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Dear Member(s),

It is time to renew your annual membership with the Fort LeBoeuf Historical Society for 2016. Memberships run from January 1st to December 31st each year. We are trying to fill in some missing pieces of information in our member's profiles. Please fill out the enclosed form and send it back with your payment so we can better serve you. You can help us save postage by electing to have your newsletter emailed to you. Simply indicate your preference on the form and provide a current email address.

We have some very exciting and interesting events coming up this year. We have the Fireside Chats at the Judson House (free to members) once a month, we will be demonstrating lost skills & arts during the Summer and Fall at the Judson House, hosting Waterford Days in July, Historical Haunted Walks as part of the Fort LeBOO Fest in October and Colonial Christmas in December. In 2015, we reintroduced the Holiday House Tours around town and are hoping to make them an annual tradition. Make sure you check out the website for more details.

Of course, we can always use more help. If there is something that interests you or you are looking for something to do, please reach out to any committee chairman or board member. We are looking for tour guides for the Judson House, the Eagle Hotel and the museum. We are also looking for historical walk tour guides, including the haunted walk in October as well as actors for the haunted walk. There are many jobs that need filled for Waterford Days and Colonial Christmas as well.

We have a wealth of knowledge and records in the Judson House that we plan on scanning and putting into digital format not only for preservation purposes, but for ease of research. We are always looking for old pictures of the area and residents that we can scan. If you have old pictures that you can share with us, please let us know. If you have first-hand knowledge of local events and wouldn't mind sitting with us for a spell so we can interview you, we hope to preserve these memories for future generations. Maybe you would even like to regale us with your interesting story during one of our Fireside Chats! Just let us know!

Membership Chairman
Fort LeBoeuf Historical Society