

2024 Ashford Historical Society
Fundraiser Schedule

May 27th - Memorial Day Bake & Book Sale

When you come to the Memorial Day parade and program please stop over and buy some baked goods and books.

July Sat & Sun Annual Community Yard Sale

Date will be on Ashford website 9 am - ??

We will have the big tent up again this year during the Community wide yard sale. We will be open both Saturday and Sunday.

November 4th Annual Fall Auction Fundraiser

At St Johns Hall - 7 pm start

Come enjoy a fun evening of bidding on donated treasures!!

We are hoping to have Damon Gentner as our auctioneer again this year!

Come early and look around to see all the goodies.

We will open at 6 for preview and to get your number for bidding!!

Contact Jim (716) 353-5269 for pickup of your donations.

Historical Open House Schedule

4th Sunday of the Month 2-4pm

June - September

6/30, 7/28, 8/25 and 9/29

Other times by appt. Call Rae (716)462-1372 Or Gisela (716)481-5254

2024 Ashford Historical Society Programs

May 20th 7pm - Historian Steve Cotton will give a presentation called Mail by Rail. He will take us on a train ride through the history of the Railroad Post Office.

June 17th 7pm - Local author Jolene Hawkins will talk about her 3 books about local events & the research that went into writing them.

July 15th 6pm - Dick Conrad assisted by Cody Broomfield will give a demonstration on the Art of Blacksmithing.
Bring your own lawn chair as the meeting will be outside under the big tent.

August 19th 7pm - Anneliese Meck will be talking about and showing examples of Civil War period clothing. She is a public historian, historical interpreter, and accomplished historical costumer.

September 16th 7pm - Outlaws & Rebels a performance of songs throughout our history given by Rochester-based musician, Allen Hopkins.

October 21st 7 pm - Amanda Woomer will be bringing her Traveling Museum of Memento Mori and speak about mourning practices and how to incorporate them into our own grieving practices.