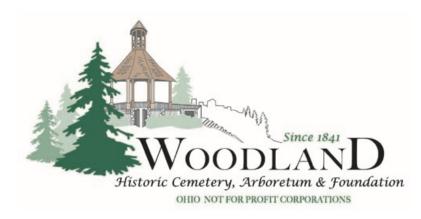
### Beautiful, Timeless, Still Available...



# Woodland Cemetery and Arboretum Launches New Mobile Tour App

Woodland Cemetery and Arboretum announces the launch of the Woodland mobile app. The app allows people everywhere to "visit" the cemetery for a self-guided, virtual tour from anywhere at any time. The app is free to the public and available now for downloading on iOS (Apple®) and Android® devices. Woodland is also in the process of mapping the burial locations of over 109,000 individuals and providing families the option of linking memories and family history via a digital memorial page.

Woodland is the first cemetery in the greater Dayton area to implement this innovative mobile app which opens Woodland to people locally, nationally and internationally, who may not be able to visit or wish to tour the cemetery via the self-guided tour functionality of this new and exciting technology.

The app currently includes three of Woodland's most popular tour requests and will be updated to include all of the tours available at Woodland. Each tour stop features one of the most popular and frequently visited locations in Woodland, including the final resting places of the Wright Brothers, Paul Laurence Dunbar, Erma Bombeck, Johnny Morehouse and Levi and Matilda Stanley, just to name a few. The user also has the option to read a story of each individual or monument. The app can also be used by people who are on the grounds of Woodland for self-guided tours, as it provides turn-by-turn directions that will be a very helpful tool in navigating the cemetery's 200+ acres.

"The innovative Woodland mobile app is a tremendous leap forward for Woodland, Dayton's most historic cemetery, and one of the nation's oldest rural cemeteries" said Sean O'Regan, president and CEO. "It has been said that the story of Woodland is the story of Dayton, so having the ability to bring the history and beauty of Woodland to all via a smartphone is a wonderful opportunity to give back to our supportive community."

To download the free mobile app, search for Woodland Cemetery at the app store. For more information about Woodland Cemetery and Arboretum, visit woodlandcemetery.org.

#### Ohio Historical Marker

What a beautiful day to have Montgomery County's newest Ohio Historical Marker dedicated to the community. On Monday, October 2, 2017 a large crowd of attendees listened as Stephen Wright, greatgrandnephew of Orville and Wilbur Wright, Frances McGee Cromartie. daughter of former Dayton mayor. James H. McGee, and Rev. Dr. Judith Norvell, great-great granddaughter of freed slave. Jordan Anderson spoke about their ancestors and loved ones and the contributions they made to the Dayton community. Each speaker showed great joy in their family member being forever remembered in name on the bronze marker provided by Ohio History Connection.

The marker is located just inside the entrance of Woodland Cemetery at the main gates. The community is encouraged to stop by to see the new sign and to visit the grave sites of the men and women who

of Daylight Savings Time, the cemetery will close at 6 pm.

made it great in Dayton.

The Cemetery is currently open from 8 am to 7 pm daily. On November 5th, at the end

Left to right:
Frances McGee Cromartie
Stephen Wright
Rev. Dr. Judith Norvell
Sean O'Regan
Woodland Cemetery and Arboretum
Rachel Bankowitz
City of Dayton
Angie Hoschouer
Woodland Cemetery and Arboretum
Andy Verhoff
Ohio History Connection



#### New Lookout Columbarium Niches

Coming this fall. A new columbarium structure containing an additional 95 niche spaces will be installed at the Lookout. Families have the option of purchasing spaces pre-construction. For more information or to speak to a Family Service Representative please call Woodland Cemetery at 937-228-3221 or visit our website at woodlandcemetery.org.



# **Upcoming Summer Tours**

Let's Talk Trees Tour Wednesday, October 11 Time: 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Woodland Historic Tour October 11 and 21 Tours begin at 10:00 am

Holiday Remembrance Service Friday, December 1 Time: 6:00 pm



The community is invited to join us to remember and celebrate the memory of those that have passed before us at our annual Service of Remembrance program. Share in the music, words of comfort and a candlelight service for your loved one.

# **Dayton Metro Library Programs**

## **Luminaries of Dayton**

E. C. Doren Library on Troy Street Monday, October 30, 2017 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm Call 937-463-2665 for more information

# **Early Brewers of Dayton**

Miamisburg Library Monday, November 6, 2017 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm Call 937-463-2665 for more information



### **Luminaries of Dayton**

Brookville Library Monday, November 20, 2017 7:00 pm - 8:15 pm Call 937-463-2665 for more information

Tours and programs are free and open to the public. Reservations are required for all tours at the cemetery. Please call 937-228-3221. For more information about tours and programs at Woodland and in the community, visit our website woodlandcemetery.org. Woodland Cemetery and Arboretum is located at 118 Woodland Avenue off of Brown Street near the UD campus.

### Volunteers Needed!

Woodland is seeking volunteers to lead tours and present programs to the public. If you like history and enjoy walking through the cemetery call us now for immediate training. Not interested in leading a tour, we have other positions as well: historical research and helping to plan out new tours, assisting with special events, public speaking engagements, researching family histories, sewing costumes for special events, researching and tagging trees and plants in the arboretum, office work, etc.

For more information on these or any of our volunteer activities, please contact Angle Hoschouer at 937-228-3221 or <u>ahoschouer@woodlandcemetery.org</u>.

## Support Woodland Cemetery & Arboretum

Are you a ClubDLM or Kroger Plus Card holder? Would you like to support the Woodland Arboretum Foundation by doing your normal grocery shopping? You can when you register your shopping card to our organization! Remember, you must sign up for this opportunity each year but you can sign up during anytime of the year.



→ Go to krogercommunityrewards.com and link your Kroger Plus Card to Woodland Cemetery and Arboretum #28721.



→ Go to www.dorothylane.com/ClubDLM/goodneighbor and link your ClubDLM number to Woodland Cemetery & Arboretum #821.



→ We are a CFC-approved charity. Designate your contribution to our organization. Use CFC code: 44068.

Our Foundation continues to focus on the restoration, preservation, horticultural and educational projects needed to keep Woodland a cultural resource for Dayton and Ohio. Thank you for your continued support!

## Thank you for your donation to Woodland Cemetery & Arboretum.

Woodland Cemetery & Arboretum Please make your check payable to: Woodland Arboretum Foundation 118 Woodland Ave. Davton, OH 45409 937-228-3221 Your gift is a tax deductible donation to a 501(c)3 public charity. Membership Level \_\_\_ \$30 Friend \_\_\_\_ \$100 Supporter \_\_\_\_ \$50 Contributor \_\_\_\_ \$250 Associate \$500 Sponsor \$1,000 Patron Other \_\_\_\_\_ \$175 Anniversary Club Foundation members will receive our quarterly newsletter, Woodland Wire, and invitation to member events. Please accept (my)(our) GIFT for 2017 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ Apply my gift to the: □ Horticulture Fund □ Arboretum Foundation □ Capital Campaign Mr., Mrs., Miss, Ms. (please indicate above how you wish to be recognized) □ I/We wish to remain anonymous. Address City State Zip Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_ E-mail Address My gift is to be made in the Memory of:

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# **Woodland Cemetery is proud to partner with the following organizations:**



Interested in learning more about Woodland and who is buried there? Visit our Facebook page to read the historical biographies of our residents and to see photographs of our beautiful outdoor museum.

