

Museum Hours

Closed for the Season

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We are continuing to provide research assistance each Thursday from 9:30 to 4. You may also reach us via email, snail mail, our website and phone calls.

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Harold 'Buck' Sargent Award Recipients

Lynn Overholser and Madison Murray were presented the Harold "Buck" Sargent Volunteer Award on Nov. 30 at the annual meeting of the Granville Historical Society.

The award is given "for demonstrating a loyalty and tenacity in continued and unheralded hard work for the Society over a number of years—as demonstrated by Buck himself," said Cynthia Cort, Emeritus member of the Society's Board of Managers.

Sargent was a member of the Board of Managers for a number of years, serving among other ways as buildings and grounds chair.



Recipients of the Harold "Buck" Sargent Volunteer Award are pictured with those who nominated them for the honor. From left are Cynthia Cort, Madison Murray, Chuck Peterson and Lynn Overholser.

Lynn took over this year as the Soci-

ety's Volunteer Coordinator and was responsible for scheduling hosts for the museum this past spring, summer and fall. She is also credited with outstanding decorations in the museum for the Christmas Candlelight Walking Tour and Beggar's Night during Halloween for the past several years. She has also helped to make museum exhibits more eye-catching and is designing three "story boards" describing aspects of Granville history that will be situated outside the museum next spring. The story boards project is funded with a grant from the Granville Community Foundation. She has also participated in programs at the Society's Old Academy Building during Open Door days encouraged by the Ohio History Connection.

Madison, a Denison University graduate, volunteered time while a student in the Society's Collections area. During this time she has learned about receiving, documenting, cataloging, labeling and storing items for the collection as well as using the PastPerfect database used in the Collections department to keep track of artifacts.

As a result, Madison has cataloged hundreds of Native American points and is currently cataloging the many pieces of *The Granville Times* press, which the Society inherited from The Works museum in Newark.

While volunteering, she completed the American Society for State and Local History *Introduction to Archives* online class and she will soon be on the market for a job using the skills she has learned from and donated to the Society.

Another Successful Candlelight Walking Tour ...

"For the Love of Animals" holiday decorations remain up over the next few weeks for anyone wishing to tour the museum during Thursday business hours from 9:30 to 4. You may enter the front door or the side entrance into the Robinson Research Center.

