



Wheeling Historical
Society and Museum
Newsletter

Thanksgiving - Christmas

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The Wheeling Historical Society and Museum celebrates the link between the past and the present. The museum is a cooperative effort of the Village of Wheeling, Wheeling Park District, Indian Trails Public Library.



Val Stone loads a bag of groceries into the trunk of the car so they can be delivered to one of six needy families whose Thanksgiving will be made brighter by the Wheeling Lions Club food drive. The WHS Leo Club helped collect the food. Pioneer Press 11-26-92



Third graders at Hawthorn Intermediate School in Vernon Hills and Woodview School in Grayslake recently shared their recipes for their Thanksgiving repasts with a hungry reporter.

For readers who could use a fresh look at traditional holiday dishes, the youngsters' ideas may provide inspiration.

PUMPKIN PIE

Caitlin Poore's family clearly has a big appetite. Her recipe calls for 6 1/2 cups of pumpkin squash, one cup of water, 3 1/2 cups of sugar, 6 1/4 cups of vinegar, four pounds of dough and 3 1/2 cups of flour. "First," she explains, "put the cup of water in an 1/8-inch bowl." Then the Hawthorn student suggests adding the pumpkin squash, flour, vinegar and the dough, mixing thoroughly. "If you're using your hand, stir 176 times," she specifies. "If you're using a mixer, use it for two minutes." Then, she concludes, bake it in the oven for two hours. Woodview student Angela Stoczanskyz advises a supply of sugar, filling, vanilla and brown sugar. "Then bake the crust," she instructs and, "while the pie crust is baking, you put the sugar in, then the vanilla, then the brown sugar, then the cinnamon." She seems to have forgotten the most vital ingredient, but nobody's perfect.



A Message From The President — Terry Steilen



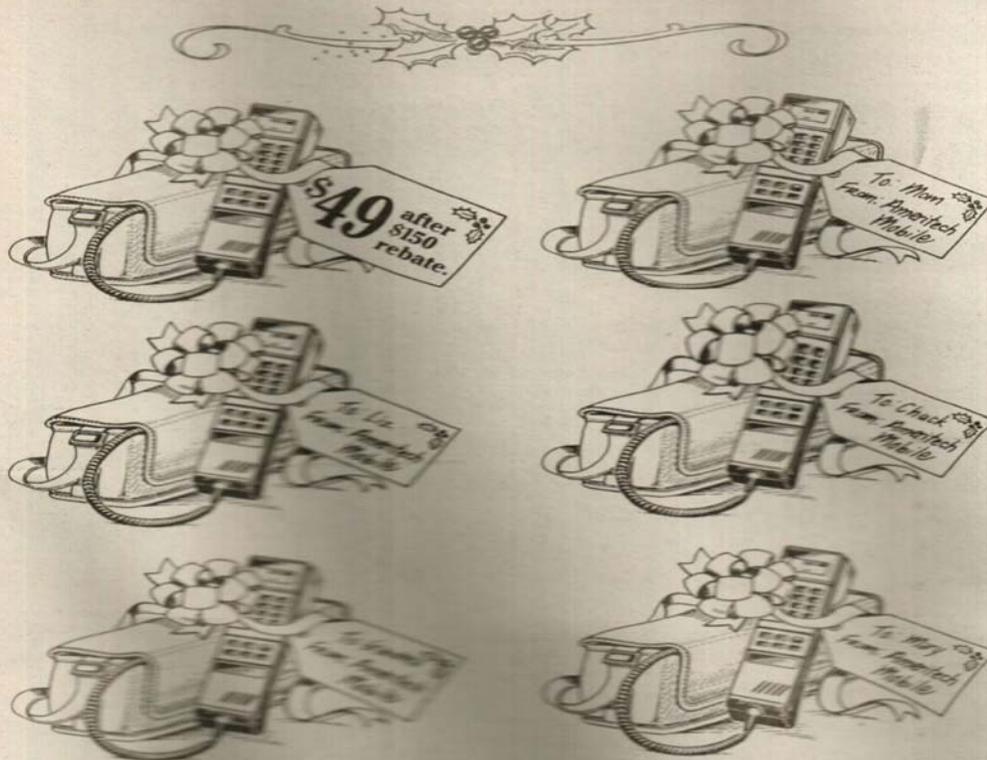
Merry Christmas

Time is getting close for Lollipop Lane.. Remember Lollipop Lane is open: Dec 3rd. through the 11th.

2 to 5 PM on the weekends
6 to 8 PM on the weeknights

A very special THANK YOU to all the Santa and Elf helpers, cookie bakers, ornament makers, and picture takers that make this event successful.

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*Santa Arrives at
Wheeling's Lollipop Lane
on Saturday, Dec. 3 !*



*Come to The Wheeling Historical Society's
annual free event,
Lollipop Lane
Saturday, Dec. 3 – Sunday Dec. 11.
Santa and Mrs. Claus will be visiting all week.
Come and have a chat with them and have
your picture taken. The Society will continue
its tradition of selling a commemorative
ornament and holiday baked cookies.
Free raffles for bikes, games and family gift
basket!*

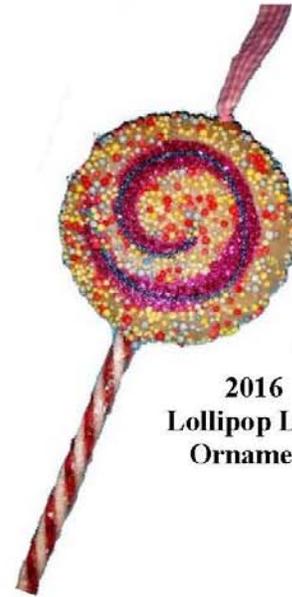
Free photo with Santa!

Mark your calendar!

Sat. Dec. 3 – Sun. Dec. 11

Monday-Friday 6-8pm

Saturdays and Sundays 2-5pm



2016
Lollipop Lane
Ornament

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