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Author and Richmond Hill Historical Society member, Jack Rogers is introducing his new book, *Salzburg Pirate*, Thursday, November 3rd at 7:00 PM at the Museum. There will be a book signing reception after his presentation. *Salzburg Pirate* is on sale now at the Museum. Also, Al Williams will give a brief talk about the church that Henry Ford built.

The City of Richmond Hill has given the Richmond Hill Historical Society \$9,500 for operating expenses for 2012. Please remember to thank our Mayor and council representatives for their continued support of our Museum when you see them about town. We are so grateful that they recognize the part our organization plays in our community.

We have begun our Historical Society 2012 Membership Drive by offering a special...anyone who joins from October 1st through December 31st will become a paid-up member through 2012! Be sure to tell your friends and the owners of area businesses you frequent that now's the time to become a member of the Richmond Hill Historical Society!



Our Museum building exterior is in need of repair and painting and we are actively seeking funding for this project. The Over the Hill Gang donated \$250 in memory of Ron Stover, the proceeds from the trolley tour of Ford Plantation are being deposited to this fund and several members have donated preparation time and money so that we may complete this work in 2012.

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

Thursday, November 3rd
7:00PM

@the Museum

Jack Rogers will present his novel, *The Salzburg Pirate*
Al Williams talks about Henry Ford and the church he built

Sunday, December 4th
1:00-5:00 PM

The Museum is participating in the Richmond Hill Tour of Homes. Call for tickets.

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The Richmond Hill Historical Society Museum is open to the public on Monday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Additional hours will be added as volunteers commit to greeting visitors to the Museum at specific times. Also, Frank Grimm could use help with all the special projects and cleaning he does. If you are able to volunteer time during the months of November and/or December, please call the Museum at 756-3697 for available times.

The Richmond Hill Historical Society will participate in Super Museum Sunday on Sunday, February 5th. On this day, Museums in communities all over Georgia will open their doors to the public free of charge in hopes of interesting more citizens in the value that Museums and historical societies give to their communities. We hope you will invite your friends to our Museum and interest them in the history of our area of Georgia. Also, if you are able to help “spiff-up” the Museum for this event, look for a “dusting party” invitation in an upcoming newsletter!



Elections for Board of Director positions will begin in November. There are vacancies for Vice President or Treasurer as well as two general board positions. We will be sending out a list of who has been slated to run for those positions in a separate e-mail. If you are interested in filling a vacancy, call the Museum at 756-3697.

The December meeting will be on Thursday, December 8th (note that it is not on the first Thursday). We will have a holiday cocktail party and the investiture of the board members and officers at this time. Please plan to come.