



The CCHS *Newsletter*

Carroll County Historical Society

P. O. Box 1308

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FEBRUARY 2017

Don Wells of Mountain Stewards to Speak to Historical Society Tuesday, February 21st at 6:30 in the Carrollton Depot

The February 2017 Carroll County Historical Society speaker is Don Wells, President of the Jasper-based Mountain Stewards, a non-profit organization dedicated to the preservation, development and maintenance of trails and open spaces in the Southern Appalachian Mountains. Don's presentation entitled ***The Trail of Tears— Not Just the Cherokees*** discusses how the Cherokee, Choctaw, Chickasaw, Creek, and Seminole tribes were forcibly removed beginning in 1790 through the late 1850's.

Don graduated from the University of SC in 1962 with a BS Degree in Civil Engineering and spent 28 years in the Navy Civil Engineering Corps followed by ten years in an engineering consultant firm. He and his wife retired to GA in 2000. He formed the Mountain Stewards, a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization in 2003. In 2007, the Mountain Stewards launched, in conjunction with partners in three states, the National Trail Tree Project to locate, document and preserve Trail Trees which are part of the heritage of Native Americans. In late 2007, the Mountain Stewards launched the Indian Trails Mapping Program to more precisely map Indian Trails from old survey maps of the 1700 and 1800's era.



Don has co-authored numerous books with his wife Diane, a retired educator whose field is history. Together, Don and Diane, along with Robert Wells, Dr. Mickey Nardo, Lamar Marshall, and others on the Mountain Stewards team of researchers, trail mappers and film makers have been working for eight years to document Indian Cultural Heritage sites throughout the United States. They published the book, ***Mystery of the Trees*** in 2011 and are currently completing work on a documentary of the same title.

*Light Refreshments will be served.
The public is cordially invited.*

Historic Carrollton Photos From the Reeve Ingle Gallery 1900—1999
(See the entire gallery on our web-site under EXTRAS)



T.W. Richards Grandfather of Tom Richards) in his new 1908 Brush automobile in front of Citizens Bank; Carrollton Square - Tom Richards - 1908



Tabernacle Baptist Church, Bradley Street - Bobby Powell:
Special Collections: SUWG



Old Post Office on Newnan St. Smith & Diment building - Neva Lomason Memorial Library Collection



Square with water tower - B. M. Long Photograph Album: donated by Aubrey Jones: Special Collections: SUWG



Overhead picture of Newnan St. area - M.L. Fisher - 1946

**CARROLL COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 2017**

Individual Membership
Family Membership

\$30 per year
\$50 per year

Date: _____

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

*** E-mail Address:** _____

** E-mail addresses are important for receiving bulletins and announcements sent out concerning the Society activities between newsletters.*

Membership \$ _____ **** Donation \$** _____

Reason for Donation _____

Total Paid \$ _____

*** Donations to the Society will be used to fund preservation projects in Carroll County. All donations are Tax Deductible.*

Members receive our CCHS Newsletter.

Mail to:

**Carroll County Historical Society
119 Canterbury Drive
Carrollton, GA 30117**

Message from President Scott Eldred

We are proceeding with the computer archival system. We now have the ability to scan in a document, letter, or pictures and to print copies in color. Once the data is in the system we can print out a copy for the person that is making the request.

This will be a never ending process as we collect items to be archived. We also are capturing present day news articles for someone in the future who may be looking back to the present time. I believe it is important to do this.

Gwyn & Carter have accumulated a great many historical collections of items, pictures, documents, etc. that are available for review. We hope that in the future we will have our own place where we can display all of what we have.

The Carroll County Historical Society welcomes any item or donation that anyone would like to make. Please let us know if you have any old family documents that you think would have general interest to anyone researching West Georgia history.

Scott

APPLE BREAD

1 1/4 cup cooking oil	1 tsp salt
2 cups sugar	1 tsp cinnamon
2 eggs	2 tsp vanilla
3 cups A/P flour	3 cups diced apples
1 tsp baking soda	1 cup chopped nuts

Mix together all ingredients;
pour into 2 greased and floured
loaf pans. bake for 1 hour and 15 minutes. Makes 2 loaves.

Donna Eldred

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