The Tualatin Historical Society

2019 in review
2019 at a glance: Projects and Traditions

- New exhibits, displays and archives
- Ongoing oral history interviews
- Mask and Mirror Community Theater January and July.
- Annual Scholarship (now $3000!)
- Added another weekly art class
- Pioneer Days
- 4th of July Picnic
- ¡Viva Tualatin!
- Revamped Tualatin Heritage Evening
- Galbreath Wagon on display at Lee Farms
2019 at a glance: Programs

- “The Great Bonneville Megaflood”.
- “Will our Lands provide for us”
- “How to identify Raptors”
- Lynn Bertlson: 4 decades as a vet in Tualatin
- “A Geological Tour of the Columbia Gorge”
- Linda Moholt and history of business in Tualatin.
- Beyond Fake News
- Ice age Mammals
- Troubled life of Oregon pioneer Peter Burnett
- Willamette Falls and Landings Heritage Area
- A geology lesson: the ground under your house
- Joe Meek and his colorful role in Oregon history
- Rick Thompson Ice Age glacial erratics in our region.
  And the soils left by glaciers impact on farming
The Best is yet to come. A peek ahead

• Christmas Programs
  – Wednesday 12/4 1pm
    • Tualatin High School and Bridgetown Octet.
  – Saturday 12/7 7pm
    • Rose City Timberliners Barbershop Chorus.

We want to display your family’s nativity scenes along with their story

• Jan 8: Geology of Iceland—it’s connections to similar geology of Tualatin”
• Feb 5: Loyce Martinazzi “Tualatin 101” and game show
• March 4: Gulzar Ahmed “From Pakistan to Tualatin: An immigrant success story”
Membership at a glance
(18% increase over 2018!)

- TOTAL MEMBERS: 265
- NEW MEMBERS: 40
- Deceased 8
  Robert Summers, Shirley Bronte, Lee Ohanesian, Del Judy, Ken Dickson, Eleanor Fitzgerald, Margaret Fuhrwerk, John Bowles
- 15 multi year members in our Founders Club and Heritage circle.
- 30 Senior members (over 90)

Are you turning 90 next year?

You are entitled to a FREE Senior Membership!
Income for FY 2019
(July 1, 2018-June 30, 2019): $48,890

- Rentals: $12,337
- General Donations and memorials: $8,763
- Fund raising including Tualatin Heritage Evening and brick sales: $14,542
- City of Tualatin support: $8,100
- Scholarship donations: $2970
- Product sales: $522
Expenses for FY 2018: $48,890

- Personnel including occasional monitor expenses: $25,327
- Operations: $6,535
- Preservation and archives: $1,290
- Bookkeeping contract: $1,380
- Insurance: $2,061
- Fundraising: $7,002
- Scholarship: $3,000
- Contributions: $350
Savings

- Money market account: $56,884
- Certificate of Deposit: $28,583
- Funds are held in part for future exhibits and capital outlays as the Board of Directors determines
The Ice Age Floods Institute

- THS will work with this independent nonprofit organization (501.c.3) much larger than our local mission, involving:
  - Visiting scientists
  - Research projects and symposia
  - Operate in conjunction with colleges and universities.
- The Tualatin Chamber of Commerce is now receiving donations for this new nonprofit. THS members Robert Kellogg, Linda Moholt, Rick Thompson and Yvonne Addington play key roles in this initiative.
Upcoming needs beyond the normal budget

- Web site update
- Revision and printing of *Tualatin from the Beginning*
- Replace chairs after 14 years of wear and tear
- Update computer(s) and software
Investing in Future of THS

- Become a Founder or Heritage Circle Member
- Include THS in your will
- Contribute to our Scholarship Fund
- Tax credit from Oregon Cultural Trust
- Volunteer to serve on a committee or at one of our many events like Pioneer days
2019 President’s Award:
Promote THS within the community and bring awareness of our group, it’s programs and preservation efforts.

President’s Award
awarded to
Norm Parker

Founded in 1986, the Tualatin Historical Society’s mission is to preserve, promote and interpret the rich and colorful history of Tualatin. The President’s award is dedicated to those individuals or organizations who help promote the Society within our community and bring better awareness of our group, its programs and preservation efforts.

Signed
Ross Baker / President, Tualatin Historical Society

Date
November 6, 2019
2019 Lafky-Martinazzi Award.
Presented by our Chairperson Emeritus

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Sandra Lafky Carlson
For her tireless efforts to expand and share with Tualatin the archives of our history

Loyce Martinazzi, co-founder of THS

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Nomination and Election of 2020 Board Members

- Ross Baker, President
- Kurt Krause, Vice President
- Sandra Carlson, Historian
- Barbara Stinger, Treasurer
- Cathy Stockwell, Secretary
- Yvonne Addington
- Larry McClure
- Art Sasaki
- Alan Song
- Kristina Wheelock