

THE PARDEE HOME MUSEUM  
NEWSLETTER

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Thank you all for the wonderful work you have done. I appreciate your interest, your reliability, and your willingness to donate your time. To those who filled in on short notice - extra thanks! We have toured over 675 people since opening in October.

We now offer tours Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays at 11, 1 and 2:30. We do not give tours on Tuesdays any more because Mary and I needed a day for cleaning, meeting with people, and to get some of the museum work other than tours done.

A new director has still not been chosen. Unfortunately, the 3 candidates offered the position could not accept, so we are back at the beginning again. Please bear with me while I do my best juggling act!

If anyone would like to help answer phones or do light cleaning or yard work, please let me know.

> MEETING <

Please come to a volunteer meeting Saturday, July 11, at 1:00 to discuss the tour set-up. Come talk about problems and perfections. Share your hints to make the tours better. Learn about the billiard room. If we have time, I will open the ivory cabinet and discuss the objects in it.

Billiard Room

I am aiming to have the billiard room set up for inclusion on our tours in July. We will probably have to cut back a bit on our tour over the rest of the house in order to make some time for visitors to see it.

China

Information on the china and silverware in the dining room is on a paper on one of the dining room chairs. Visitors ask about them frequently, and want to see the backstamp, which is reproduced on the paper so we can avoid handling the china.

Barn Alarm

I have removed the barn alarm key from the backup person's keys, and will be turning off the alarm first thing on tour days. So, when you are backup person, just open the barn door padlock.

Oakland Population

Don Tyler looked up Oakland's population figures and I want to share them with you:

1868 - 1,543  
1870 - 10,500  
1910 - 150,174

New Tour Guides

We will be looking for more guides to go through training in the fall. If you know of someone who might be interested, please have them give me a call.

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