

# **“The Talk of the Town”**

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Press Release for Oral History Program

## ***Hear all about it...***

On Sunday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, the Chester Historical Society is presenting a program on local history from 2-4 p.m., which will include personal reminiscences, old local photographs and oral history recordings of long-time Chester residents, followed by a question and answer period.

Learn what life was like in old-time Chester, both individual stories and large events; the history of the Hambletonian/Rysdyk House, the St. Columba fire of 1946, the story of local artist Tom LaBarbera and the childhood memories and entertainments of a time gone by.



Come meet some of the people whose history is part of Chester and learn about our village. The latest installment in our “Talk of the Town” program will be held in the Chester Senior Center, located at the back of the Chester Public Library. Admission is free and refreshments will be provided. For information, contact Ginny Privitar at 469-9789.

Calendar item:

Local history program is sponsored by the Chester Historical Society on October 3, 2-4 p.m. at the Chester Senior Center (behind the Library) with reminiscences by members of the community, oral recordings and photographs, followed by a question and answer period. Free. Refreshments provided. Contact Ginny Privitar 469-9789

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