



Bridging our past with our future

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PHOTO DISCOVERY DAY

Charlevoix Train Depot . Sunday, Sept. 2, 2018. noon-5pm



Free Entry
Tintype Portraits
For Sale



Individuals are invited to bring old and antique photographs relating to Charlevoix and greater Charlevoix County, and its people, places and history. Local history experts will help you learn more about the photographs - such as the type of photo it is - a daguerreotype, ambrotype or tintype? Where and approximately what year it was taken? Who was the photographer?

Ole Lyngklip, Guest Curator for the Museum at Harsha House photography exhibit and an expert in local 19th century photography and Society Curator David Miles will draw on their local knowledge and photographic expertise to help answer these questions.

The Michigan Historic Photographic Society (MIHPS) will also be on hand with a display of antique photographs that show various historic photographic methods, including the tintype and daguerreotype processes. Bill Schwab, a well-known photographer - and tintypist - based in northern Michigan will bring his mobile darkroom and offer modernized tintype demonstrations and portrait sittings. He will process and deliver your very own tintype portrait onsite so you can take it home with you!

Is there a remarkable relic of Charlevoix history in your attic just waiting to be discovered?

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Wow, what an eventful summer it has been for the Society! There are many people who contributed to the success of the wonderful variety of things we accomplished, from mounting two new, spectacular exhibits at the museum to hosting delightful bestselling author Paula McLain with a full house in the Depot Heritage Garden, and all of the programs and receptions that went along with them. To everyone who attended as a guest, volunteered on the planning committee, to the staff, the board and guest Curators Jennifer Harsha Carroll and Ole Lyngklip - THANK YOU! We will welcome Ole back to lend his expertise for the season finale at the Depot on September 2 for Photo Discovery Day. Tell your friends about this special event and we hope to see you there. Denise

CHARLEVOIX PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB 10TH ANNUAL EXHIBITION

The Charlevoix Photography Club's 10th Annual Fine Art Photography Exhibition will take place at the Depot on August 24 - 27. The opening reception will take place on Friday the 24th from 6 to 8:30. Everyone welcome. Exhibit hours Saturday - Monday from 1 to 5 pm.

MARGARET DUERR AWARD AT LIBRARY

The fifteenth annual Margaret Duerr Award, presented by the Friends of the Charlevoix Public Library, will be given this year on Wednesday, September 19 at 6:30 p.m. in the library's Community Room. Honored for 2018 is Larry Levengood, community volunteer and board member of numerous city and school organizations for decades. Larry helped reorganize the Friends of the Charlevoix Public Library in 1999 as one of the original nineteen members.

The speaker for the occasion will be Mark L. Heydlauff, Charlevoix City Manager since 2015. Mr. Heydlauff will emphasize the importance of volunteerism in a community.

