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CHARTER YEAR CELEBRATION AUGUST 18, 2012 - BELLAIRE PUBLIC LIBRARY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

9:00 a.m. **MEET AND GREET** as doors open to the registrants for the event. Coffee and Donuts served in the Terrace Garden. Walk-In Registration opens at the Community Room at \$10.00 per person/\$5.00 under 12, wrist band provided so you may leave and return for any or all lectures.

SPIRIT OF AMERICA TRAIN sets up on Guernsey Street side of Library for ticket sales.

10:00 a.m. **KEYNOTE ADDRESS** by John P. Hankey at the Community Room, Bellaire Public Library. Mr. Hankey is the former curator of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Museum, Baltimore, Maryland. Wrist band required.

ALL ABOARD!!! Spirit of America Train departs the Library on its first run of the day and every 15 minutes thereafter. Open to the public. Ride tickets purchased here.

CRAFT FAIR OPENS FOR BUSINESS under the Great Stone Viaduct arches between Union Street and Guernsey Streets. Open to the public.

11:00 a.m. **CIVIL WAR TROOP MOVEMENTS** presented by Roger Pickenpaugh at the Community Room, Bellaire Public Library, with emphasis on his book "Rescue By Rails". Wrist band required.

NATIONAL IMPERIAL GLASS COLLECTOR'S MUSEUM opens its doors for tours at 32nd and Belmont Streets. Admission Fee \$5.00.

12:00 Noon BOX LUNCH FOR PRE-REGISTRANTS in the Terrace Garden, Bellaire Public Library.

12:15 p.m. WALKING TOUR OF THE GREAT STONE VIADUCT Open to the public.

1:00 p.m. **BALTIMORE & OHIO ENGINEERING FEATS** presented by John P. Hankey at Community Room, Bellaire Public Library. Mr. Hankey is the former curator of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Museum, Baltimore, Maryland. Wrist band required.

2:00 p.m. RAIL/MARINE CROSSING, AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE GREAT STONE VIADUCT AT BELLAIRE, OHIO, presented by Attorney Daniel Frizzi, Jr. at the Community Room, Bellaire Public Library. Mr. Frizzi is an author, educator, and local historian on the Baltimore & Ohio and Central Ohio Railroads in Belmont County, Ohio. Wrist band required.

3:00 p.m. **CURRENT RAIL OPERATIONS** of the Wheeling & Lake Erie Railway presented by Gregory J. Levy, Vice-President of Marketing, W & LE Railway. Wrist band required.

4:00 p.m. NATIONAL IMPERIAL GLASS COLLECTOR'S MUSEUM CLOSES

CRAFT FAIR, STREET TRAIN RIDES, AND LECTURES CLOSE

