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Newsletter of June, 2010

MUSEUM MEETING Monday, June 21st 6:30 p.m.
 at our offices. We will have a full agenda and will establish a 2011 Heritage Calendar committee. All members and interested parties are welcome.

HISTORIC SITES BUS TOURS The bus is rolling again on Saturday, June 12th. Call the office if you would like to see the Historic Sites of Cedar Hill by bus. The first group will leave at 1:30 and the second group departs at 3:30 p.m. from our office parking lot at Hughes Chapel, 332 Cedar Street. A visit inside the First Methodist Church old sanctuary will be one of the highlights. This tour will be considered our quarterly program. There is no charge, however reservations are recommended.

There will be a dedication of Old Town Square at 1 p.m. at Pioneer Park (corner of Cedar and Houston St.)

LAKE RIDGE ELEMENTARY Last week J.R. and Traphene Hickman, Charles Finsley and Phyllis Stewart helped Lake Ridge Elementary students learn “where they are from”. A history of Cedar Hill video, “Now and Then” was viewed by the entire school. Dr. Pat Murphy coordinated the event.



WORKSHOP IN DENTON Phyllis Stewart attended a strategic planning workshop at the Denton County Courthouse on May 3rd. The program was sponsored by Texas Assoc. of Museums and the Texas Historical Commission. TAM is in the process of moving their offices from Austin to Ft. Worth.



PRIVATE COLLECTION The grandson of T.A. Bray, Tony Reid, was kind enough to share an old interior photo of the store. However, the store photo shown above is one from our collection showing the clock that Mr. Reid has which still works. He also has one of the fans used for advertising. To see the back of the fan visit our website and click the Collections tab.

MEMBERS AND TRIBUTES More Cabbage LLC recently joined our museum group. They are an advertising /website design firm who would like to operate their business from the Heritage House, our building in High Pointe. Kim Perkins made a memorial tribute/donation in memory of Arthur Taylor.

CITIZENS OF THE MONTH



J.R. & Traphene Hickman are honored this May and June as our Outstanding Citizens. Their 60th wedding anniversary is June 9th. We wish this stellar couple our best and thank them for all their years of community service. Information will be on our website and in the Government Center

STORYTELLING AT JIM AND CAROLINE McKEE’S

This was great fun last quarter. Jimmy Mobley, Frankie Lee, J.R. Hickman, Robert Nelson and Joe Potter added some great stories to our collection.



GENEALOGY The Zula B. Wylie Library is offering genealogy classes periodically which gives access to Ancestry.com and HeritageQuest.com. Call or email the Museum or the Library if you would like to be contacted for the next class offered.