

Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Library & Museums 2018 Calendar of Events

MAY 2018

Now – Friday, May 25, 2018 - Special exhibit “Bhutanese-Nepali Neighbors: Photographs by Tariq Tarey.” The history of the more than 20,000 Bhutanese-Nepali people in Columbus is rapidly becoming the history of Ohio. This exhibit consists of 30 photographs of members of the Bhutanese-Nepali community, taken by Tariq Tarey. Each photograph is accompanied by a narrative written by Doug Rutledge that explains each individual’s history. The photographs emphasize the historic sequence of the Bhutanese-Nepali refugee experience; from living and working in Bhutan, to being forced to leave Bhutan, the experience of living in refugee camps in Nepal for 20 years or more, to resettlement in Columbus, finding jobs, buying homes and finally becoming American citizens. Bhutanese-Nepali Neighbors: Photographs by Tariq Tarey is on loan from of the Ohio History Connection. The exhibit is open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday with the exception of holiday hours and closings. Admission is included with the price of a museum ticket. Members are admitted for free. The exhibit is open through May 25, 2018. **Sponsored by William Rutherford and Nancy Gaines Platt.**

Now – May 25, 2018 – Special exhibit “Jacob Riis: How the Other Half Lives.” The turn of the 20th century is best remembered as a two-sided coin. On one side, the close of the 1800s birthed modern America as we know it today. Industrialists like Andrew Carnegie and John Rockefeller built the first large corporations. Inventors like Thomas Edison and Alexander Graham Bell remade the American lifestyle through their innovation. On the other side, extreme poverty made life difficult for immigrants and the lower classes. Rather than call this period the nation’s “Golden Age,” Mark Twain sarcastically dubbed it “The Gilded Age,” noting the era’s unnecessary opulence for too few and excessive want for too many. Jacob Riis was a Danish-born American photographer who decided to use his talent with a camera to peer behind the gilded veneer of high society to expose

the harsh realities of living in New York City at the turn of the century. A social reformer and early muckraker in the tradition of Upton Sinclair and Ida Tarbell, Riis traveled into tenements, factories and sweatshops to document the day-to-day lives of the city’s many poor immigrants and laborers. This is a traveling exhibit created by the National Endowment for the Humanities’ touring program, NEH on the Road. It contains several of Riis’ life-size photographs and personal artifacts, as well as multimedia features and interactive stations. In the spirit of Jacob Riis’ passion to give a voice to the voiceless, the exhibit will include photographs and testimonials of those struggling locally in Sandusky County and Northwest Ohio in order to foster a conversation about hardship in the 21st century. Admission is included with the price of a regular museum ticket. Members are admitted for free. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday with the exception of holiday hours and closings. This exhibit will be on display through May 25, 2018. Additionally, the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums is leading a donation drive to help those in poverty in Sandusky County. Throughout 2018, HPLM will collect items for the homeless shelter in Fremont, called the Liberty Center, and the Sandusky County Department of Job and Family Services. Those who donate to this drive receive \$1 off of admission. Items needed and being collected are:

- Personal care items: Full-size shampoo, conditioner, body wash, hand and body lotion (No sample or travel sizes, please.)
 - Paper products: Paper towels, paper napkins, paper plates, toilet paper
 - Baby items: Disposable diapers and baby wipes
- Sponsored by Decker Roofing & Gutter Solutions.**

Wednesday, May 16, 2018 – Croquet Club match. 6 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes’ day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club’s equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums’ courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information

packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members also are invited to play at any of the matches for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Thursday, May 17, 2018 - Building Doctor Seminar.

7 p.m. Free. Ohio History Connection's Building Doctor program is coming to the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. These clinics take place at locations around the state. Building doctors offer this free seminar on topics like peeling paint and failing plaster, wet basements, deteriorating masonry, windows, wood issues and bringing buildings built before 1955 up to date without sacrificing historic integrity. The seminar is open to all and will take place in the museum auditorium. Registration is required. To register for the seminar, visit <https://www.ohiohistory.org/preserve/state-historic-preservation-office/buildingdoctor/building-doctor-clinics>.

On May 18, the building doctors will visit ailing buildings within 5 miles of the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums to examine problems and suggest cures. Those interested in having the building doctors look at their home or building must register in advance and be selected. They also are required to attend the free seminar to have a building doctor site visit. To register for a building doctor site consultation, visit <https://www.ohiohistory.org/preserve/state-historic-preservation-office/buildingdoctor/building-doctor-clinics>. You will be notified if your site is selected for a consultation. The building doctors have visited a variety of buildings built before 1955, such as schools, churches, factories, stores, offices, farm buildings and homes. If selected for a site visit, you will be contacted in advance to schedule an appointment. **Sponsored by the Birchard Historic Neighborhood Association and the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums.**

Sunday, May 20, 2018 – Croquet Club match.

2 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. **Non-members and guests play for free today.** For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Sunday, May 20, 2018 – Music in the Parlor. 4 to 5 p.m. Enjoy a musical performance in the large parlor of the historic Hayes Home, the same area where President Rutherford and First Lady Lucy Hayes

entertained their guests in the 19th century. Tickets are \$12. Reservations are required and can be made by calling 419-332-2081, ext. 238. **Sponsored by Mosser Construction.**

Sunday, May 27, 2018 – Spiegel Grove Squires vintage base ball game. 2 p.m. at the Walleye Festival at Water Works Park in Port Clinton vs. the Stemtown Stinkers. (away game). The Squires are the vintage base ball team at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. **The Squires are sponsored by Wright Leather Works.**

Monday, May 28, 2018 – Memorial Day. The Hayes Home and museum will be open from noon to 5 p.m. The library is closed.

Wednesday, May 30, 2018 – Presidential History Book Club. Noon to 1 p.m. All are invited to read and discuss books about the American presidency at this free book club. This month, the club is reading "The Bully Pulpit" by Doris Kearns Goodwin. Dennis Sulewski of the William Howard Taft National Historic Site in Cincinnati will join the group for discussion via Skype. Members can bring their lunch.

Wednesday, May 30, 2018 – Croquet Club match.

6 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

JUNE 2018

Now – July 1, 2018 - "The Art of Photography" show and print sale, photographs by Gil Gonzalez and Kristina Smith. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. As thousands of birders descend on the North Coast region for the Biggest Week in American Birding to catch a glimpse of rare migratory birds, this exhibit offers some photography of local birder and nature-lover Kristina Smith, who is also the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums communications/marketing manager. From warblers to frogs and turtles, Smith shares some of her favorite photos from her countless trips to Magee Marsh Wildlife Area, Ottawa National Wildlife Refuge and other birding and nature hot spots around Lake Erie. This special exhibit also features photography

by Gil Gonzalez, head of photographic resources at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. His portion of the exhibit opened Feb. 2. A professional photographer, Gonzalez has photographed numerous subjects and will share some of his favorite work in this exhibit. The exhibit is open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday noon to 5 p.m. Sunday with the exception of holiday hours and closings. Admission is free. This exhibit is on display in the museum auditorium and is open through July 1, 2018. **Sponsored by The Fremont Company and Walmart - Fremont.**

Sunday, June 3, 2018 – *Spiegel Grove Squires vintage base ball game.* 2 p.m. at home vs. the Rochester Grangers of Rochester Hills, Michigan. Admission is free. The game will take place on the lawn behind the Hayes Home. The Squires are the vintage base ball team at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. **The Squires are sponsored by Wright Leather Works.**

Sunday, June 3, 2018 – *Croquet Club match.* 2 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Wednesday, June 6, 2018 – *Croquet Club match.* 6 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Friday, June 8, 2018 – *Opening of special exhibit "In Search of Healing: Medical Practices of the 19th Century."* 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Rutherford B. Hayes never knew his father. His father died of typhus three months before Rutherford was born. Rutherford's wife, Lucy, lost her father in a cholera epidemic when she was only 2 years old. Together, the Hayeses

lost three of their children to dysentery, scarlet fever and some unidentified illness. The ineffective and often dangerous medical practices of the time made disease the ever-present danger that loomed over every family. But in less than a century, researchers would understand that the spread of cholera could be prevented through water sanitation; the discovery of penicillin would slash the mortality rate of scarlet fever; and soldiers bound to fight in Europe during World War II would be vaccinated against typhus. "In Search of Healing: Medical Practices of the Gilded Age" will document the procedures and conventional medical wisdom that prevailed in the late 19th century. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday with the exception of holiday hours and closings. Admission is included with the price of a regular museum ticket. Members are admitted for free. This exhibit is open through Sunday, Oct. 21, 2018. **Sponsored by ProMedica Memorial Hospital and Paramount Advantage.**

Saturday, June 9, 2018 – *Second Saturdays R 4 Kids.* This is an interactive, educational program for kids through age 12. A summer-themed scavenger hunt will be available from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the museum. Kids receive a prize for completing the scavenger hunt. Lawn games for kids will also be available from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on the grounds. If there is inclement weather, the lawn games will be moved into the museum auditorium. Cost – admission to the museum is included – is \$1 for kids ages 1-12 and \$7.50 for adults. Hayes Presidential Library & Museums members at the family level and higher and their children and grandchildren are admitted for free.

Sunday, June 10, 2018 – *Spiegel Grove Squires vintage base ball game.* 2 p.m. at home, celebrity all-star game. Local celebrities will suit up with the Squires. Admission is free. The game will take place on the lawn behind the Hayes Home. The Squires are the vintage base ball team at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. **The Squires are sponsored by Wright Leather Works.**

Wednesday, June 13, 2018 – *Verandah Concert - Fossil Creek Band.* 6:30-8 p.m. Free. Old-fashioned ice cream social is at 6:30 p.m.; concert begins at 7 p.m. The Fossil Creek Band will play bluegrass music. Attendees are asked to bring to their own chairs or blankets and choose their favorite spot on the expansive and shady lawn in front of the home. If there are thunderstorms on concert night, the event will be canceled. Updates will be available at 419-332-2081, rbhayes.org and on Facebook at fb.me/rbhayespres and on Twitter at [@rbhayespres](https://twitter.com/rbhayespres).

Sponsored by Fremont Federal Credit Union.

Additional funding by Mosser Construction.

Wednesday, June 13, 2018 – Membership 411.

9 a.m. and 5 p.m. This members-only session allows Hayes Presidential Library & Museums members to learn more about the benefits of their membership. Each quarter, the sessions will feature a different aspect of the library/manuscript collections, museum and grounds. This month, the session will feature:

- Grounds – Bicentennial Oak
- Museum – Presidents' Gallery
- Manuscripts – Local History Collection: Western Theater of the Civil War

Members can choose either the 9 a.m. or the 5 p.m. session. RSVP to Meghan Wonderly, annual giving and membership coordinator, at 419-332-2081 or mwonderly@rbhayes.org.

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Wednesday, June 20, 2018 – Frohman Summer Series: Hands-on History, Aviation Session.

10 a.m. to noon. Free. This program is a three-part series for kids ages 6 through 11. They will use photos from the Charles E. Frohman Collection at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums to gain firsthand knowledge in history through science, technology, engineering and math initiatives. During

the aviation session, kids will learn how early aviators played an important role in experimental aviation at Sandusky's Battery Park. Through the Frohman photographs, students can see the early aviators and the airplanes they constructed. Students will gain an understanding of the principles of flight, how early aviators applied them to their aircraft, and the dangers they encountered. Parents are welcome to attend with their kids. Registration is limited to 10 kids per session. Kids can register for one, two or all three of the sessions in this series. Sessions are June 20, July 18 and Aug. 15. Registration is required. Register by calling Nan Card or Julie Mayle at 419-332-2081, ext. 239, or email them at ncard@rbhayes.org or jmayle@rbhayes.org. **Sponsored by Sierra Lobo, Inc.**

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Saturday, June 23, 2018 – GroveFest: Nature at the Grove.

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Free. Nature vendors will have booths with crafts and games for kids, and some will have live animals. Back to the Wild Wildlife Rehabilitation Center and other organizations will give live animal demonstrations. Food will be available on the grounds for purchase or donation. **Title sponsor: KeyBank NA Trustee for the Walter E. Terhune Memorial Fund. Activity sponsors: Richard Binau Insurance & Financial Services/Dick and Pam Binau; Christy Lease; MLAD Graphic Design Services, LLC; Mosser Construction; Pomona Properties, LLC; ProMedica Memorial Hospital and Paramount; U.S. Bank Foundation; Walmart-Port Clinton. Supporters: Kathryn & Richard Smith. Unique Fabrications, Inc.; Wright Leather Works LLC.**

Wednesday, June 27, 2018 – Presidential History Book Club.

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Wednesday, June 27, 2018 – Verandah Concert - Grand Royale Ükulelists of the Black Swamp. 6:30-8 p.m. Free. Old-fashioned ice cream social is at 6:30 p.m.; concert begins at 7 p.m. Ükulele ensemble Grand Royale Ükulelists of the Black Swamp will play Ükulele music. Attendees are asked to bring their own chairs or blankets and choose their favorite spot on the expansive and shady lawn in front of the home. If there are thunderstorms on concert night, the event will be canceled. Updates will be available at 419-332-2081, rbhayes.org and on Facebook at fb.me/rbhayespres and on Twitter at [@rbhayespres](https://twitter.com/rbhayespres).
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JULY 2018

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Sunday, July 1, 2018 – Spiegel Grove Squires vintage base ball game. 11 a.m. at the Western Reserve Cup, hosted by the Cleveland Blues Base Ball Club at Lakewood Park in Lakewood. (away game)The Squires are the vintage base ball team at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. **The Squires are sponsored by Wright Leather Works.**

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Wednesday, July 4, 2018 – Independence Day. The Hayes Home and museum are open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The library is closed.

Wednesday, July 4, 2018 – Independence Day Concert. 2 to 3:30 p.m. Free. Bring your own chair or blanket for this patriotic concert, performed by the Toledo Symphony Concert Band on the verandah of the historic Hayes Home. Civil War reenactors will punctuate the performance of the “1812 Overture” with cannon fire. **Sponsored by Crown Battery Mfg. Co/Hal & Diane Hawk.** *Additional funding by Mosser Construction.*

Sunday, July 8, 2018 – Spiegel Grove Squires vintage base ball game. 2 p.m. at home on the lawn behind the Hayes Home vs. the Akron Black Stockings. Admission is free. The Squires are the vintage base ball team at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. **The Squires are sponsored by Wright Leather Works.**

Wednesday, July 11, 2018 – Croquet Club match. 6 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Wednesday, July 11, 2018 – Verandah Concert - Honey Creek Preservation Jass Band. 6:30-8 p.m. Free. Old-fashioned ice cream social is at 6:30 p.m.; concert begins at 7 p.m. The Honey Creek Preservation Jass Band will play Dixieland jazz. Attendees are asked to bring their own chairs or blankets and choose their favorite spot on the expansive and shady lawn in front of the home. If there are thunderstorms on concert night, the event will be canceled. Updates will be available at 419-332-2081, rbhayes.org and on Facebook at fb.me/rbhayespres and on Twitter at @rbhayespres. **Sponsored by Fremont Federal Credit Union.** *Additional funding by Mosser Construction.*

Saturday, July 14, 2018 – Second Saturdays R 4 Kids. Kids will learn to make paper origami. Time TBA. This is an interactive, educational program for kids through age 12. **Title sponsor is Impact Credit Union. Event sponsor is the Sandusky County Convention & Visitors Bureau.**

Sunday, July 15, 2018 – Spiegel Grove Squires vintage base ball game. 1 p.m. at the Scioto Audubon Metro Park in Columbus vs. the Columbus Buckeyes. (away game) The Squires are the vintage base ball team at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. **The Squires are sponsored by Wright Leather Works.**

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coasters have been a top attraction of Cedar Point amusement park for generations. Using the Frohman Collection photos, drawings and documents, students will analyze and build models of the 19th and 20th century coasters, comparing them to today's coasters. Parents are welcome to attend with their kids. Registration is limited to 10 kids per session. Kids can register for one, two or all three of the sessions in this series. Sessions are June 20, July 18 and Aug. 15. Registration is required. Register by calling Nan Card or Julie Mayle at 419-332-2081, ext. 239, or email them at ncard@rbhayes.org or jmayle@rbhayes.org. **Sponsored by Sierra Lobo, Inc.**

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Friday, July 27, 2018 – Opening of the special exhibit "A Family of Service: The Hayeses in World War I." 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. In 1861, 38-year-old Rutherford B. Hayes enlisted in the Union Army during his country's most desperate hour. Writing to a friend of his military experience, he said: "I think I have never enjoyed any period of my life as much as

the last three months. The risks, hardships, separation from family and friends are balanced by the notion that I am doing what every man, who possibly can, ought to do, leaving the agreeable side of things as clear profit.” Hayes passed this belief in the value of service onto his children and grandchildren. When the United States again sorely needed men to serve during World War I, one of his sons and six of his grandsons answered the call. “A Family of Service: The Hayeses in World War I” will explore America’s involvement in the “Great War” through the eyes of the Hayes family. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday with the exception of holiday hours and closings. The Hayes Presidential Library & Museums is closed on Mondays in January, February and March. Admission is included with the price of a regular museum ticket. Members are admitted for free. This exhibit is open through May 27, 2019. **Sponsored by City of Fremont; Fraternal Order of Eagles, Fremont, OH Aerie 712; Exchange Club of Fremont; Fremont Lions Club; Fremont Rotary; Kiwanis Club of Fremont; and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2947.**

Sunday, July 29, 2018 – Spiegel Grove Squires vintage base ball game. 11 a.m. at the Carnation Cup Tournament hosted by the Alliance Crossing Rails BBC. The tournament will take place at Glamorgan Castle in Alliance. (away game) The Squires are the vintage base ball team at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. **The Squires are sponsored by Wright Leather Works.**

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Now – May 27, 2019 – Special exhibit “A Family of Service: The Hayeses in World War I.” In 1861, 38-year-old Rutherford B. Hayes enlisted in the Union Army during his country’s most desperate hour. Writing to a friend of his military experience, he said: “I think I have never enjoyed any period of my life as much as the last three months. The risks, hardships, separation from family and friends are balanced by the notion that I am doing what every man, who possibly can, ought to do, leaving the agreeable side of things as clear profit.” Hayes passed this belief in the value of service onto his children and grandchildren. When the United States again sorely needed men to serve during World War I, one of his sons and six of his grandsons answered the call. “A Family of Service: The Hayeses in World War I” will explore America’s involvement in the “Great War” through the eyes of the Hayes family. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday with the exception of holiday hours and closings. The Hayes Presidential Library & Museums is closed on Mondays in January, February and March. Admission is included with the price of a regular museum ticket. Members are admitted for free. This exhibit is open through May 27, 2019. **Sponsored by City of Fremont; Fraternal Order of Eagles, Fremont, OH Aerie 712; Exchange Club of Fremont; Fremont Lions Club; Fremont Rotary; Kiwanis Club of Fremont; and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2947.**

Wednesday, Aug. 1, 2018 – Croquet Club match. 6 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes’ day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club’s equipment and Hayes

Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Sunday, Aug. 5, 2018 – Spiegel Grove Squires vintage base ball game. 2 p.m. at home vs. the Ohio Village Muffins. Admission is free. The game will take place on the lawn behind the Hayes Home. The Squires are the vintage base ball team at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. **The Squires are sponsored by Wright Leather Works.**

Sunday, Aug. 5, 2018 – Croquet Club match. 2 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Wednesday, Aug. 8, 2018 – Verandah Concert - Chrissy & Don. 6:30-8 p.m. Free. Old-fashioned ice cream social is at 6:30 p.m.; concert begins at 7 p.m. Duo Chrissy & Don will perform popular music with acoustic guitar and vocals. Attendees are asked to bring their own chairs or blankets and choose their favorite spot on the expansive and shady lawn in front of the home. Sponsored by Fremont Federal Credit Union, additional funding provided by Mosser Construction, Inc. If there are thunderstorms on concert night, the event will be canceled. Updates will be available at 419-332-2081, rbhayes.org and on Facebook at fb.me/rbhayespres and on Twitter at [@rbhayespres](https://twitter.com/rbhayespres). **Sponsored by Fremont Federal Credit Union. Additional funding by Mosser Construction.**

Saturday, Aug. 11, 2018 – Second Saturdays R 4 Kids. The Spiegel Grove Squires, the vintage base ball team at the Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Library & Museums, will teach kids how to play vintage base ball. There also will be a sports and exercise scavenger hunt. Times TBA. This is an interactive, educational program for kids through age 12. **Title sponsor is Impact Credit Union.**

Sunday, Aug. 12, 2018 – Croquet Club match.

2 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Wednesday, Aug. 15, 2018 – Frohman Summer Series: Hands-on History, Ever-Changing Lake Erie Session. 10 a.m. to noon. Free. This program is a three-part series for kids ages 6 through 11. They will use photos from the Charles E. Frohman Collection at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums to gain firsthand knowledge in history through science, technology, engineering and math initiatives. During the Lake Erie session, students will use Frohman historic photographs and documents to learn about lake activities such as ice harvesting and fishing. They will then compare firsthand Lake Erie's current condition and its plant and aquatic life to that of the early 20th century. Using water brought from Lake Erie, students will learn about pollution, how to grow algae, and study its negative effects on the lake when its growth reaches dangerous levels. Registration is limited to 10 kids per session. Kids can register for one, two or all three of the sessions in this series. Sessions are June 20, July 18 and Aug. 15. Registration is required. Register by calling Nan Card or Julie Mayle at 419-332-2081, ext. 239, or email them at ncard@rbhayes.org or jmayle@rbhayes.org. **Sponsored by Sierra Lobo, Inc.**

Wednesday, Aug. 15, 2018 – Croquet Club match. 6 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Sunday, Aug. 19, 2018 – Spiegel Grove Squires vintage base ball game. 1 p.m. at Stan Hywet Hall in Akron vs. the Akron Black Stockings. (away game) The Squires are the vintage base ball team at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. **The Squires**

are sponsored by Wright Leather Works.

Wednesday, Aug. 22, 2018 – Verandah Concert - North Coast Big Band. 6:30-8 p.m. Free. Old-fashioned ice cream social is at 6:30 p.m.; concert begins at 7 p.m. North Coast Big Band performs the last Verandah Concert of the summer. Attendees are asked to bring their own chairs or blankets and choose their favorite spot on the expansive and shady lawn in front of the home. If there are thunderstorms on concert night, the event will be canceled. Updates will be available at 419-332-2081, rbhayes.org and on Facebook at fb.me/rbhayespres and on Twitter at @rbhayespres. **Sponsored by Fremont Federal Credit Union.** *Additional funding by Mosser Construction.*

Sunday, Aug. 26, 2018 – Croquet Club match. 2 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Wednesday, Aug. 29, 2018 – Presidential History Book Club. Noon to 1 p.m. All are invited to read and discuss books about the American presidency at this free book club. This month, the club is reading "Grant" by Ron Chernow. Members can bring their lunch. **Sponsored by Keller-Koch-Chudzinski Funeral Home.**

Wednesday, Aug. 29, 2018 – Croquet Club match. 6 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

SEPTEMBER 2018

Now – Oct. 21, 2018– *Special exhibit "In Search of*

Healing: Medical Practices of the 19th Century." Rutherford B. Hayes never knew his father. His father died of typhus three months before Rutherford was born. Rutherford's wife, Lucy, lost her father in a cholera epidemic when she was only 2 years old. Together, the Hayeses lost three of their children to dysentery, scarlet fever and some unidentified illness. The ineffective and often dangerous medical practices of the time made disease the ever-present danger that loomed over every family. But in less than a century, researchers would understand that the spread of cholera could be prevented through water sanitation; the discovery of penicillin would slash the mortality rate of scarlet fever; and soldiers bound to fight in Europe during World War II would be vaccinated against typhus. "In Search of Healing: Medical Practices of the Gilded Age" will document the procedures and conventional medical wisdom that prevailed in the late 19th century. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday with the exception of holiday hours and closings. Admission is included with the price of a regular museum ticket. Members are admitted for free. This exhibit is open through Sunday, Oct. 21, 2018. **Sponsored by ProMedica Memorial Hospital and Paramount Advantage.**

Now – May 27, 2019 – *Special exhibit "A Family of Service: The Hayeses in World War I."* In 1861, 38-year-old Rutherford B. Hayes enlisted in the Union Army during his country's most desperate hour. Writing to a friend of his military experience, he said: "I think I have never enjoyed any period of my life as much as the last three months. The risks, hardships, separation from family and friends are balanced by the notion that I am doing what every man, who possibly can, ought to do, leaving the agreeable side of things as clear profit." Hayes passed this belief in the value of service onto his children and grandchildren. When the United States again sorely needed men to serve during World War I, one of his sons and six of his grandsons answered the call. "A Family of Service: The Hayeses in World War I" will explore America's involvement in the "Great War" through the eyes of the Hayes family. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday with the exception of holiday hours and closings. The Hayes Presidential Library & Museums is closed on Mondays in January, February and March. Admission is included with the price of a regular museum ticket. Members are admitted for free. This exhibit is open through May 27, 2019. **Sponsored by City of Fremont; Fraternal Order of Eagles, Fremont, OH Aerie 712; Exchange Club of Fremont; Fremont Lions Club; Fremont Rotary; Kiwanis Club of Fremont; and Veterans of**

Foreign Wars Post 2947.

Monday, Sept. 3, 2018 – Labor Day. The Hayes Home and museum will be open from noon to 5 p.m. The library is closed.

Wednesday, Sept. 5, 2018 – Croquet Club match. 6 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Saturday, Sept. 8, 2018 – Second Saturdays R 4 Kids. This is an interactive, educational program for kids through age 12. A fall scavenger hunt will be available from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the museum. Kids receive a prize for completing the scavenger hunt. There also will be story time at 11 a.m. Cost – admission to the museum is included – is \$1 for kids ages 1-12 and \$7.50 for adults. Hayes Presidential Library & Museums members at the family level and higher and their children and grandchildren are admitted for free. **Title sponsor is Impact Credit Union.**

Sunday, Sept. 9, 2018 – Spiegel Grove Squires vintage base ball game. 2 p.m. at home vs. the Canton Cornshuckers. Admission is free. The game will take place on the lawn be-hind the Hayes Home. The Squires are the vintage base ball team at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. **The Squires are sponsored by Wright Leather Works.**

Sunday, Sept. 9, 2018 – Croquet Club match. 2 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Wednesday, Sept. 12, 2018 – Membership 411. 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. This members-only session allows

Hayes Presidential Library & Museums members to learn more about the benefits of their membership. Each quarter, the sessions will feature a different aspect of the library/manuscript collections, museum and grounds. This month, the session will feature:

- Grounds – Carriage House
- Museum – Weapons Room
- Manuscripts – Local History Collection: Women's Manuscript Collections

Members can choose either the 9 a.m. or the 5 p.m. session. RSVP to Meghan Wonderly, annual giving and membership coordinator, at 419-332-2081 or mwonderly@rbhayes.org.

Saturday, Sept. 15, 2018 – Membership 411. 9 a.m. This members-only session allows Hayes Presidential Library & Museums members to learn more about the benefits of their membership. Each quarter, the sessions will feature a different aspect of the library/manuscript collections, museum and grounds. This month, the session will feature:

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Saturday, Sept. 15, 2018 – History Roundtable. 10 -11:30 a.m. Local historian and educator Mike Gilbert shares local history during his popular History Roundtable sessions, offered on Saturdays in September and October. **Sponsored by Mary B. Wonderly, M.D.**

Sunday, Sept. 16, 2018 – Spiegel Grove Squires vintage base ball game. 10 a.m. at the Tiffin-Seneca County Heritage Festival at Hedges-Boyer Park in Tiffin. (away game) The Squires are the vintage base ball team at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. **The Squires are sponsored by Wright Leather Works.**

Wednesday, Sept. 19, 2018 – Croquet Club match. 6 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or

jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Saturday, Sept. 22, 2018 – *History Roundtable.*

10 -11:30 a.m. Local historian and educator Mike Gilbert shares local history during his popular History Roundtable sessions, offered on Saturdays in September and October. **Sponsored by Mary B. Wonderly, M.D.**

Sunday, Sept. 23, 2018 – *Croquet Club match.*

2 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Wednesday, Sept. 26, 2018 – *Presidential History Book Club.* Noon to 1 p.m. All are invited to read and discuss books about the American presidency at this free book club. This month, the club is reading "Grant" by Ron Chernow. Members can bring their lunch. **Sponsored by Keller-Koch-Chudzinski Funeral Home.**

Saturday, Sept. 29, 2018 – *History Roundtable.*

10 -11:30 a.m. Local historian and educator Mike Gilbert shares local history during his popular History Roundtable sessions, offered on Saturdays in September and October. **Sponsored by Mary B. Wonderly, M.D.**

Saturday, Sept. 29, 2018 – *Spiegel Grove Squires vintage base ball game.* 10 a.m. at the Sauder Village Cup hosted by Sauder Village in Archbold. (away game) The Squires are the vintage base ball team at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. **The Squires are sponsored by Wright Leather Works.**

Sunday, Sept. 30, 2018 – *Croquet Club match.*

2 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

OCTOBER 2018

Now – May 27, 2019 – *Special exhibit "A Family of Service: The Hayeses in World War I."* In 1861, 38-year-old Rutherford B. Hayes enlisted in the Union Army during his country's most desperate hour. Writing to a friend of his military experience, he said, "I think I have never enjoyed any period of my life as much as the last three months. The risks, hardships, separation from family and friends are balanced by the notion that I am doing what every man, who possibly can, ought to do, leaving the agreeable side of things as clear profit." Hayes passed this belief in the value of service onto his children and grandchildren. When the United States again sorely needed men to serve during World War I, one of his sons and six of his grandsons answered the call. "A Family of Service: The Hayeses in World War I" will explore America's involvement in the "Great War" through the eyes of the Hayes family. This exhibit is open through May 27, 2019. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday with the exception of holiday hours and closings. The Hayes Presidential Library & Museums is closed on Mondays in January, February and March. Admission is included with the price of a regular museum ticket. Members are admitted for free. **Sponsored by City of Fremont; Fraternal Order of Eagles, Fremont, OH Aerie 712; Exchange Club of Fremont; Fremont Lions Club; Fremont Rotary; Kiwanis Club of Fremont; and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2947.**

Now – Oct. 21, 2018– *Special exhibit "In Search of Healing: Medical Practices of the 19th Century."*

Rutherford B. Hayes never knew his father. His father died of typhus three months before Rutherford was born. Rutherford's wife, Lucy, lost her father in a cholera epidemic when she was only 2 years old. Together, the Hayeses lost three of their children to dysentery, scarlet fever and some unidentified illness. The ineffective and often dangerous medical practices of the time made disease the ever-present danger that loomed over every family. But in less than a century, researchers would understand that the spread of cholera could be prevented through water sanitation; the discovery of penicillin would slash the mortality rate of scarlet fever; and soldiers bound to fight in Europe during World War II would be vaccinated against typhus. "In Search of Healing: Medical Practices of the Gilded Age" will document the procedures and conventional medical wisdom that prevailed in the late 19th century. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday with the exception of holiday hours and

closings. Admission is included with the price of a regular museum ticket. Members are admitted for free. This exhibit is open through Sunday, Oct. 21, 2018. **Sponsored by ProMedica Memorial Hospital and Paramount Advantage.**

Wednesday, Oct. 3, 2018 – Croquet Club match. 6 p.m. The Croquet Club plays croquet, a game popular during President Rutherford B. Hayes' day, on the lawn on of the Hayes Home. Croquet club members can use the club's equipment and Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' courts, participate in all club events and receive a membership card and information packet. Annual memberships are \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. Non-members are invited to play at any match for a \$5 fee. For information, contact Joan Eckermann at 419-332-2081, ext. 245, or jeckermann@rbhayes.org.

Thursday, Oct. 4 – Sunday, Oct. 7, 2018 – American Presidents Film and Literary Festival. This film festival is the only one in the United States to cover the American presidency. Its theme is People, Places, Politics and Power. The event will take place throughout Fremont, including some events at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. It is being organized by a group of community partners, including the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums.

Monday, Oct. 8, 2018 – Columbus Day. The Hayes Home and museum are open noon to 5 p.m. The library is closed.

Saturday, Oct. 13, 2018 – Second Saturdays R 4 Kids. Civil War reenactors will help kids experience what life was like in a Civil War camp. Time to be announced. Admission for kids through age 12 of non-members is \$1. There is no fee for adults who bring kids to this program. This is an interactive, educational program for kids through age 12. **Title sponsor is Impact Credit Union.**

Saturday, Oct. 13, 2018 – History Roundtable. 10 -11:30 a.m. Local historian and educator Mike Gilbert shares local history during his popular History Roundtable sessions, offered on Saturdays in September and October. **Sponsored by Mary B. Wonderly, M.D.**

Saturday, Oct. 20, 2018 – History Roundtable. 10 -11:30 a.m. Local historian and educator Mike Gilbert shares local history during his popular History Roundtable sessions, offered on Saturdays in September and October. **Sponsored by Mary B. Wonderly, M.D.**

Sunday, Oct. 21, 2018 – Music in the Parlor. 4 to 5 p.m. Enjoy a musical performance in the large parlor of the historic Hayes Home, the same area where President Rutherford and First Lady Lucy Hayes entertained their guests in the 19th century. Tickets are \$12. Reservations are required and can be made by calling 419-332-2081, ext. 238. **Sponsored by Mosser Construction.**

Wednesday, Oct. 24, 2018 – Presidential History Book Club. Noon to 1 p.m. All are invited to read and discuss books about the American presidency at this free book club. This month, the club is reading "Grant" by Ron Chernow. Members can bring their lunch. **Sponsored by Keller-Koch-Chudzinski Funeral Home.**

Saturday, Oct. 27, 2018 – History Roundtable. 10 -11:30 a.m. Local Historian and educator Mike Gilbert shares local history during his popular History Roundtable sessions, offered on Saturdays in September and October. **Sponsored by Mary B. Wonderly, M.D.**

NOVEMBER 2018

Now – May 27, 2019 – *Special exhibit "A Family of Service: The Hayeses in World War I."* In 1861, 38-year-old Rutherford B. Hayes enlisted in the Union Army during his country's most desperate hour. Writing to a friend of his military experience, he said: "I think I have never enjoyed any period of my life as much as the last three months. The risks, hardships, separation from family and friends are balanced by the notion that I am doing what every man, who possibly can, ought to do, leaving the agreeable side of things as clear profit." Hayes passed this belief in the value of service onto his children and grandchildren. When the United States again sorely needed men to serve during World War I, one of his sons and six of his grandsons answered the call. "A Family of Service: The Hayeses in World War I" will explore America's involvement in the "Great War" through the eyes of the Hayes family. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday with the exception of holiday hours and closings. The Hayes Presidential Library & Museums is closed on Mondays in January, February and March. Admission is included with the price of a regular museum ticket. Members are admitted for free. This exhibit is open through May 27, 2019. **Sponsored by City of Fremont; Fraternal Order of Eagles, Fremont, OH Aerie 712; Exchange Club of Fremont; Fremont Lions Club; Fremont**

Rotary; Kiwanis Club of Fremont; and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2947.

Saturday, Nov. 10, 2018 – *Second Saturdays R 4 Kids*. This is an interactive, educational program for kids through age 12. A holiday scavenger hunt will be available from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the museum. Kids receive a prize for completing the scavenger hunt. Cost – admission to the museum is included – is \$1 for kids ages 1-12 and \$7.50 for adults. Hayes Presidential Library & Museums members at the family level and higher and their children and grandchildren are admitted for free. **Sponsored by Impact Credit Union.**

Sunday, Nov. 11, 2018 – Veterans Day. The Hayes Home and Museum are open regular Sunday hours, which are noon to 5 p.m. The library is closed.

Sunday, Nov. 11, 2018 – *Opening of the special exhibit “Experiencing Veterans and Artists Collaborations.”* Noon to 5 p.m. This exhibit is an art project that brings together veterans and artists. EVAC curators interviewed veterans about their experiences, and artists made an edition of prints based on their interpretation of those stories. The prints are exhibited with excerpts from the transcribed interviews. In this exhibit, 12 to 15 pieces created from interviews with veterans through the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums Northwest Ohio Veterans Oral History Project will be featured in the museum rotunda. EVAC works to bridge the often-precarious gap between military and civilian life. Some of the pieces of art will eventually be displayed at the Pentagon in Washington, D.C. The exhibit will remain on display at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums through Jan. 31, 2019. Admission is included with the price of a museum tickets. Hayes Presidential Library & Museums members are admitted for free.

Monday, Nov. 12, 2018 – The Hayes Presidential Library & Museums will observe holiday hours in honor of Veterans Day, which is Sunday, Nov. 11. The Hayes Home and museum are open noon to 5 p.m. The library is closed.

Wednesday, Nov. 14, 2018 – *Membership 411.* 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. This members-only session allows Hayes Presidential Library & Museums members to learn more about the benefits of their membership. Each quarter, the sessions will feature a different aspect of the library/manuscript collections, museum and grounds. This month, the session will feature:

- Grounds – Soldiers’ Memorial Tablet
- Museum – History of Fremont Gallery
- Library – Using the library – online book catalog,

WorldCat.org

Members can choose either the 9 a.m. or the 5 p.m. session. RSVP to Meghan Wonderly, annual giving and membership coordinator, at 419-332-2081 or mwonderly@rbhayes.org.

Saturday, Nov. 17, 2018 – *Membership 411.* 9 a.m. This members-only session allows Hayes Presidential Library & Museums members to learn more about the benefits of their membership. Each quarter, the sessions will feature a different aspect of the library/manuscript collections, museum and grounds. This month, the session will feature:

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Thursday, Nov. 22, 2018 – Thanksgiving. All facilities closed.

Friday, Nov. 23, 2018 – *Opening of the “Hayes Train Special” model train display.* This operating model train display runs through an intricate Victorian holiday scene. Interactive buttons allow visitors to control aspects of the trains’ movements along the winding, multi-tiered, 12x24-foot layout. Admission is included in the Hayes Museum ticket price of \$7.50 for adults, \$6.50 for seniors and \$3 for children ages 6–12. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday with the exception of holiday hours and closings. This exhibit is open through Sunday, Jan. 6, 2019. **Sponsored by Croghan Colonial Bank and the Gordon W. Knight Family.**

Wednesday, Nov. 28, 2018 – *Presidential History Book Club.* Noon to 1 p.m. All are invited to read and discuss books about the American presidency at this free book club. This month, the club is reading “Wilson” by A. Scott Berg. Members can bring their lunch. **Sponsored by Keller-Koch-Chudzinski Funeral Home.**

DECEMBER 2018

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Saturday, Dec. 8, 2018 – *Second Saturdays R 4 Kids.* Kids will learn to paint with Artistry Uncorked. Time and cost TBA. This is an interactive, educational program for kids through age 12. **Title sponsor is Impact Credit Union. Event sponsor is Keller-Koch-Chudzinski Funeral Home.**

Wednesday, Dec. 19, 2018 – *Presidential History Book Club.* Noon to 1 p.m. All are invited to read and discuss books about the American presidency at this free book club. This month, the club is reading “Wilson” by A. Scott Berg. Members can bring their lunch. **Sponsored by Keller-Koch-Chudzinski Funeral Home.**

Monday, Dec. 24, 2018 – Christmas Eve. The Hayes Home and museum are open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The library is closed.

Tuesday, Dec. 25, 2018 – Christmas. All facilities closed.

Wednesday, Dec. 26 – Monday, Dec. 31 – *Sleigh rides through Spiegel Grove.* 1-4 p.m. Ride through the grounds of Spiegel Grove in a horse-drawn sleigh, as President Hayes did when he lived here. Rides are by South Creek Clydesdales. A horse-drawn trolley may be used in addition to our in place of the sleigh depending on demand and South Creek’s staffing levels. Cost is \$3 per rider ages 3 and older. Kids age 2 and younger ride for free.

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1-4 p.m. As the holiday season nears its end, your cherished model train deserves a little special attention. The Hayes Presidential Library & Museums can help ensure that your train is in tip-top shape for next year and beyond. Veteran model train hobbyists lead the clinic. They’ll assist you with advice related to model train maintenance and repair, as well as estimating the value of older model trains. Admission to the Hayes Train Clinic is \$2 per person, or free with the purchase of a Hayes Museum ticket. In the event of inclement weather, the clinic will be canceled.

NOTE: Events are subject to change. For updates, call 419-332-2081 or visit rbhayes.org.

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