

Our Speakers

Phillip Brown is a Wisconsin Rapids historian and current president of the South Wood County Historical Corporation. He also is a co-owner of Glacial Lakes Cranberries in the Town of Cranmoor. An active promoter of both Wisconsin Rapids' past and future, he was named the Citizen of the year by the Wisconsin Rapids Chamber of Commerce in 2014.

Marshall Buehler is retired from Great Northern Nekoosa Corporation, where he was a member of the sales department. He has a life-long love of history. Marshall is the current vice-president of the South Wood County Historical Corporation and director of the Alexander House, the center of art and history in Port Edwards.

John Berg, a native of the Wisconsin Rapids area, received his Master of Science degree in history from the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point. Majoring in United States and Canadian history with an emphasis on the colonial fur trade frontier. John's interests include Wisconsin lumber and railroad industries, and labor history.

Katie L Weichelt, Ph.D. is a geography professor at the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire. She completed her graduate degree program in Geography and Atmospheric Science in 2016. Her dissertation was titled, "*A Historical Geography of the Paper Industry in the Wisconsin River Valley.*"

For additional information call

608-493-4131

Lodging Hotel Mead
451 East Grand Avenue
Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494



<http://www.hotelmead.com/>

Rooms are:

King ~\$82.00/night plus tax

Double Queen ~ \$82.00/night plus tax

To make your reservation:
call the hotel directly at
1-800-843-6323

Mention the ***FHAW Block***
for these special rates.

Rooms blocked only until September 5, 2018.

Other area Hotels/Motel
(no blocked rooms)

Motel 6

911 Huntington Avenue, Wisconsin Rapids
Room Rates ~ \$36-40/night plus tax
(715) 423-3211

The Fern Hotel (changing name Econo Lodge)
3120 8th St S, Wisconsin Rapids
Room Rates ~ \$36-40/night plus tax
(715) 423-5506

Americas Best Value Inn (715) 423-8080
Americinn of Wisconsin Rapids (715) 424-3444
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Forest History

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43rd Annual Meeting

Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin

October 4 - 6, 2018

**Public Invited—New Members
Welcome—Great for Everyone**

FHAW 43rd Annual Meeting— Schedule at a Glance
Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin

Thursday October 4th, 2018

FHAW Board Meeting at 1 pm and Dinner at 5 pm
(Alexander House Center for Art and History, 1131 Wisconsin River Drive, Port Edwards)

Friday October 5th, 2018 (from 8 am to 5 pm) Includes Lunch

Bus tour featuring historic sites, museums, mills and living History
(Bus leaves at 8 am from back parking lot of Hotel Mead, 451 E. Grand Avenue, Wisconsin Rapids)

Visits and tour will include:

- Wisconsin River Papermaking Museum
- Point Basse Living History Village
- Golden Eagle Log Homes - Mill and Models
- Alexander House - Art and History Center
- South Wood County Historical Museum

Friday October 5th, 2018 (from 5 pm to 8 pm)

Awards Banquet and Artifacts Auction
(At Hotel Mead, 451 E. Grand Avenue, Wisconsin Rapids)

Saturday October 6th, 2018 (from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm)

Annual Membership Meeting(8:30 am) and Speakers Program (9 am)
(At McMillan Memorial Library, 490 E. Grand Avenue, Wisconsin Rapids)

Topics presented will include:

- Cranberry History of the Wisconsin Rapids Area
- What's Under the Waters of the Wisconsin River
- Transitions from Fur Trade to Lumber
- How the Paper Industry Shaped the Cultural Landscape of the Wisconsin River Valley

**FHAW 43rd Annual Meeting
Registration Form**

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone () _____

E-mail _____

Conference Registration \$20/person \$ _____

Thursday Evening "Alexander House"
Chinese Dinner with Soda & Water
\$20/person \$ _____

Friday, Visits, Tours, Transportation
and Noon Lunch \$30/person \$ _____

Friday Evening "Hotel Mead"
Awards Banquet and Artifact Auction
\$25/person \$ _____

Saturday, Breakfast and Break items
provided—Membership Meeting
and Speakers Program—no cost

Note: All prices include tax and gratuity

Not a member—special half price rate with
your annual meeting registration—just \$10 \$ _____

Total: \$ _____

Any Special

Dietary Considerations: _____

Please Register by September 25, 2018

Make Checks Payable to FHAW

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