

Pete Hoffman, 1950 - 2022 and Steve Berry, 1948 - 2022



Pete Hoffmann



Steve Berry

It is with equal parts sadness and joy that we honor two of Holiday in Homer's most tireless and friendly workers. Rarely would a year go by that you would not come across one or both of them "holding Court" at the Gazebo on event day shaking hands, offering helpful direction, and just plain gabbing with nearly everyone that passed by. It is also fitting that we often met up with them on the Church Green as it was the halfway point between their respective homes on our historic Main Street.

Steve was born in Missouri but saw his family move to Homer during his youth and graduated from Homer High School in 1966. Steve served in the United States Army from 1967 until 1970 and settling back in Homer with his wife Bev, began their family. Steve and Bev raised two daughter, Lisa and Laurie and ran a successful business for an owner operator trucking business. He was proud of his 42 years as a "Safe Driver" however, those of us who saw him drive the golf cart on the Church Green while eating a donut would question that claim!!!

Raised in Homer, Pete was also a member of the Homer High class of 1966. Pete attended SUNY Morrisville and then moved on to SUNY Albany where he earned his BS and MS Degrees. Teaching stints in Scotia, Cortland, and Marcellus were followed by some time spent in Pittsburg, PA as a state rep for the Pennsylvania Federation of Teachers. Pete finished his career back here in New York as the Chief Court Clerk for Tioga County. Pete was known for his wit and unique sense of humor and is fondly remembered by those who knew and loved him.

While their ability to socialize seemed endless, both Steve and Pete were active behind the scenes as well. Painting lines on the spaces or setting out extension cords they were both always willing to lend a hand to whatever job needed to be done. Pete was also there supporting his wife Doris as she chaired the event for several years. It is a time consuming job and one which requires a supportive and energetic spouse, and one that Pete was very proud of. Holiday in better for the contributions of these two men and it is our pleasure to honor them today.

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Sunday Worship:
9:30am (Summer)
10:30am (School Year)

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 7:30am-10am** - Breakfast, Methodist Church
 - 9am-4pm** - SHOPPING - Enjoy 75+ Vendors
 - 10am-12pm** - WHXC Radio - LIVE Broadcast
 - 10am-4pm** - Dan the Snakeman
 - 10 am-4pm** - Quilt Show - Homer Congregational Church
 - 10am-4pm** - Homer Elks Food Tent
 - 10am-4pm** - Raffles & Drawings
- front of Homer Congregational Church
 - 10:30-Sellout** - Fried Dough
 - 11am-Sellout** - Pulled Pork Sandwiches / Strawberry Shortcake & Ice Cream
- front of Homer Congregational Church
 - 11am-3pm** - Horse Drawn Wagon Rides
 - 11am & 1pm** - Checkers the Inventor
Sponsored by the Homer Village Recreation Dept. & Homer Congregational Church
 - 11am-3pm** - Dunk a Cop - Homer Police Dept.
 - 11-Sellout** - Homer Elks Chicken BBQ
 - 11:30am** - Introduction of Scholarship Winners
Homer Nursery School Alumni gather at Bandstand for photos
 - 12pm-4pm** - Doc Weismmore with Real Country
- play on the Bandstand
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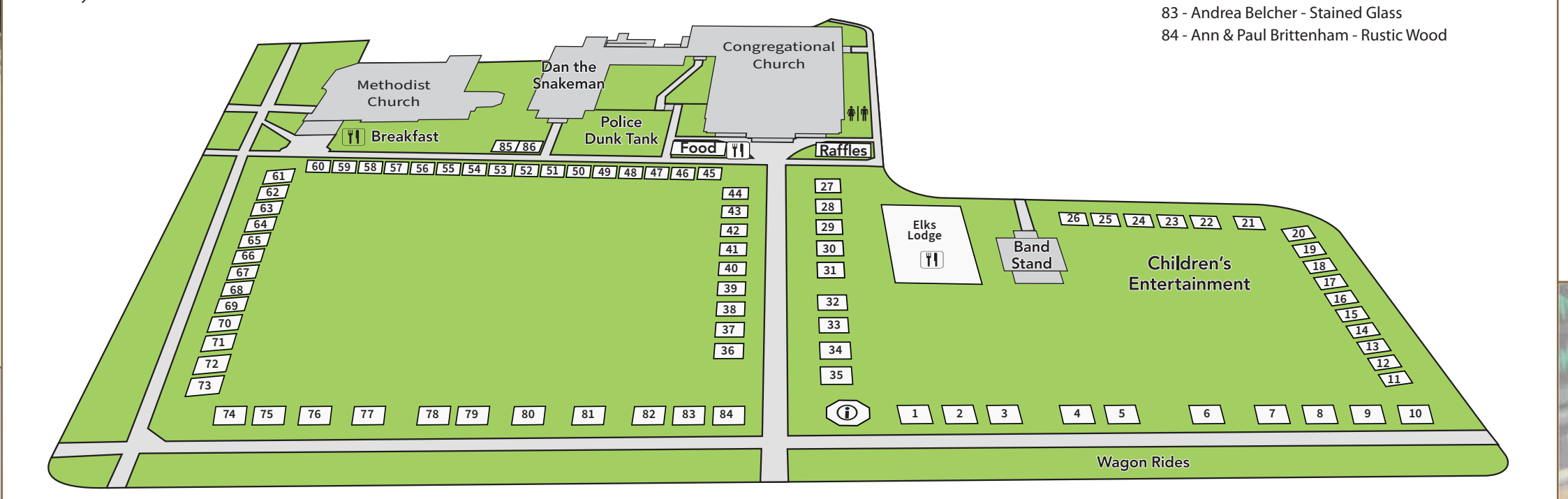
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| 1 - Avery Casterline Stables - Face Painting | 22 - Terry Bloom - Folk Art | 41 - Cayuga St Cookies - Cookies/Jams | 62 - Charlotte & Megan Altman - Wool/Candles/Jellies |
| 2 - Homer Eastern Star - Baked Goods | 23 - Don and Stacey Sulger - Wood Art | 42 - Daisy Hollow Farms - Soaps | 63 - Faithful Friends - Dog and Cat Treats |
| 3 - Rachel Carter - Wood Décor | 24/25 - Kaitlyn Rude/Madison Knout - Skin Care/Crafts | 43 - Jennifer Rainbow - Dog Treats | 64 - Christine Norton Rockwell - Painted Décor |
| 4/5 - Cindy Hart - Sew/Embroidered | 26 - Alfreda Kwakye-Talbot - Jewelry | 44 - Bob Atanasio - Sand Art | 65/66 - Junes Jems - Jewelry |
| 6 - Susan Redman - Home Decor | 27 - NYS OPWDD - Information | 47 - See The Glow - Candles | 67 - Dorene Heffernan - Doll Clothes |
| 7 - Corey LaSalle/ Sydney Dawson Bird Houses | 28 - Cortland County Historical - Information | 48 - Debbie Currie - Shadow Boxes | 68 - Earth and Air Wellness - Beauty Care |
| 8 - Rose Illles - Jewelry | 29 - Tammy Waloven - Upcycle Clothing | 49/50 - Evelyn Sprague - Fabric Items | 69 - Lago Jewelers - Jewelry |
| 9 - Betsy Sodon - Bags/ Tabble runners | 30 - Hospice of Cortland - Information | 51 - Christy Brenner - Jewelry | 70 - Julia Maslin - Macrame' |
| 10 - Carla Calandra - Jewelry /Crochet | 31 - Lori Finger - Greeting cards | 52/53 - Carol Netti - Sewing/Fabric Items | 71 - Heavenly Home Inspirations - Candles |
| 11 - Marjorie McCory - Soaps | 32/33 - Coffee Mania - Coffee/Drinks | 54 - Anita Conroy - Pens/Key Chains | 72/73 - Vicki/Larry Koch - Pies/Jams |
| 12 - Angie Farwell - Floral | 34 - Ashe Martin/ Carly Dougherty - Fermented Food | 55/56 - Alice Jump/Carolyn Vogue - Quilts | 74/75 - Ernest Goodrich - Home Décor |
| 13 - Joanne Madigan - Quilting & Sewing | 35 - Sinfully Sweet - Fudge/Sweets | 57 - David Geer - Oil Painting | 76 - Connie Shelby - Gnomes/Snowmen |
| 14 - Charity McLorn - Fabric Items | 36 - Judy Swayze - Jewelry | 58 - John Mann - Framed Nature | 77 - Susan Dellow - Maple Products |
| 15 - Cheryl Searls - Embroidery/clothing | 37 - Michelle Handy - Totes/Bags | 59 - Cathy Jackson - Vintage Jewelry | 78 - Diane Breeds - Knit/Crochet |
| 16/17 - Stephanie Marquette - Jewelry | 38 - The Silver Zoo - Jewelry | 60 - Kathy Burns - Floral | 79 - Paula Michelson - Books/Plush |
| 18 - Terri Piombo - Home Decor | 39 - Kathy McKenna/Kelly McKenna - Gourds/Pottery | 61 - Rebecca Austin - Metal Art | 80 - Cathleen Wingenbach - Fabrics/Wooden |
| 19/20 - Kim Wooden - Fabric Items | 40 - LuLu Kettlecorn - Kettlecorn | | 81 - Anna Young - Crochet |
| 21 - Mary LaVine - Crochet Items | | | 82 - Katie Maslin - Aromatherapy |
| | | | 83 - Andrea Belcher - Stained Glass |
| | | | 84 - Ann & Paul Brittenham - Rustic Wood |



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