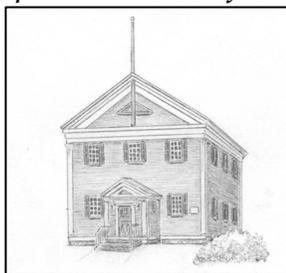


The Wakefield Historical Society

invites you to join.

Help us to preserve Wakefield's history!



Founded in 1890, the Historical Society has worked tirelessly to collect and preserve objects and information relating to the town's history.

We maintain the Wakefield History Museum at the West Ward School, the 1847-era "Little Red Schoolhouse" at 39 Prospect Street.

The schoolhouse, staffed by volunteers, is the home of our collection of countless artifacts, photographs and paintings documenting the town's past.

But the Society's work does not stop there.

Our changing exhibits present the opportunity to showcase and display our collections, in exhibits that tell the story of the town's past. Under normal circumstances, we open the Museum to allow access to school groups and researchers. We work on publications and flyers as well as special tours, such as the Annual Twilight Tour of the Old Burying Ground.

Our website wakefieldhistory.org gives us the opportunity to share special features, like our online walking tours of Lake Quannapowitt, Downtown and Prospect Street, allowing readers to take the tour using smartphones or tablets.

We are working to archivally conserve our collections and have an ongoing program of restoring paintings and digitizing and cataloguing photos and other resources. Virtual tours and exhibits for remote visits are currently being planned and developed.

Join us! In this, our 131st anniversary year, we invite you to become a member and help preserve the town's history. The Wakefield Historical Society is a volunteer 501(c)3 nonprofit organization.

Membership contributions are vital to our Museum and our mission.

Although Museum visit activities are curtailed during the current historic health emergency, our expenses have remained the same. We'd appreciate your support!

*****If you would like to get involved in our work as a volunteer, you'd be most welcome!**

Just write a little note on the membership reply form (below) or email us at

wakefieldhistory@gmail.com subject line "Volunteer for the WHS" And thank you for your support!

Membership reply form (mail to P.O. 1902, Wakefield, MA 01880

Or join online at <http://www.wakefieldhistory.org>

Name _____ Email (optional) _____

Address _____

Membership Category: _____ Individual (\$20 per year) _____ Family (\$25 per year)

_____ Life Membership (\$125) _____ Corporate Membership (\$150 per year)

_____ *Additional Donation to the Schoolhouse Maintenance & Utilities Fund: (\$_____)*

