The Great Stone Viaduct Society present and Bellaire Public Library presents:

The Winter Lecture Series 2020

Every Wednesday in February and March at 6:00 pm at the Bellaire Public Library

February 2020

February 5th 2020 --- Chris Roddel "Growing Up in Mr.Rogers' Neighborhood"

Please join us in our kickoff lecture to our series and a walk down memory lane. Mr. Roddel will be presenting his book Growing up in Mister Rogers' Real Neighborhood. His book visits his home of Latrobe, Pa.Mr. Rodell tells a heartwarming story of how Latrobe, PA influenced Fred Rogers and how Fred Rogers influenced Latrobe.

February 12 2020----Judi Hendrickson and Jeanne Finstein "The Trial of Carrie Nation"

These amazing women who bring history alive in our valley. They have presented for us from 2016 to the present. The lecture will be a re-enactment of the trial of prohibitionist Carrie Nation. She was known as the "Hatchet Apostle". She was arrested in Wheeling in 1901.

February 19, 2020 - GSV Lecture Schedule UPDATE

DON'T MISS -- A Tale of Three Bridges by Daniel L. Frizzi, Jr.

The Great Stone Viaduct Historical Education Society announces a change to our lecture series schedule. Substituting for Marcia Hartman's "Judge Isaac Parker - Judge of the Old West" will be "A Tale of Three Bridges" by Daniel L. Frizzi, Jr. Residents of Jefferson County, Ohio, Ohio and Marshall Counties in West Virginia and Belmont County in Ohio will not want to miss this fascinating presentation that connects all four counties at the turn-of-the-century. This presentation was last given in 2013.

February 26 2020-----Judge Vavra "Proviano Homicide: Murder or Suicide

Judge Vavra will be presenting a case ripped right from our local headlines in 1997. A local medical student found dead The Proviano murder presentation will visit all the facts and unanswered questions of the infamous case.

March

March 4 2020-----Mike Corn "Collecting Antique Bricks made in Ohio"

Mike Corn will be bringing his knowledge of local brickmaking in our area. Mr. Corn has over 1000 different bricks in his collection. He will present his adventures in collecting and "swapping" bricks.

March 11 2020----Judge Edward A Sargus and Eric Wittenberg "Seceding from Secession"

US District Court Judge Edward Sargus and Mr. Eric Wittenberg will be part of a joint presentation from their book "Seceding from Secession". The lecture will focus on West Virginia

statehood and the lawsuit filed by Virginia in the Supreme Court to challenge the formation of a new state. The lecture will detail the struggles of the civil war era.

March 18 2020-----Robert Roman "Ohio State Football, the Forgotten Dawn.

O-H-I-O. Buckeye fans will be sure to enjoy this lecture on the history of Ohio State Football.

Mr. Roman will present an incredible history of the team that will only increase that pride in Buckeye football for players, coaches, students, alumni, and any fans who love the team.

March 25 2020----Judge Frank Friegato "I Shot the Sheriff.....or Did I?"

Judge Fregiato will present a local historical trial in which the defendant engaged in liquor sales and transportation. The defendant allegedly shot the sheriff who died from the injury. The defendant was found not guilty by claiming the projectile was not his that killed the sheriff.