



PO Box 264
Harpersfield, NY 13786

September 2024

Dear Members and Friends:

As you may know, building a healthy endowment is critical for the long-term health of any non-profit organization, including the Harpersfield Historical Society.

We are requesting your help in the continued growth of our endowment fund. In these days of shrinking financial support from other sectors, we are counting on the generosity of our members and friends to take up the challenge and provide HHS with a solid foundation on which to build for the future. HHS has been matching your donations from our investment interest. What this means, every dollar donated will be doubled. Last year, we were able to match all of your contributions.

All monies raised will be deposited into an endowment account. No donation is too small, and of course, no donation can ever be too Large!

Thank you for being so supportive

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2024 ENDOWMENT APPEAL REPLY FORM

Please complete this form and return it to HHS, PO Box 264; Harpersfield, NY 13786 with your donation.

Name _____ Phone _____

Mailing Address _____

E-Mail Address _____

Enclosed please find my donation of \$ _____ to be used for the Endowment Fund. Please check if you wish to receive a formal thank you note to be used as a receipt for tax purposes. _____

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The year 2024 was another excellent year for the HHS

Last year's endowment drive was exceptional due to the kindness of all who donated. We hope this year's drive will be as fruitful.

Our normal public hours between Memorial Day and Labor Day are on Saturdays between the hours of 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. We will continue to have the museum open upon request.

We seek your assistance

We have come to a point where there is a dire need for working members and people interested in becoming volunteers. Anyone interested and has the time, please get in touch with the Historical Society. We are looking for people who are willing and available to help in the following areas: Legal and Financial advice; Greeters, meeting the people when we are open; Researchers in our ever-expanding database to write articles in periodicals and local newspapers. People to work in our outreach program, bringing our museum programs to schools and community organizations. People who wish to be trained in the operation of a museum. Students looking to complete school projects regarding local history. Volunteers interested in setting up programs such as guest speakers on historical subjects.

Call for any information regarding work in any of the areas listed above:

President Thomas Kendall 607 214 6468 or
Secretary L. Chris Santomassino 607 214 6316

Sincerely,

Thomas Kendall, President