



2018 Annual Membership and Donation Form

The Short Hill Historical Society has entered its 42nd year, and we are looking your support as a friend of our non-profit to continue existing projects and initiate new ones that help preserve and restore the rich history of the Short Hill region.

The Short Hill Historical Society was formed in 1976 as the Hillsboro Community Association. Members saved the historic Old Stone School from being demolished and kept its doors open for 40 years. In the past year, our efforts have turned to preserving and restoring other historic landmarks in the region, part of which is to gather and share the history of local places and people. Here are some of our current projects:

- ◆ Hosting the History Talks, Trips, and Treasures series that features historians and authors, including Eugene Scheel and Rich Gillespie, who share history of the Short Hill region and therefore help preserve it
- ◆ Restoring the Wright Brothers' Mothers sign, which will be a two-phased project starting with the sign, then moving to the foundation that also protects the first spring in Hillsboro
- ◆ Gathering information to establish an online collection of historical information, stories, facts and photos that people will be able to update themselves
- ◆ Hosting our signature events: the Greens Workshop and the Christmas in Hillsboro Historic Homes Tour

With your support of dues, donations, time, and talent, we will be able to continue these efforts and initiate new projects to preserve our history and protect historic landmarks in our area. Some projects that we are considering include wayside signs that provide historic information, historic driving and walking tours, and research that will help protect and share the incredible history of our area.

**Support our preservation and restoration efforts!
Become a Friend of the Short Hill Historical Society for only \$20 a year and by making a tax-deductible donation!**

Annual dues are \$20 and donations in any amount are welcome. Both are tax-deductible! You can donate and pay dues online at www.ShortHillHistoricalSociety.org or mail them using the form below. Please give by April 30, 2018.

We are grateful for the support you have given us. With your help and generosity, we look forward to adding to our success stories. Please join us to support our projects that help us discover, protect, and restore the rich history of the place we call home.

More information about our non-profit may be found at www.ShortHillHistoricalSociety.org. Remember to like us on Facebook too!

2018 Friends of the Short Hill Historical Society Membership and Donation Form

Become a Friend of the Short Hill Historical Society! Just fill out this form and send it with your tax-deductible dues/donation to the address below.

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____
 State _____ Zip _____
 Telephone _____
 Email Address _____

Please check off the appropriate box or boxes:

- 2018 Annual Membership dues of \$20.00
 Donation _____

Make your check to the Short Hill Historical Society and mail it with this completed form to:
 Short Hill Historical Society
 P.O. Box 770
 Purcellville, VA 20134