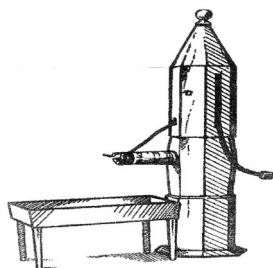




# Maytown Historical Society



## September Fundraiser Bus Trip



the Cairnwood Gardens, and the Bryn Athyn Cathedral. Lunch will be an Italian Feast buffet at Maggio's in Southampton.

The cost is \$135 for the day that includes an Elite coach, all tour admissions, lunch buffet, and the bus driver's tip.

Bus leaves Maytown's Fuhrman Park at 8:00am and returns at 6:00pm on Wednesday, September 11, 2024.

Call Janie Garber at 717-426-3689 or email at [jgarber416@gmail.com](mailto:jgarber416@gmail.com) for tickets. Last day to purchase tickets will be August 31, 2024. Reserve your seat today!

### MHS MUSEUM

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Looking for an interesting day trip? Why not join the Maytown Historical Society's latest excursion! MHS is sponsoring a bus trip to Cairnwood Estate which is located 16 miles outside of Philadelphia on the Bryn Athyn College campus.

Cairnwood Estate was built in 1895 by John Pitcairn, who was a cofounder of Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company. The es-

tate was designed by Carrere and Hastings in the Beaux arts style. The meticulous decorative elements blend influences from classical Greek and Roman architecture with French Renaissance ideas. The home has been restored to its original 1895 appearance.

This bus trip will not only include the Cairnwood Estate, but also tours of the Glencairn Museum,

## Museum Repairs



Sload Brothers worked their magic! They removed rotted boards on the east side of the museum and replaced them. When they were all finished, it looked completely restored.

The west side of the museum needs some attention but that will be done at another time.



### Dates to Remember:

- August 22—Annual Picnic
- September 11—Bus trip to Cairnwood Estates
- October 17—Society Meeting
- November 22—Extra-Give
- December 12—Christmas Party

# MHS Annual Picnic

Need a family friendly activity? Please join us for food, fun and fellowship!!!  
The date is **Thursday, August 22, 2024.**

What time: 6:00pm

Where: Museum – 4 West High Street, Maytown

What to Bring: Lawn chair, side dish or dessert to share

Provided: Place settings, hot dogs, hamburgers, condiments,  
and water

Games for all ages.....ALL are welcome!



## Financial Audit

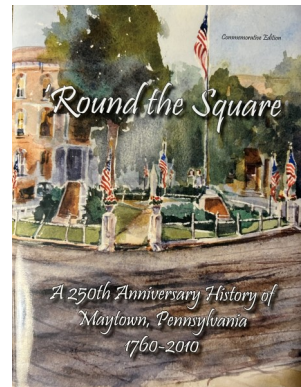
The financial audit has been completed by White, Rudy and Company. The books are in good order.

Monetary donations are needed to help maintain the museum and gardens. Checks can be made payable to MHS and sent to PO Box 293, Maytown, PA 17550. MHS is a charitable organization.

## “Round the Square”

A shipment of the book “Round the Square” has been received. They are on sale at the museum for \$60 plus sales tax. A great book that records the history of Maytown.

If you are interested in obtaining a copy, call the museum at 717-426-1526 and someone will be in contact with you. Limited copies are available.



## \*\*Adam Greer\*\*

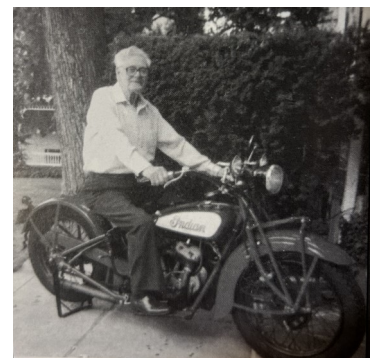
One of Maytown’s most affable citizens in the second half of the 20th Century was Adam Greer who lived in the beautiful stone house on the northeast corner of the square with his wife, Frances and son, David. Ad owned a jewelry store in Mount Joy and had formerly worked at Hamilton Watch in Lancaster as a young man. Were you to

meet him on the street or back alley, tending his wonderful yard, you’d have to eventually pry yourself away from him — the guy so loved to talk.

And one of the things that Ad most loved to talk about was his motorcycle travels —and particularly his career, as a young dare-devil, in making a large, spherical “motordrome,” and charging admission for

people to watch him ride about inside of the thing—without maiming or killing himself! He did neither, and lived beyond his 90th birthday, which was celebrated with a memorable open house.

(Article from the book “Round the Square”.)



Adam Greer—1911-2006