

THE PINE FORGE HISTORICAL SOCIETY – SEPTEMBER 2013

The Pine Forge Historical Society is making slow gains in attendance but we are moving ahead. There were tours offered this summer on the 4th of July and also Labor Day weekend. Your membership is needed to help move this project ahead as we do have very significant buildings of the colonial period which need to be restored.

We are looking for historical information from the families in the Oley Valley that have information from the historical past. Pictures can be scanned and other information would be most exciting to share. If you would like to be part of our historical information please call 610-367-7881.

The Historical Society of Pine Forge is endeavoring to become a "Historical Voice" of all the people. Daniel Graham has done a great service to all of us by putting all of his research on Pine Forge (Forge) and Colebrook Dale (Furnace) in this book. If you are interested in receiving a copy you may call the above number or write the Historical Society of Pine Forge, P.O. Box 303, Pine Forge, Pa. 19548.

Starting in November, we will be starting a Historical Children's Hour of crafts, history of Pool and Pine Forge Iron Works, the Underground, the Bailey Period and the Pine Forge Era. The ages will be from 5- to 12 and if there is interest will begin an older group. This hour (approximately 1 1/2 hr.) each 3rd Sunday a month. If you would like to help teach history give us a call. We are also looking for guests that have a story to tell!

Have a great day and if I left out any words - let me know. I always seem to do my writing in a rush.

Regards-

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