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## THE MAY MEETING



Our May meeting will be held Tuesday May 10, at the Upper Township Branch of the Cape May County Library. Refreshments are available at 7:00 pm and the public meeting starts at 7:30 pm. Visitors are always welcome!

**The speakers at our May meeting will be Betty Jean and John Yank owners of the Tuckahoe based Yank Boatworks. This Boatworks will be featured on the May 4th National Geographic Channel production 'The Yard'.**

Historically our locality has been tied closely to the rivers and bays; with fishing, clamping and transportation by water and with the industry of creating and maintaining the necessary ships.

As we know from last month's speaker the tall ship, the AJ Meerwald, was overhauled last winter at Yank Boatworks on the Tuckahoe River. However, many more types and varieties of ships have been built or repaired at the yard. This is an opportunity to learn more about the craft of ship building and of the machinery necessary to do the work.



**The**  
**STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL**  
**is May 21**

The Strawberry Festival is our very popular spring event. Carroll Bailey is this year's chairman.

Although it is an important fund raiser, it is one of the most important ways we give back to the town showcasing our history and the Gandy Farmstead which we have lovingly restored.

Please help us to make this year's festival successful. It may be a lot of work but it is **a great deal of fun!** We will need people to man the food line and the sales areas too.

And if you can, please make **strawberry bread** for us to sell. It is a great favorite of the crowd. The recipe follows:

**Strawberry Bread**

Makes 2 loaves:

2 (10 ounce) packages frozen strawberries  
thawed  
4 eggs  
1 ¼ cup salad oil  
3 cups flour  
2 cups sugar  
3 teaspoons cinnamon  
1 teaspoon baking soda  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 cup chopped nuts (optional)  
1 tbs. lemon juice

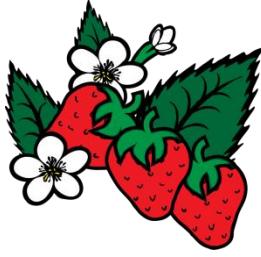
Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Grease and flour three 8x4 loaf pans. In a bowl combine strawberries, eggs and oil. In a separate bowl combine flour, sugar, cinnamon, baking soda, and nuts. Add strawberry mixture to dry ingredients and stir until blended. Pour batter into pans. Bake 1 hour or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. Keep the loaves in the pans, wrap them, and bring them to the Gandy Farmstead on the day of the Strawberry Festival.

We also need volunteers to make **biscuits** for the short cake. Just follow the recipe on the "Bisquick" package. It's very simple to do.

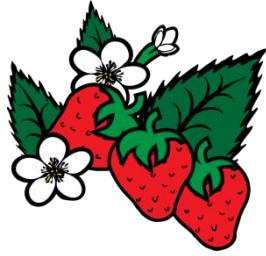
Carroll Bailey has loaf pans for the strawberry bread and 9 inch pans for the biscuits.

**Clean up** at the Gandy Farmstead is 10 am May 16.

**Contact Carroll Bailey, 609-628-2425, if you can help.**



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS



### May

- 3<sup>rd</sup> – Board of Trustees
- 10<sup>th</sup> – Speakers Betty Jean and John Yank  
Owners of **Yank Boatworks**
- 16<sup>th</sup> – **Clean Up at the Gandy Farmstead for the Strawberry Festival 10 AM**
- 21<sup>st</sup> – **STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL**

### June

- 7th – Board of Trustees
- 14<sup>th</sup> – General Meeting

### July & August

- 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the Month – Board of Trustees
- **No general meetings in the summer!**

### September

- 6<sup>th</sup> – Board of Trustees
- 13<sup>th</sup> – general meeting

### October

- 4th – Board of Trustees
- 11<sup>th</sup> – General meeting
- 22<sup>nd</sup> – **APPLEFEST**

### November

- 1<sup>st</sup> Board of Trustees
- 8<sup>th</sup> – General Meeting

### December

- 6<sup>th</sup> – Board of Trustees
- 13<sup>th</sup> – **HOLIDAY DINNER**

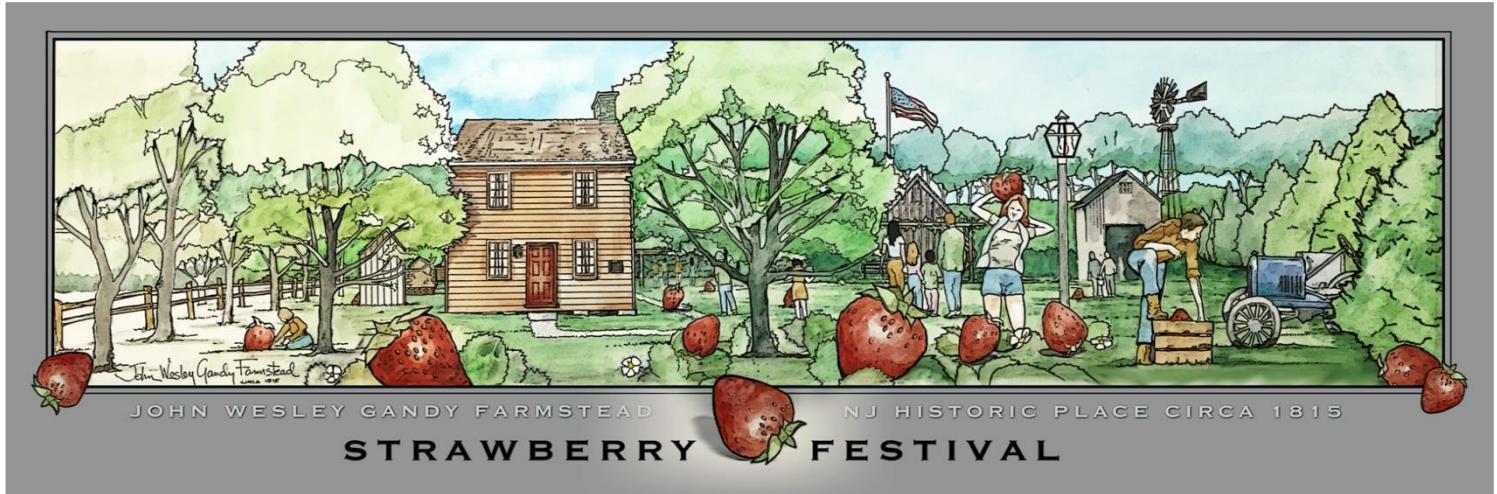
### ALICE CARNRITE TEAL

When an organization such as the Historical Preservation Society has been serving the Township for more than one generation, sadly some very active and important members pass on who were never known to many of the present members.

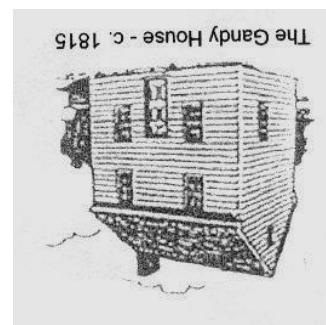
Such a person was Alice Teal. She was one of our early members, and also a member of the board of trustees of the Head of the River Church. A descendent of Pilgrim John Howland and editor of the "Mayflower Quarterly" Alice was an active member of many, many historical organizations.

Type in her name on your computer and will find a great deal of information about this unusual woman whom we were lucky to have as a member when this organization was just beginning.

# COMING SOON



## The **STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL**



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