



Lacey Historical Society  
**NEWSLETTER**

P.O.Box 3324, Lacey WA 98503-0324

October 1994

**GONE BUT NOT FORGOTTEN**

The Old Lacey School building has been removed from its 102 year site. The Historical Society Observers during the demolition were Tom Huntamer and Shirley Dziedzic.

A Demolition Bid of \$158,000 was awarded to Building Busters. Asbestor Abatement was done by Nowicki Associates and Tachon-Sublett. The General Contractor was F. R. Bourgault Construction Company.

**Historical Items Saved**

Salvage items identified as historical by the Lacey Historical Society were saved. These items include more than 2,000 hollow bricks, 500 red bricks, 3 half moon windows (located above the main entrance), a 20' x 20' center section of the gym floor (containing the School emblem), 3 small globe light fixtures, 2 sinks, and the boiler doors.

The Lacey Museum obtained the red stage curtain, a football helmet, kitchen scales, door knobs, boys playroom sign, a clock and classroom globe, and the cast iron 1913 School Bell donated by Lyman Fleetwood.

The City of Lacey was most helpful in providing transportation to take the bricks off the school property and finding a safe location for their storage. We are fortunate to have a City Manager, Greg Cuoio, who understands our problems.



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**General Membership Mtg.**

The General Membership Meeting of the Lacey Historical Society will be held Sunday October 30th, 1994 at 2:00 p.m. at the Lacey Museum. All are urged to attend

Encluded on the agenda of this important meeting are an election of Society Officers and Board Members, and approval of proposed changes to the Society Bylaws. A copy of the existing Bylaws and the proposed changes will be included with this Newsletter for all paid members.

The nominating committee has submitted the following list of Officers and Board Members. Other nominatios may be made from the floor.

**OLD LACEY SCHOOL MEMORIAL**

The Lacey Historical Society is happy to announce the formation of "The Old Lacey School Memorial Committee".

On August 24, 1994, at the Old Lacey School Reunion, those attending signed a petition indicating their feelings concerning an Old Lacey School Memorial. The petition read:

" I strongly support the construction of a Memorial to Old Lacey School built on the site at Carpenter Road and Pacific Avenue, ... location of 102 years of Lacey Education."

The LHS has taken action and a committee has been appointed. The Society wants to proceed with the approved North Thurston School Board recommendations of March 7, 1994:

- (1) Transfer of salvageable historical Items
- (2) Site Identification
- (3) Special Sale Conditions (Memorial Construction)

The committee is comprised of Lacey School Alumni, past School Board Directors, and a technical section. The plans for an organizational meeting are in progress and will take place in October.

Help

**The Lacey Historical Society is in need of a dry secure location for the "wood" items, i.e. three windows and gym floor pieces of maple. Their current temporary storage has limited weather protection. Can you help?**

**Please call**

**491-0905**



## COMING EVENTS

Among the special future events scheduled by the Lacey Historical Society are:

- Jan 28, 1995, Thurston Co. Birthday Party  
Sponsored by Thurston Co. Historical Society.
- First weekend in May, Lacey Funfair,  
Capitol Pavilion
- End of Spring, 1995, Annual Plant Dedication  
Ceremony
- Late June, 1995, Annual Founder's  
Celebration, sponsor: Lacey Museum
- Middle August, 1995, Old Lacey School Bi-  
annual Reunion
- Late October 1995, annual Membership  
Meeting

### LHS MEMBERSHIP

The Lacey Historical Society paid membership count is well over eighty for the year 1994. The Society would like to see double that for 1995. Dues for next year will be accepted starting now.

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### 1995 DUES

REGULAR MEMBERSHIP	\$10.00
FAMILY MEMBERSHIP	15.00
SENIOR AND STUDENT	5.00

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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INFORMATION ON PAYMENT OF DUES  
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