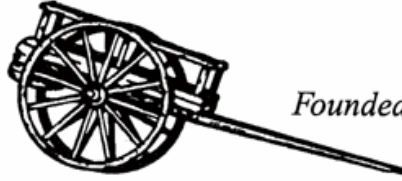


The Manitoba Antique Association

May, 2009



Founded in 1967

Next Meeting:
Tuesday, May 5, 2009
Elim Chapel
546 Portage Avenue
7:30 p.m.

P.O. Box 2881
Winnipeg, MB R3C 4B4
www.manitobaantiqueassociation.com

Mother's Day

May 10, 2009

Motherhood is a blessing that can only be experienced by a woman. A mother is someone whose love never ends - it only increases and grows with time. She loves her children even before they are born and continues to do so all her life. Children often take their mother for granted, once they grow up, and almost start neglecting her. Even then, the love of a mother never retreats. This Mother's Day, make your mother feel special and let her know that you realize her contribution in your life and are thankful for all that she has done for you. Are you wondering how to tell her this? Perhaps you can make use of this poem:

Annual June Dinner

Tuesday, June 2, 2009

Alto's

McPhillips CanadInns

2100 McPhillips Street

6:00 p.m.

\$10.00 per person

(includes unlimited buffet and
non-alcoholic beverage)

Tickets (limit of 50) will be available at the
May meeting from Audrey.

A Thousand Thanks

Author: Joanna Fuchs

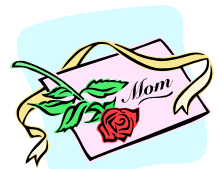
Mother's Day brings to mind
The thousands of things you did for me
that helped make me happier,
stronger and wiser,
because I had you as a role model.

I'm grateful for all the times
you healed my hurts
and calmed my fears,
so that I could face the world
feeling safe and secure.

I'm thankful for all you showed me
about how to love and give--
lessons that now bring
so many blessings to me
each and every day.

Your sacrifices and unselfishness
did not go unnoticed, Mom.
I admire you, I respect you,
I love you.
And I'm so glad you're my mother!

Happy Mother's Day!



M.A.A. Fall Sale

Sunday, November 15, 2009 CanadInns, Polo Park

OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS

Historical Museum of St. James-Assiniboia Antique & Collectibles Show & Sale

Saturday, May 2, 2009 (10:00am - 5:00pm) at the Canadian Mennonite University (Shaftesbury Blvd & Grant Avenue) Winnipeg, Manitoba. This is a fundraising event for The Historical Museum of St. James-Assiniboia.

Manitoba Antique Car Club Swap Meet

Sunday, May 10, 2009 (8:00am - 3:00pm) at the Red River Exhibition Grounds on 3977 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba. For more information, contact Gord (204) 222-2298.

34th Annual Antiques & Collectibles Flea Market Show & Sale

Portage la Prairie Heritage Inc. Sunday, June 7th, 2009, 10 am to 3 pm, Exhibition Building, Island Park Portage la Prairie, MB. Admission \$2.00. For information call: Vic Edwards at 1-204-428-3101.

Food & Refreshments Available

Neepawa 32nd Annual Antiques & Collectibles Sale

Sunday, July 19, 2009 (10:00am - 4:00pm) at the Yellowhead Centre on [175 Mountain Avenue, Neepawa, Manitoba](#). For more information, contact Blair (204) 476-2359.

Members . . .

Are you interested in receiving notices, by e-mail, of upcoming events, sales, items of interest? If so, you may choose to sign up at the next meeting, or e-mail Laurie at lparadis@shaw.ca. Please indicate "Add me to the events list" on the subject line.

Member Gift Certificates

Twice a year (June & December) a draw is held for the members in attendance. The prizes consist of 2 passes to the next MAA Sale and a \$20.00 gift certificate to be spent at the sale. We draw 5 of these prizes each time.

It is very important that members understand that they must use this certificate on the date specified. Vendors also need to be cognizant when accepting the certificate that it is for the correct sale date. The monies for these prizes are allocated out of a specific year's budget and when they are not used, the money is then deposited back into our account.

At the March sale there were 2 certificates cashed in that were from previous years (2006 and 2008). As these were not budgeted for this year the \$40.00 had to come out of the sale proceeds from the door.

For future sales I am asking vendors to be very mindful of the date on the certificate before accepting it. Volunteers at the door will not be reimbursing vendors for these certificates, they will be instructed to send them to myself. If they are for a date other than that day, the certificate will not be reimbursed.

Thank you.

Audrey German

Executive Positions

Positions currently needing to be filled are Program & Membership.

Positions that will be vacant as of December 31, 2009:

- Vice President
- Treasurer
- Library
- Newsletter

While some of the current members may wish to continue, we always welcome new members. If you are interested in any of these positions, please let one of the Executive know. Of note, it is imperative that someone assume the position of Vice President. This is a position that the current incumbent cannot remain in—they must move on to President. If we do not fill this position it is very possible that the association may not be able to continue—this is being investigated.

Program Information

May - Red Wing Crocks
Kelly Wilson

June - Annual Dinner

September - TBA

October - presentation by Gaye Burns
Subject not yet determined

November - Annual Road Show

December - Holiday Pot Luck & Entertainment

If anyone has any suggestions or Program ideas, or would like to do a presentation, please let any of the Executive know.

MAA EXECUTIVE

President	Shawn Holatko	896-3038
Vice-President	Jean Gendron	477-6989
Past President	Audrey German	224-5282
Secretary	Ann Dixon	757-9214
Treasurer	Jerry Holatko	896-3038
Librarian	Laurie Paradis	663-4311
Publicity	Rhonda Kenndy Rogers Anne Cathcart	489-3084 488-7812
Membership	Vacant	
Newsletter	Audrey German	224-5282
Historian	Will Joudry	896-1924
Sales & Exhibits	Kelly Wilson (cccollector@gmail.com)	981-9616
Program	Vacant	

EXECUTIVE MEETINGS DATES

March, 2009
May 19, 2009

MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

Monthly Newsletter—Published once per month, except July & August, reviews news, activities and coming events of the association.

Library—A wide range of reference books and publications on preservation and identification of antiques and collectibles.

Monthly Meetings—Enjoy a presentation by members or guest speakers on some aspect of antiques, collectibles, or history. Presenters share their knowledge about their particular interest such as collecting, historical research, restoration, identification, etc. Members are encouraged to bring in articles from their own collection that relates to the topic being presented for the "Show & Tell" portion of the presentation. Refreshments are served.

Shows—As a member you are able to rent tables at our 2 annual shows—one in March and one in November.

Advertising—members can place advertisements in the monthly newsletter. Advertising rates are as follows:

Business Card ad: 10 issues \$50.00 (available to members only)
Newsletter inserts: One sheet, one occurrence (Insert must be received 3 weeks prior to publication.):
Members \$15.00 Non-Members \$25.00

Membership Dues (Annually September to August)

Individual \$25.00 Family \$35.00 (a family membership consists of 2 members with the same address)