

*Wauconda Township Historical Society*



*Andrew Cook House - circa 1850*

*Wauconda, IL*

For over 50 years, **Wauconda Township Historical Society's** mission is the preservation of the history and genealogy of Wauconda Township in Lake County, Illinois. Wauconda Township, located in the southwestern corner of Lake County, includes the communities of Wauconda, Volo, Lakemoor, Port Barrington, Lake Barrington and the eastern portion of Island Lake, Illinois. Together in partnership, the Wauconda Township maintains and leases the Andrew C. Cook House in Wauconda, while the Historical Society offers programs and events funded only by dues and donations. The house is open from May through December annually.

*In 1850, Andrew and Mary Cook built the first brick house in this area. It still stands at 711 N. Main Street. Over the years, dedicated volunteers have realized the importance of preserving this home and the rich history it brings to our township. This venerable house showcases the history of the Cook family and their lifestyle in a pioneer farmhouse. It also serves to house and display the many original artifacts of the communities of years past.*

## **RENEW OR BECOME A MEMBER TODAY!**

We meet the third Monday of the month at the Cook House at 6:30 pm. Membership supports the continued preservation of the Cook House and collection, community educational programs, special events and historical research. Your membership and support ensures that WTHS can continue to **Engage, Educate** and **Enrich** our visitors and our community.

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**May we share your email address with other WTHS members? Y or N Phone number? Y or N**

### **CIRCLE TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP**

**INDIVIDUAL: \$20 FAMILY: \$30 SENIOR (65+): \$15 STUDENT (with student ID) \$5  
LIFE MEMBERSHIP: \$200**

Membership can also be done online through Paypal. Visit [www.waucondahistory.org](http://www.waucondahistory.org)

Checks payable to: "Wauconda Township Historical Society". c/o 505 W. Bonner Road, Wauconda, IL 60084