Live Forever: The Songwriting Legacy of Billy Joe Shaver By Courtney S. Lennon

November 17, 2022 (12:00 pm – 2:00 pm)

Courtney S. Lennon, author and Texas music historian, has written a book on Billy Joe Shaver that has been enthusiastically received by the public and has garnered rave reviews (See below). She is also the founder and editor of Turnstyled, Junkpiled Music Magazine, which she started in 2011. She has written features on Ryan Bingham, Guy Clark, Terry Allen, Rodney Crowell, Radney Foster, Dale Watson, Van Dyke Parks, and Wanda Jackson, among others.

Courtney S. Lennon writes like words and melodies haunt her blood. She finds diamonds between the cracks and immediately digs them up. Anyone can recycle names from top forty charts, but Courtney tells you what you need to know before you even know it. Listen. You'll be grateful.

Brian T. Atkinson (Author, <u>I'll Be Here In The</u> <u>Morning: The Songwriting Legacy of Townes</u> <u>Van Zandt and The Messenger: The Songwriting</u> <u>Legacy of Ray Wylie Hubbard</u>)

Menu: Salad, Rolls & Butter, Roast Turkey with Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans Almondine, Apple Crisp, Coffee, Tea, Water

Location: Evans Bank, 6460 Main St., Williamsville, NY 14221



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Herschell Carrousel Factory Museum By Marissa Seib

September 15, 2022 (12:00 pm – 2:00 pm)

"Once Around Is Never Enough"

Marissa Seib, Education Coordinator since November 2021, has been with the museum in various capacities since her internship in Fall 2019. She is a 2019 Niagara University graduate and is currently working on her MA at SUNY Buffalo State. Her presentation will include a brief history of the four North Tonawanda Amusement Companies. This will include the integral relationship between the Wurlitzer Company and the four amusement companies.

Taking the time to visit the carrousel will transport you back to your childhood. The museum has two working carrousels with the larger one having 36 horses—jumpers that move up and down while going around. The second carrousel is for children. Enjoy the Wurlitzer music while on your carrousel ride.

Menu: Harvest Salad, Mac & Cheese, Cole Slaw, BBQ Burger Sliders, Pickle Spears & Chocolate Chip Cookies, Coffee, Tea, Water

Location: Evans Bank, 6460 Main St., Williamsville, NY 14221



1800s History of Buffalo By Mike Casella

October 20, 2022 (12:00 pm – 2:00 pm)

Mike Casella, a lifelong resident of Western New York, worked at the GM Tonawanda Powertrain plant for 46 years. Toward the end of his career, a friend elicited his help for a history along the waterfront project. While doing research for the Buffalo River History Tour, he visited the Buffalo Harbor Museum and started to volunteer as a researcher. Casella has been a member of the board for three years and has written essays for their newsletter, the Harbormaster, which gets distributed to most cities along the Great Lakes.

His presentation will include the history of Buffalo, starting in the early 1800s as a small village on Lake Erie to becoming an industrial powerhouse. He will cover the creation of the Buffalo Creek into a large harbor and the #1 grain port in the world. Other items included will be the story of Buffalo's water supply, grain elevators, and some maritime disasters.

Menu: Beef on Weck, Shrimp, Potato Salad, Butternut Squash with Apples and Walnuts, New York Style Cheesecake, Coffee, Tea, Water

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