

Places to Go, Things to Do

North Carolina Museum of History, Raleigh
Preserving Your Family Photos
Saturday, April 12
10:00 A.M.–11:00 A.M.
Ages 16–adult
Register by April 4. Call (919) 733-3952.
Stephen E. Massengill, Special Collections Branch,
North Carolina State Archives

This workshop, cosponsored by the State Archives, covers the basics of preservation and storage, including how to identify various types of historical photographs.

USS North Carolina Battleship Memorial, Wilmington
Battleship Alive
Saturday, April 26
8:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M.
Included in regular admission.

World War II living history interpreters bring the ship back to life. Watch men going about their daily duties and drills. For more information, call (910) 251-5797.

North Carolina Museum of History, Raleigh
Crafted from Wood
Saturday, May 3
1:00 P.M.–4:00 P.M.
Mack Headley, Master Cabinetmaker, Colonial Williamsburg

Headley will demonstrate 1700s woodworking techniques and discuss southern furniture construction during that period.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

The *Adviser Supplement* for the spring 2003 issue of *Tar Heel Junior Historian* is going on-line. Advisers will not be mailed a supplement with their magazines. To access the field trip sites, project ideas, and resources recommended by fellow THJHA advisers, go to the THJHA Web page at <http://ncmuseumofhistory.org>. Available after March 17.

2003 Summer Teacher Institute: First Flight in North Carolina

July 14–18, 2003

North Carolina Museum of History, Raleigh

December 17, 2003, marks the centennial of powered flight, and North Carolina played a pivotal role in the first flight. Learn about the Tar Heel State's rich aviation history and prepare your classroom for the centennial celebration! This weeklong program will feature speakers, field trips, and performances, as well as an overnight field trip to the Outer Banks. The fee includes lunch each day, a resource notebook, and field trip transportation.

- Registration fee: \$75
- Registration deadline: July 1, 2003
- Best for: Fourth- and eighth-grade social studies and science teachers

Questions? Contact Deanna Kerrigan at (919) 715-0200, extension 304, or at deanna.kerrigan@ncmail.net.



Adviser Newsletter

North Carolina Museum of History, Raleigh, (919) 715-0200, ext. 319

March 2003

THJHA Congratulates the Fiftieth Anniversary Essay Contest Winners!

THJHA thanks everyone who participated in the Fiftieth Anniversary Essay Contest this past fall. The number of entries exceeded our expectations. There were sixty-three essays submitted in the Elementary Division (grades 4–5), fifty-four essays in the Middle School Division (grades 6–8), and eleven essays in the High School Division (grades 9–12).

THJHA is proud to announce the following winners. Their winning essays will be reprinted in the spring 2003 issue of *Tar Heel Junior Historian*. These students will also be recognized at the Fiftieth Anniversary Ceremony during the 2003 Annual Convention.

Elementary Division

Sean Bullock
South Topsail Junior Historians
South Topsail Elementary School
Hampstead
Stacy Smith, adviser

Nickolas Powers
South Topsail Junior Historians
South Topsail Elementary School
Hampstead
Stacy Smith, adviser

Middle School Division

Amber Heckart
Dixon Historians
Dixon Middle School
Holly Ridge
Phyllis Williams, adviser

Erin Murphy
River Road Voyagers
River Road Middle School
Elizabeth City
Rebecca Kirtley, adviser

High School Division

Clay Gibbons
North Moore Historians
North Moore High School
Robbins
Vince Greene, adviser

Drew Johnson
Isaiah 40 Explorers
Isaiah 40 Homeschool Group
Cary
Rhonda Olson, adviser

The THJHA *Adviser Newsletter* is published periodically during the school year by the Education Section of the North Carolina Museum of History. It is sent to all THJHA advisers.



The Museum's Home Page:
<http://ncmuseumofhistory.org>
THJHA E-mail Address:
thjhaclubs@ncmail.net

THJHA Annual Convention 2003

Fifty Years in the Making

North Carolina Museum of History, Raleigh

April 25, 2003

Registration and Cost

If your club is attending the Annual Convention, you must complete the Registration Form and return it to the THJHA office. **Friday, April 11, is the deadline** for registration forms. You may fax your last-minute registrations to (919) 733-8655. Registration confirmations will be sent the following **Monday, April 14**, so it is important that you preregister on time. If you have faxed your Registration Form, payments for lunch may be mailed, as long as they arrive at the THJHA office before Friday, April 25.

Registration on April 25 will begin at 8:15 A.M. in the lobby of the North Carolina Museum of History. You must check in at the registration desk on April 25 to receive important Annual Convention information.

The THJHA Annual Convention is, as always, FREE! However, you may purchase a catered barbecue lunch. The lunch menu includes barbecued pork, fried chicken, potato salad, cole slaw, hush puppies, carrot cake, and lemon meringue pie. The cost of the lunch is seven dollars per person. All lunch fees should be paid in advance and submitted with your completed Registration Form.

Please send checks made payable to **Tar Heel Junior Historian Association**. Refunds cannot be given after the April 11 deadline has passed.

Schedule

8:15-9:00 A.M.	Club Registration Art Project Registration
9:00-10:15 A.M.	Fiftieth Anniversary Ceremony and Awards
10:30 A.M.-NOON	Workshops and Activities
NOON-12:30 P.M. 12:30-1:00 P.M.	Lunch Period I Lunch Period II
1:00-1:50 P.M.	Workshops and Activities
2:00-4:15 P.M.	Awards Ceremony

The Roll Call of Clubs and presentation of items for the Time Capsule will take place during the Fiftieth Anniversary Ceremony in the morning.

The theme of the Annual Convention is "A Visit to 1953." Workshops and activities will focus on the decade in which THJHA was founded and give convention attendees a chance to learn what life was like for the first Tar Heel Junior Historians.

The luncheon has been broken down into two periods to facilitate movement through the catering line. Every club will have thirty minutes of free time during the lunch hour to view the exhibits not featured in the workshops and to visit the Museum Shop.

Inside this newsletter is all the information you need to attend the 2003 THJHA Annual Convention. Please keep this information handy. Register by April 11!

Art Contest

All entries in the Art Contest must be set up in the Demonstration Gallery on the first floor of the North Carolina Museum of History by 9:00 A.M. Judging will begin promptly at 9:00 A.M., and no one will be allowed into the judging area after this time. **There are no exceptions to this deadline.** Because space is tight in the judging area, we suggest that advisers assign one or two students to set up art projects.

All art projects should have been pre-registered by the February 28 contest deadline. No art projects will be accepted on April 25 without the proper documentation (i.e., Art Contest Entry Forms with proper signatures).

All THJHA projects should be picked up in the Demonstration Gallery at the conclusion of the Awards Ceremony, **with the exception of the projects that will be exhibited in the year 2003 (all of the award winners).** Clubs that had projects on display in the THJHA gallery in 2002 will also be able to pick up their projects at this time.

Diving Directions

Directions to the North Carolina Museum of History can be found on the museum's Web site at <http://ncmuseumofhistory.org>. If using another Internet map service, such as mapquest.com, use the address:

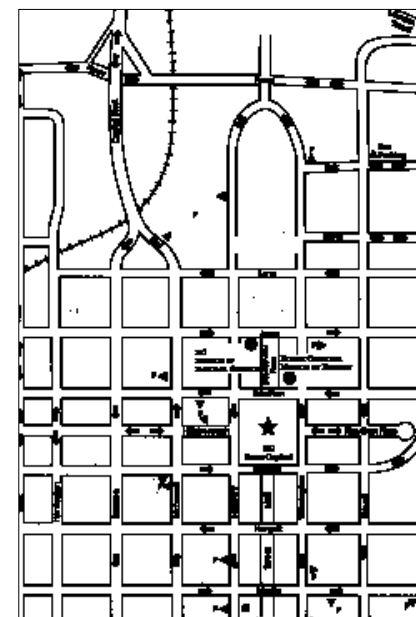
5 East Edenton Street
Raleigh, NC 27601

ARE YOU RECEIVING THE BIMONTHLY E-MAILS FROM THJHA? TO GET THE MOST UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION AVAILABLE, REGISTER YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS WITH THJHA. CONTACT REBECCA LEWIS AT THJHACLUBS@NCMAIL.NET AND SUBSCRIBE TO THE LIST. STAY INFORMED!

Parking

Parking is available in downtown Raleigh at designated visitor parking lots at a cost of fifty cents per hour, or four dollars per day. These lots are located off of Jones and Edenton Streets (directly behind the North Carolina Museum of History); off Hillsborough and Edenton Streets between McDowell and Salisbury; off McDowell Street just past the intersection with Edenton; at the corner of Morgan and McDowell Streets; off Salisbury Street just past the intersection with Hargett Street; and off Wilmington Street just past the intersection with Martin Street. These lots are marked on the map below.

All school buses must park in the downtown bus parking lot that is located at the corner of Polk and Blount Streets (see map).



THJHA 2003 Annual Convention Registration Form

All clubs planning to attend the 2003 THJHA Annual Convention must complete and return this form by **Friday, April 11, 2003**. Include payment for lunch, if applicable. Make copies of this sheet as needed, and mail to:

**Tar Heel Junior Historian Association
2003 Annual Convention Registration
North Carolina Museum of History
4650 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699-4650**

Club Name _____

Adviser Name(s) _____

School Name _____

School Address/City/Zip _____

School Phone (____) _____ School Fax (____) _____

Adviser E-mail _____

Please indicate the *exact* number of members attending the convention, as well as the *exact* number of lunches needed. Remember to include payment for lunches.

Number of *students* attending _____

Number of *adults* attending _____

Total number (students + adults) _____

Number of *lunches* needed _____ @ \$7 each = \$ _____

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