21/18 at Central Park.

Math Science Nucleus is looking for planning committee members, docents and volunteers for the day of the event. Planning has begun and your ideas and support would be more than welcome! If being a docent is of interest, you are invited to join in on one of the upcoming Fremont Earthquake Exhibit tours on March 24th, April 28th or May 25th 9:30-11:30am as a guest.

If you are interested in being a docent or volunteering in other ways, please contact Kathy Kimberlin, event coordinator. You can reach her at 510-552-0221 or kimberlin@msnucleus.org.

The focus for the events is SCIENCE – HISTORY – PREPAREDNESS.

Find more information at http://www.msnucleus.org/haywardfault/150_hayward.html.

Newark History at the Museum

We are working on a new display focusing on the town of Newark and its long history. The display will be up in the museum from May 1 – July 31. As we get closer to May, look for more information on this!

News from the Rancho

Work at Rancho Higuera Historical Park continues to press on. The City of Fremont, Mission San Jose Rotary and the Museum are working on various projects concurrently. Thanks to Candle Lighters we will soon have a new 10x12 shed on the site. Mission Rotary will be adding a workbench and shelves inside. Additionally, the City has paid for and delivered base rock for the driveway area. Work on the fence around the adobe is almost complete, with only installation of barbed wire remaining. Repairs to the damaged exterior of the adobe are in the works as well.



Have you had a chance to get up to the property lately? Good news! You have two opportunities coming up in April to see the park for yourself.



The first event is **Plein Air Day at Rancho Higuera Historical Park** - Monday, April 2, artists will converge at Rancho Higuera Historical Park to paint visions from the park, located in the Mission San Jose area of Fremont. We are pleased to host this plein air painting event for the public. This “paint out” will feature plein air painters from throughout the Bay Area, including painters from the Los Gatos Art Association. Plein air is derived from the French term for painting outside, and Rancho Higuera Park is the perfect setting for doing so.

Join in and have fun as you paint in the open air of the beautiful East Bay hills above Fremont. The grounds will be open from 9am - 1pm the day of the event. No need to register; simply show up ready to paint. Admission is free, but \$5 per painter is a suggestion donation. The park is located at 47300 Rancho Higuera Rd. in Fremont. Please park at street level. For more information about the plein air “paint out” event, please contact the museum.

The second event is **Family Day at the Rancho** – Saturday, April 28, join us at the adobe for Traditional Mexican music and Folklorico dancing, Mexican food for purchase, games, activities, and piñata for children. tours of the adobe, a video of the history and restoration of the adobe, and displays including Ohlone, Mexican, Portuguese, & American families that lived here. Rattlesnake Roger will also be in attendance with his authentic spurs and chaps from the period. The grounds will be open from 11am - 3pm the day of the event. Suggested Donation: \$10.00 per family / \$5.00 per person. Museum members and children 5 and under: FREE. For more information about this event, please contact the museum.



New Members and Renewals

Thank you to all of our members who are paid up through December 31st, 2018!

If you do not see your name here, please pay your dues as soon as you can.

Membership is one of the best ways to support the museum. Members make it possible for curious people throughout Fremont, Newark and Union City to explore their shared history. They help provide hands-on educational programs for schoolchildren and lifelong learners, purchase necessary supplies, produce new displays, and preserve our archives. Members give the whole community a gift that connects people to history and culture. Thank you for considering investing in the historic hub of the Tri-City Area.

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Marilyn Wall
John Weed
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Scott & Becky Whitaker
Debra Witter
Ellen Woods
Jim Wright
Michi Yee
Roland Zoller & Madeline Williams-Zoller



Highlight on School Tours --- Thanks to Dianne Holmes and her merry band of docents, we have 22 tours at Rancho Higuera Historical Park and 19 tours at the museum scheduled through the end of May. The projected number of students affected this year is 1200! These school tours are a valuable part of the 3rd and 4th grade curriculum for the students in Fremont Unified School District. Great job Dianne! We thank you and your docents for all your hard work each school year!

If you have something you would like to run in our next newsletter, please note the deadline for submissions is 5/18/18.

The next newsletter will run in early June and will cover the months of June – September 2018.

Send submissions to membership@museumoflocalhistory.org.



April 2018

- MON 4/02: Plein Air at the Rancho – open to all – with Los Gatos Art Association as well. \$5/person donation to enter park. 9am – 1pm.
- TUES 4/03: WTMLH Board Meeting – 6pm – 190 Anza Street in Fremont.
- WED 4/18: HayWired @ Central Park – photos for Fremont Earthquake Exhibit – Kathy Kimberlin – 510-552-0221 – kimberlin@comcast.net
- SAT 4/21: Alvarado Walking Tour - 11am – Meet at Alvarado Elementary School, 31100 Fredi St. in Union City – Tim Swenson to lead
- SAT 4/21: Puente Cleanup Day – 10am – 2pm – Rancho Higuera Historical Park, 47300 Rancho Higuera Road in Fremont. {Collaboration with Ohlone College - Puente}
- SAT 4/28: Ducks 4 Bucks Race - Family games start at 11am, duck racing at 1pm – Lake Elizabeth in Fremont. {Collaboration with Kiwanis Club}
- SAT 4/28: Family Day at the Rancho – 11am – 2pm - Rancho Higuera Historical Park, 47300 Rancho Higuera Road in Fremont. {Collaboration with Ohlone College - Puente}
- DISPLAY Jan 11 – April 30 – Lowrie Button Collection – Fremont Main Library & 190 Anza Street

May 2018

- TUES 5/01: WTMLH Board Meeting – 6pm – 190 Anza Street in Fremont.
- SAT 5/12: Irvington Walking Tour - 11am – Meet at the Irvington Monument at Five Corners –Caroline Harris to lead
- SAT 5/19: Union Sanitary District 100 years Open House – 10am – 2pm - 5072 Benson Rd, Union City
- SUN 5/20: Annual Volunteer/Donor Luncheon – 9:00am – 4:00pm use – Doors at 12, potluck lunch 12:30 – Swiss Park
- MON 5/28: WTHS Meeting - 715pm – 190 Anza Street in Fremont. Speaker: Grace Rankin
- DISPLAY May 1 – July 31 – Walking Tours: Newark History

June 2018

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190 Anza Street, Fremont, CA 94539



Detach and return to the museum:

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Please make checks payable to
*Washington Township Museum of Local
History* and mail to 190 Anza Street,
Fremont, CA 94539

Yes, I want to renew or become a member!

- | | |
|---------------------|----------------------------------|
| Senior/Student | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10 |
| Senior Couple | <input type="checkbox"/> \$20 |
| Regular | <input type="checkbox"/> \$35 |
| Family | <input type="checkbox"/> \$40 |
| Trailblazer | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50 |
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| Pioneer Patron | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 |
| Lifetime | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000 |

Yes, I would also like to donate

to a special fund: _____

(name of fund)

Donation amount ☐ \$ _____

Total Contribution ☐ \$ _____