



March 1st is the 150th birthday of the State of Nebraska. Governor Ricketts has been promoting various state activities. There are so many opportunities to celebrate Nebraska's 150th anniversary of becoming a state. The Sherman County Historical Society is making plans to commemorate March 1st – stay tuned for the details.

We are accepting your book and magazine donations— drop them off at AJ's Bookkeeping office, or with any of these people: Judy Lee Heil, Linda Wilke-Heil, Becky Butler, Dennis Welty, Kathy Spotanski, or Donna Trompke. We are raising money for several projects, but two main needs are: new front windows at the Hanshaw /Research Center building; funds for restoring the interior of the Jenner House. We appreciate all donations large and small. Do you like to read true short stories of the old west?

The Historical Society is seeking wood frame storm windows for the Jenner/Ohlsen house. Can anyone help us out? We have a list of the window

measurements. Call Linda or Donna.

The Historical Society now has several publications available. We are always looking for suggestions for publications. Please take a look at our ad elsewhere in this issue of the paper.

We are also working on our program for Polish Days. The ice cream social is, of course, part of our tradition. We will also have live music entertainment. We plan to have blacksmithing demonstrations on both Saturday and Sunday. Again, stay tuned.

The Museum is open for touring by appointment until next Memorial Day, at which time we will resume our normal Sunday schedule. The Historical Society also will help with researching family history. Call Donna Trompke at 308-750-3325, Dennis Welty at 308-233-4521, Linda Wilke-Heil at 308-745-0714, or any officer. A free will donation is appreciated.

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