



THIRTEENTH ANNUAL WESTERN HISTORY SYMPOSIUM

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The 13th Annual Western History Symposium features interesting and informative presentations by historians educators and authors on a variety of subjects relevant to our western heritage. Admission to the presentations is FREE, open to the public, and reservations are not necessary.

DINNER

Attendees are invited to participate in the Corral's monthly dinner prior to the evening talk. Social hour begins at 5:15, with dinner served about 6 p.m. Dinner cost is \$24 per person and reservations are required. Mail reservation and payment by July 29 to:

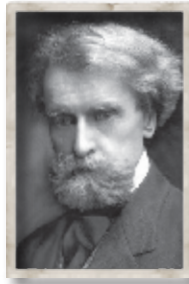
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A highlight of the evening will be the presentation of the Sharlot Hall Award, an annual recognition of a living Arizona woman who has made valuable contributions to the understanding and awareness of Arizona and its history. Recipient of this Award for the year 2015 is Winifred "Winn" Bundy of Benson, Arizona. For more information about her recognition, go to sharlot.org/sharlothallaward

For additional information about the Western History Symposium, contact the coordinator Fred Veil by phone at 928-445-3122 x12 or email: fredv@sharlot.org.



PRESCOTT CENTENNIAL CENTER
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9:30 A.M.

The Far-Reaching Legacy of William Andrew Clark

– Sheila Roe

One of the Copper Barons of Montana, Clark expanded his mining interests to Arizona and left his mark on his namesake community of Clarkdale, as well as other parts of the Southwest.



10:30 A.M. Pursuing the Black-on-Gray: West-Central Arizona's Ancient People

– Dr. Sandra Lynch

Their story rests in what the land preserves: pottery sherds, chipped stone, pithouse depressions, crumbling walls, and human graves that clearly speak: "They were here before us."



1:00 P.M.

Annie Neal: Black Cherokee, International Hostess, and One Tough Lady

– Dr. Barbara Marriott*

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Annie Box Neal's secluded grand resort in Oracle, AZ, was recognized as the "epitome of western opulence" in its day, and received distinguished guests from around the world.



2:00 P.M.

Play Ball! The History of Baseball in Arizona Territory

– John Tenney

The story of the national game as it was played by soldiers, miners, farmers, ranch hands and other settlers of the Arizona Territory from 1863 to 1912.



3:00 P.M.

Arizona and the Medal of Honor – from the Indian Wars to Vietnam

– Fred Veil

More than 160 men with connections to Arizona have been honored with our nation's highest award for valor. This presentation tells their story.



7:15 P.M.

Honky Tonks, Brothels, and Mining Camps: Entertainment in Old Arizona

– Dr. Jay Cravath*

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Miners who struck it rich in territorial Arizona had the means to enjoy and support the performing arts – from ragtime and minstrels to orchestras and opera – in mining towns on the frontier.

