



**Lemon Bay Historical Society
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APRIL 2017 NEWSLETTER

MEETING APRIL 25, 2017

Our speaker was born April 27, 1822 in POINT Pleasant, Ohio. He graduated from the United States Military Academy in 1843 and earned early promotion for bravery in Mexican War. At the outbreak of the Civil War, he received a commission as a Colonel in the Illinois militia. Leading troops to victory at Forts Henry and Donelson, Shiloh, Vicksburg and Chattanooga, he was promoted to Lieutenant General and commanded all U.S. forces until he accepted the surrender of General Robert E. Lee at Appomattox Courthouse, Virginia. Today he comes to share Leadership and Life Lessons from his military career.

SPRING FINE ARTS SHOW

The Rotary Club of Englewood Spring Fine Arts Show was very successful for the Society. Thank you, Rotarians, for letting us participate in this event. Tom Newton allowed us to sell the latest version of "Englewood: The First 100 Years, 2nd Edition." He has added additional pages to update the book from 1996 to 2016. Stop in the "The Review" office, 370 W. Dearborn St., Suite B to purchase your copy in paper or hard cover. The Show was the debut of our new tent. It's nice to have one with sides so we don't have to break down the exhibit at night. The Society could not function without our booth volunteers; Mary Brown, Emma Craig, Jean Finney, Cathy Hicks, Mary Kay Krantz, Janet Landis, Carol Leonard, Cathy Mrasak, Linda Schilike, Caryll Wheeler, and Nancy Wille. Don't want to forget the set-up and break-down crew, Charlie Hicks, Dwayne Karsten and the Garretts.



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DATES TO REMEMBER

Wednesday, April 26 at Cape Haze Pioneer Trail, 1688 Gasparilla Rd., Rotonda, FL 33946. A speaker will share the history of the McCall community prior to the unveiling of the marker. The time is 1:00pm.
May 2 at 4:30 pm Tour Historic Venice Train Depot. Directions – From US41/Venice Bypass heading North or South, turn onto E. Venice Ave. and head West. Keep right to stay on E. Venice Ave. and not go over the bridge. Turn right into the parking area.

INFORMATION PLEASE

If you have news, pictures or a story of “the old times” for the Newsletter, please send it to LBHS, Box 1245, Englewood, FL 34293-1245 or email to info@lemonbayhistory.com.