

Museum Newsletter

Lake Chelan Historical Society

Annual Meeting: April 20th at 7 p.m.

The ANNUAL MEETING of the Lake Chelan Historical Society will be held at the Chelan Museum on April 20th at 7 p.m. President Jane Lloyd will conduct the business portion of the meeting: reviewing and voting on new by-laws, electing board members and reviewing the past year's events.

The membership present at the annual meeting will be electing the members of the society's board of directors. Jane Lloyd says that she would like to have new nominations for the board from the floor, at the meeting.

Those members who are interested in reviewing the up-dated by-laws can check them on the web-site, at chelanmuseum.com/newsletter_304.html). The previous by-laws appear to have never been modernized, and most of the changes simplify

the language of the by-laws.

The speakers this year will be Tom and Eric Campbell, who will talk about their family's part in the history of Chelan.

Remember that the *2015 History Notes* will be distributed at the meeting. Members receive a copy as a membership benefit. Some of the topics are Manson's Wapato Inn, Chelan's Perry House and the history of flour mills in the Chelan area. Members who do not attend the annual meeting can pick up their copy of History Notes at the museum, after April 20th.

Check it out!

- Annual Meeting
- New Manager
- By-Laws Amended
- Board of Directors election
- Who Is This?

McGaughey takes over as manager

The Chelan Museum has a new manager. The Lake Chelan Historical Society recently hired Ron McGaughey, and he has been occupied in learning where and how historical items are stored and working through the backlog of items to be catalogued. He is developing a current floor plan and a layout of existing displays, with an eye toward re-arranging, updating, and cleaning them.

Ron is busy organizing—volunteers, electronic files, and office supplies.

He is enjoying the job because it utilizes his skills in design, layout and organization.

Ron and his wife, Jill Risley, live in Manson. He grew up in Wenatchee (WHS class of '78), attended the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine arts and graduated from the Burnley School in Seattle. Ron is a landscape painter.

The previous manager, Samantha Lagge, moved to Pullman in December in order to continue her education at WSU.



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Roster of old houses

The Historical Society would like to build a roster of all the older homes in the Lake Chelan Valley. If there are any in your neighborhood, how about calling the museum to give us the owners' name and the address so that this project can get started.

We're on the Web!
ChelanMuseum.com

The Chelan Museum is operated by the Lake Chelan Historical Society as a historical and cultural center for the Lake Chelan Valley.

The museum is housed in a 1907 building, originally the Miners & Merchants Bank. The Historical Society was started in 1970 by James Lindston, recently retired from SeaFirst Bank, which had acquired the Miners & Merchants Bank.



Who is this? What is this?

Our photo archivist, Roberta Simonds, has a collection of photographs of people with no identifying names or information. Plus, the museum has objects which had uses unknown to us. If you can help with the names of any of the women pictured below, please call or email the museum with that information.

