

Grand Island Historical Society
Programs, Events and Open Houses
October 2015 - December 2015

Please join us for our monthly meetings, programs, speakers and refreshments while visiting historic River Lea Farmhouse, home of the Grand Island Historical Society, in Beaver Island State Park. All programs are free and open to the public.

Thursday, October 1, 2015 - 7:30 pm, general meeting and program. Bill Kae will be our guest speaker with a program on Crystal Beach. Bill is an author of several books on the topic and will have books available to purchase.

Sunday, October 18, 2015 - **OPEN HOUSE AT RIVER LEA 2:00-4:00 PM.** Costumed docents will greet you for a tour of the historical farmhouse.

Thursday, November 5, 2015 - 7:30 P.M. Our program will feature a distinguished and famous guest, **Franklin Delano Roosevelt**, as portrayed by actor Albert McFadyen, who will delight us with his stories, tales of his adventures, and perhaps some songs! **PLEASE NOTE: Our meeting location is changed for this event** and will be at **Historic Trinity Church at 2100 Whitehaven Rd.,** Grand Island, N.Y 14072

Sunday, November 8, 2015- **OPEN HOUSE AT RIVER LEA 2:00-4:00 PM.** Costumed docents will greet you for a tour of the historical farmhouse.

Holiday Luncheons--Nov. 30., Dec.1, Dec.4, Noon. **Reservations required.** Call Sue Hutt after Oct. 6th at 773-5313 for luncheon reservations. Our guest speaker, re-enactor Denise Reichard, will portray Clara Barton. Shop for handmade gifts in our Holiday Boutique.

Sunday, December 6, 2015- **CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE-1:00-4:00 PM.** Come and enjoy the decorations and sounds of the season in our historic farmhouse. Shop in our boutique of handmade country items, and enjoy some refreshments while listening to holiday music by a harpist. Costumed docents will be on hand to share information about the house.