

In Memoriam

Gilbert Mahoney

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John Boring

Howard May

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Cameron County Historical Society
Fall Dinner
Invitation

SUNDAY Oct. 19th, 2008
2:00PM
VFW - Emporium, PA



--A Memorial Celebration--

Remembering 8 CCC Boys
Who Lost Their Lives
On October 19th 1938

THE
CAMERON COUNTY
Historical Society
~FOUNDED 1921~

Dear Member,

This year we are doing something different for our Annual Fall Dinner. We will be conducting a two day, 70th Anniversary Memorial Celebration remembering the 8 CCC boys who lost their lives in the devastating forest fire of October 19th, 1938.

We felt this was a significant event in Cameron County's history that deserved this special attention- not to mention the supreme sacrifice made by these eight boys while protecting Cameron County's forests.

The event will start on **Saturday** Morning October 18th

- a bus tour leaving the Court House parking lot at 10:00 AM sharp to First Fork near the location of the Pepper Hill Fire.
- proceed to the Sinnemahoning State Park for lunch and a presentation.
- the bus will stop at the Brooks Run CCC Camp site and on to
- the Little Museum for a look at the CCC artifacts
- the bus will continue to the Hunts Run CCC Camp site and on to
- Memorial Springs where Father Matt Ryan and the Cameron County Memorial Detail will conduct a brief service.
- The tour's schedule is expected to run from 10-5 PM.

The next morning (**Sunday October 19th**) Father Paul Seibert will conduct a special Memorial Mass at St. Marks at 10:30 AM.

Dinner will follow at 2:00 PM at the VFW. A turkey dinner will be served buffet style following an old CCC menu.

The Lumber Heritage Region documentary - *The Civilian Conservation Corps - A Peaceful Revolution* will be shown after dinner.

The cost of the events will be:

- \$15 per person for the bus tour and a box lunch from Subway
- \$15 per person for the Turkey Dinner and Video
- \$25 per person for both the bus tour and the dinner - Save \$5!
- Guests are invited to attend
- Extra RSVP's available at the Chamber of Commerce Office and on the Historical Society Website - www.thelittlemuseum.org

The following events are available at **no charge** to both members and non-members:

- Feel free to join us at any of the sites on the tour at no charge. The charge is for the bus and lunch - schedule of events is on the Website.
- No Charge to view the CCC video to be shown after dinner at around 3:00 PM - donations appreciated

If you have any questions please call 814-486-0213.

Do to the two day nature of this event and the inclusion of out of town guests interested in the CCC program, and busses and space:

RSVP's AND Payment must be postmarked no later than October 8th to be accepted

No phone reservations possible.

NO EXCEPTIONS POSSIBLE!!

Please respond when you receive this invitation as the event is expected to fill up quickly and we want to make sure you are included.