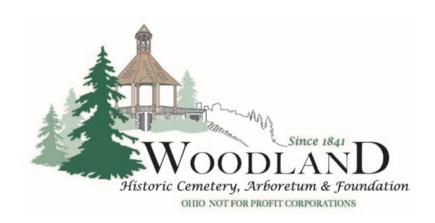
### Beautiful, Timeless, Still Available...



## Resident Spotlight: Brew Masters of Dayton

Did you happen to attend our first Bottom's Up Brewers Tour in September? If not, don't worry, we'll do it again during the 2017 Tour Season. Check our online calendar for tour dates and to make your reservation for the tour. Here's a little taste of the histories that you will find waiting for you on the tour.

### Jacob Stickle

Born in Württemberg, Germany in 1825, Jacob Stickle emigrated to the United States in 1849. He began working for Adam Happle and learned the trade of butchering and was engaged in the business for seventeen years. In 1868, Jacob purchased the Sander and Stoppelman Brewery located on Warren Street. He used only the best quality barley, malt and hops to brew his beer. By 1882, his brewery was producing 7,000 barrels annually. In 1904, he sold out to the Dayton Brewery Company. Jacob was married to Barbara Drechsel in 1851. They had two children and were members of St. John's German Lutheran Church. Jacob died in 1908 at the age of 83. He and his family are buried in Section 63 Lot 1126.

#### David Pruden

Edward Sachs was a chemist who made extracts and ginger ale. He went into partnership with David Pruden in 1874 forming the firm Sachs-Pruden and engaged in the drug business. In 1888, they built a brewery where they manufactured ginger ale, carbonated water and flavoring extracts. In 1889, they began to brew beer with their first brand named Diamond Brand Pale Ale. The company also made a product called Saline Lemonade, it was touted as a natural aperient water. David Pruden died in 1910 at the age of 54. He is located in Section 69 Lot 327.

#### Michael Schiml

With his brother John, Michael Schiml started the J. & M. Schiml Brewery in 1852 at the corner of Wayne Avenue and Hickory Street. The first lager beer of Montgomery County was believed to have been made there. In 1858, John died and Michael took over as sole owner. In 1881, a fire destroyed much of the business but Michael took the disaster in stride and rebuilt the brewery doubling its capacity and ability to turn out 4,400 barrels of lager annually. Michael handed the business over to his son Andrew

and son-in-law Frank J. Bucher in 1889 but continued to operate a portion of the brewing plant until his death in 1892 at the age of 67. Michael Schiml is located in Section 110 Lot 2751.

## Woodland Markers and Monuments Program

Woodland Cemetery and Arboretum offers a Markers and Monument program complimentary to the families that we serve. Our program offers both pre-need and atneed families the opportunity to design and purchase their memorials on-site at the cemetery with our Memorial Design Manager, Lynn Robertson. Lynn, who has been with Woodland for 8 years, moved into the designer position in 2014. She offers personal, convenient meeting times with families to review and create the desires, wants, needs and wishes of those looking for a lasting memorial. Lynn can discuss options such as monuments and markers, memorial benches, mounted and in-ground vases, laser etching and cameos, final date engraving, VA bronze and granite memorials, private family estates and columbariums.

Asked why a family would choose Woodland for their final memorial purchase Lynn responded, "Because we know you. Our Family Service Representatives have helped you through the moments of making Woodland the final resting place for your family members and we want to continue the tradition of excellent service through the final end of life moments."

No one knows better the monumentation policies and regulations better than Woodland. With your purchase, your dollars stay at Woodland to help maintain the beautification of the grounds and your loved one's site. There is no middle-man to deal with. We talk with you and directly to our suppliers to get you the memorial and design you want. For 175 years, Woodland has provided service to generations of families in Dayton and beyond. We will continue to provide you and your family "perpetual" care for generations to come. Our staff is trained to carefully and respectfully handle your monument and its placement. Plus, you'll know that you are getting the best materials with your purchase as Woodland has to be concerned about the future of the cemetery and the monuments within its grounds.

If you would like to talk to or schedule an appointment with Lynn Robertson, Memorial Design Manager, please contact her at <a href="mailto:lynn@woodlandcemtery.org">lynn@woodlandcemtery.org</a> or 937-228-3221.

# Volunteer Spotlight: Jessica Singleton

Jessica Singleton has a passion for history and choose to volunteer at Woodland to "feed the need." She says she loves the history, the beauty, the people she volunteers with and interacting with people on her guided tours.

Q: Why did you pick Woodland as a place to volunteer?

A: The first time I came to Woodland was in 2011. I was working for the Humane Society part-time, and I brought dogs for the Woof Walk. In 2013, I saw an ad on the website requesting tour guides. I thought it would be something I would enjoy so I called and signed up.

Q: What you do for Woodland?

A: I am a tour guide. I've lead tours such as the Historic Tour, History, Mystery, Mayhem & Murder and the recently created Bottoms Up! Early Brewers of Dayton. My husband Jeff and I visited eleven Dayton-area breweries to recruit them to participate in the kickoff of the new tour. Also, I have portrayed Bessie Little for Discover Woodland Days.

Q: Why do like being a tour guide for Woodland?

A: I'm a total history nerd and I love sharing the stories. Woodland is FULL of Dayton history; is very peaceful; and is a great place to walk. Woodland is one of my favorite places in Dayton. I also think it's important to preserve Dayton's history through the stories we share.

Q: What is your favorite tour you give at Woodland?

A: I like the History, Mystery, Mayhem and Murder tour. I've given it more than any other tour, but also because people get SO excited for this one in the fall. There are some really neat stories about lesser-known Daytonians on this tour.

Q: Do you have any funny or interesting stories about a tour or program?

A: My husband plays Adam Schantz, Sr. at Discover Woodland Days. After he gave his presentation at the 2015 tour, a lady came forward from the crowd to talk to him. It turns out Adam Schantz was her great-great-grandfather. She told him that the stories he told were the stories she heard growing up, and he looked a lot like him.

Thanks Jessica for your time, energy and volunteer efforts!

### Moments in Time from our Friends at South Park Historic District

George Elmer and Martha Harp Urich

What could be more American than "George and Martha"? Ohio-born children of Ohioand Pennsylvania-born parents, George and Martha were unusual in that Martha was several years older than her husband.

In 1920, they rented 33 Park Drive, rear, which put George within walking distance of National Cash Register where he worked as a furnace tender. Their street, the cul-desac west end of Park Drive, was not yet closed off to through traffic and still bore its original name after the founder of NCR: Patterson Street.

Martha's son from a previous marriage, William McClure, also lived with them as did 10-year-old nephew, Frank Hays. William, while a city dweller, worked as a horse trainer on a farm.

George was born during the Civil War. His parents, clearly ardent Union supporters, named two other sons, Sherman and Sheridan, after Union generals.

George was only 57 when he died at Miami Valley Hospital of pneumonia. Martha's death certificate in 1922 gave her occupation as "house work," undoubtedly a more correct assessment than her occupation in the 1920 Census: "none."

George and Martha are located in Section 112 Lot 1964.

### Windows of Woodland

### St. Hubert and the Stag

Hubert was obsessed by the love of hunt. He was so obsessed that on a Good Friday, he set out in the Ardennes to stalk game. Suddenly, he encountered a beast with a crucifix between its horns and heard a voice saying, "Turn to the Lord or thou wilt fall into the abyss of hell." Hubert kneeled in prayer, was converted and later became the Bishop of Liege. St. Hubert is now the patron saint of hunters.

The Mausoleum is open daily from 9am to 5pm. You are invited to visit the Mausoleum to view all of the beautiful stained glass windows within.

Photos along the walls were submissions to our annual photo contest that is held in September of each year. Patrons and guests of the cemetery are encouraged to take photos throughout the year. For more information on the Photo Contest and a complete set of rules, click <u>here</u> to visit our website.

## **Upcoming Tours and Events**

## **Veterans Day and Flag Retirement Ceremony**

Friday, November 11

11:00 a.m.

This event is designed to remember our veterans and retire our country's state and national flags. Flags can be dropped off throughout the year. A short program will be held in the Mausoleum. The flag retirement ceremony will be held in the Civil War Section.

## **Holiday Remembrance Service**

Friday, December 2

6:00 p.m.

All family and friends are welcome to attend this candlelight service in honor of their loved ones. Refreshments will be served. Please RSVP to 937-228-3221.

# **Holiday Floral Display and Ornament Decorating**

December 3 through 25

9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. daily

Guests are invited to decorate an ornament and place it on our Remembrance Tree. Ornaments and decorations will be available. Ornaments can be retrieved until January 3, 2017.

#### **Indoor Mausoleum Tour**

Thursday, December 8 4:00 p.m.

Thursday, December 22 9:00 a.m.

Construction on the Mausoleum began in 1968 and was completed in 1970. Today, more than 5,500 persons rest peacefully in this community building that houses alcoves of unique stained glass windows in woodland themes from literature and poetry, a beautiful Mosaic tiled wall and magnificent European marble. We'll visit each of the windows and talk about their theme as well as visit Dayton's notables resting

within such as: Charles F. and Virginia W. Kettering, Jeraldyne Blunden, James A. Parsons, Jr. and Clara Weisenborn.

Reservations are required for all tours. Please call 937-228-3221. For more information about tours and programs at Woodland and in the community, click <a href="https://www.woodlandcemetery.org/tours-and-events">www.woodlandcemetery.org/tours-and-events</a> to visit our website.

### **Volunteers Needed!**

Woodland is seeking volunteers to lead tours in 2017. 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 Debra Mescher at 937-228-3221 or debra@woodlandcemetery.org.

## Support Woodland Cemetery & Arboretum

Are you a ClubDLM or Kroger Plus Card holder? Would you like to support the Woodland Cemetery 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 <a href="https://www.krogercommunityrewards.com">www.krogercommunityrewards.com</a> and link your Kroger Plus Card to Woodland Cemetery and Arboretum #28721.
- ◆ Go to <a href="https://www.dorothylane.com/ClubDLM/goodneighbor">www.dorothylane.com/ClubDLM/goodneighbor</a> and link your ClubDLM number to Woodland Cemetery & Arboretum #821.
- ◆ NEW! 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.

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Woodland Cemetery is proud to partner with the following organizations: The Aviation Trail; The National Aviation Heritage Area; Dayton Aviation Heritage National Historic Park and ThinkTV.

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

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