

# MUSEUM MUSINGS

## THE NEWSLETTER OF THE JEFFERSONTOWN HISTORICAL MUSEUM

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**EXHIBITS:** Our current exhibit is called **School days**, and focuses on the early history of Jeffersontown's schools. The exhibit will remain up through December 16th.

**DONATIONS:** Dottie First donated many more Jeffersontown-related artifacts, from old advertising items to city brochures. Of particular interest was a tin of baby salve from Dr. W.F. Stucky, who began his practice here in Jeffersontown in the early 1900s. Dud & Nancy Wetherby donated a few 1940s Jeffersontown High School annuals and original yearbook photos.

**PHOTOS OF JEFFERSONTOWN HISTORY:** As usual, the museum is always on the lookout for photos relative to Jeffersontown's history. Of primary importance are photos of buildings around town, but the genealogy of Jeffersontown residents is important, too, so family photos and histories are also more than welcome.

The museum does not need to keep your photos, unless you wish to donate them. We have a scanner, and we can scan the photos into our computer files, so they will be available when needed.

Even if you have photos of the area that are relatively recent, they can still be of value to the museum. The businesses around town change fairly often, and it is nice to have a record (and photos) of the various businesses that have occupied our local buildings.

## NEWS FROM THE ARTS PROGRAM IN JEFFERSONTOWN

Two Art Camps in July provided creative art making and fun for thirty children ages 7-12. Louisville Visual Arts teaching artists instructed and inspired the young artists to explore mixed media, printmaking, sculpture, painting and more.

-Friday, September 30, 2016, 6-7pm. KY Opera performs Drinking Songs at 3rd Turn Brewing. Free Performance.

-Thursday, October 6, 2016, 6-8pm. Carly Moffa performs at 3rd Turn Brewing. Carly is a NJ native who has emerged as a talented singer songwriter who knew from an early age she would have to find her way to Nashville, which she did when she was only 18. Free Performance.

-Friday, November 11th 2016, 6:30 pm-9:30 pm; Mayor Dieruf and the City Council will present the Louisville Orchestra, Music without Borders, along with an Art Exhibit including wine and cheese. The event will be held at the Jeffersontown Community Center. Tickets are available for \$20 on the orchestra website: <https://www.louisvilleorchestra.org/music-without-borders-2/>

-Saturday, December 3, 2016, 6-8pm. Louisville Ballet Nutcracker Characters will be at the Light Up Jeffersontown Event at the Community Center. Free Event.

\*\*Event details are available on the City of Jeffersontown webpage under the calendar and City of Jeffersontown Facebook page.

Hope to see you soon!

Rhonda Rowland, Arts Program Manager