

# Amite County Historical and Genealogical Society

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Without a past, there is no future

## Welcome to the 32nd issue of the ACHGS newsletter —

Please let this editor know your thoughts and suggestions on this newsletter (see e-mail and mail addresses elsewhere in this issue.)

Please notify this editor by the best means if you wish to change the manner (e-mail or regular mail) in which you receive this newsletter.

Thank you.

**Next meeting:** The next meeting will be a regular monthly meeting at 10:00 am on January 10, 2009, at the meeting room of the Liberty Library.

#### **Future Meeting Schedule**

**January 10, 2009**, 10:00 am — Regular monthly meeting in the conference room of the library in Liberty, MS.

**February 14, 2008**, 10:00 am — Regular monthly meeting in the conference room of the library in Liberty, MS.

March 14, 2008, 10:00 am — Quarterly society meeting with program and activities to be announced.

**April 11, 2008**, 10:00 am — Regular monthly meeting in the conference room of the library in Liberty, MS.

April 30, 2009 — The ACHGS "Day" celebrating the Bicentennial. Activities will be taking place in both the library meeting room and the Little Red Schoolhouse as well as on the "green" near the LRSH. Exact activities and times will be announced.

#### **ACHGS Open House**

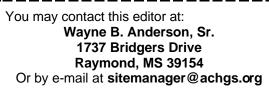
At the Felder-Richmond house December 6, 2008

(Pictures courtesy of Greg Barron and Wanda Miley)





















### ACHGS Bicentennial Committees

Little Red Schoolhouse – Vera Prestridge

Genealogy Research – Nelson Dawson and Eva Frances Phares

History of County – Kenneth Gordon and Glen Huff

Cemeteries – Bobby Haygood and Mary Pallon

Artifacts (Upstairs in LRSH) – Greg Barron and Dot Whittington

Military & War Between the States – Dan Morgan & Joey Wall

Tours of Homes & Landmarks – James Allen Causey (provide maps/directions)

Hospitality/merchandise sales) – Linda Honea Lea

ACHGS Membership – Jeannine Dixon

Special Events (incl. food/drink) – Gay Blalock

Entertainment – Wayne Anderson

#### **ACHGS Standing Committees and Chairpersons**

Jeannine Dixon — Nominating Committee
Vera Prestridge — Little Red Schoolhouse
Dot Whittington — Archives (at the LRSH)
Kenneth Gordon — Amite County History
Nelson Dawson — Amite County Family History
Bobby Haygood — Amite County Cemeteries
Linda Honea Lea — Hospitality
Gay Blalock — Special Events and Food
Robert Stratton — Special Events Publicity
Greg Barron — Programs and Publicity
James Allen Causey — Tours and Amite County Landmarks

Anyone interested in helping with should contact the committee chairman or contact President Oma Gordon to be referred to the committee chairman.

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E-mail address:			
Thank you for joining the Amite County Historical and Genealogical Society. Your contribution helps us continue to collect and preserve historic treasures from Amite County's past, as well as to promote family history. Membership also provides an opportunity to attend programs and participate in special events.			
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