



Historical Highlights

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Special: Early Spring 2016

Big Band Gala at Crooked Lake, April 9!



The Sand Lake Historical Society is proud to present another “big event” on Saturday, April 9, 7:00 – 11:00 p.m.

BIG BAND GALA AT CROOKED LAKE will take you back in time to the days when the Glenn Miller, Stan Kenton and Jimmy Dorsey orchestras broadcast live from the Crooked Lake Hotel. The night will feature the music of the Georgie Wonder Orchestra and complimentary dance lessons. There will be deluxe desserts, a coffee station and cash bar.

The cost is \$40.00 per person. A portion of the proceeds will benefit the USO, celebrating 75 years of service to our armed forces.

Period dress is optional, but prepaid reservations are required. Last year’s TR event sold out early, so get out your dancing shoes and make your reservations today, using the reservation form elsewhere in this issue.

Hurry! Reservations are on a first-come, first-served basis!

Please note that the Big Band Gala takes the place of our April membership meeting.

Upcoming programs

- 1 Our next program is scheduled for **Tuesday, March 8**. Averill Park? The Averill family and its descendants lived in Sand Lake from its earliest days. Was it named after the family? Where did Park come from? The answer may be found by looking at the Averill family's history in the Sand Lake area. Who were they? What did they do? Joan Fuess will present Jennie Averill and reflect on the Averills and their influence on Sand Lake. Learn about Moscow the Civil War horse, the Averill Park Land Improvement Company, the Troy and New England Railway, Averill Park Hotel, Interlachen Park, Sunset Lodge, Crist Crape's Central Hotel and, last but not least, the family tie to Charles Nalle, the runaway slave. 7:30 p.m., Sand Lake Town Hall.
- 1 **Tuesday, May 12**, is our Annual Meeting and will be held at the Zion United Church of Christ in Taborton. Details to follow in our regular Spring issue.

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A STEP
BACK IN TIME
To Honor 75 Years of the USO



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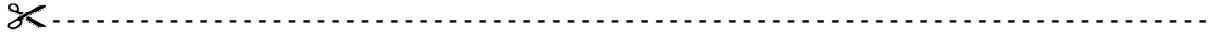
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7~11

THE GEORGIE WONDERS ORCHESTRA
COMPLIMENTARY DANCE LESSONS
DELUXE DESSERTS, COFFEE STATION, AND CASH BAR

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Reservations: Old Daley on Crooked Lake

Saturday, April 9, 2016, 7:00 – 11:00 p.m.

Prepayment necessary.

Tickets: \$40.00 per person. Cash bar.



Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Number of Reservations _____ Check in the amount of \$ _____

Please make checks payable to Sand Lake Historical Society; please put "Gala" on the memo line. Mail to:

Gala -- Sand Lake Historical Society

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For more information, call Dee Erickson at 674-5143; leave a message. Or, e-mail SandLakeHistory@aol.com

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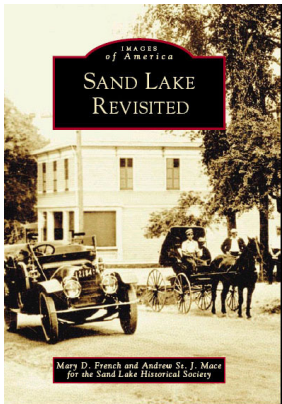
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