

Joseph F. Glidden

# Homestead & Historical Center

Membership Newsletter – January 2006



921 W. Lincoln Hwy., DeKalb IL 60115

## Annual meeting scheduled Jan. 30

The entire membership of the Joseph F. Glidden Homestead & Historical Center is invited to the Annual Meeting Monday, Jan. 30, 7:30 p.m., in the Vista Room, third floor, at Oak Crest Retirement Center, 2944 Greenwood Acres Dr., DeKalb.

The Annual Meeting will include the election of officers and new board members.

Officers include: Jim Morel, President; Kathy Siebrasse, Vice President; Sarah Glidden DeMink, Secretary; Natalie Churyk, Treasurer; and Linda Schwarz, Past President. Morel is extending his presidency for one year while Siebrasse spearheads a major fund-raising campaign to benefit the Glidden Homestead.

Reports will be given at the Annual Meeting about finances and work at the Homestead during 2005.

Refreshments will be served, featuring cookies and coffee.



*At the Holiday Open House in December board member Gayle Wuori (right) discusses the handmade barbed wire wreaths sold during the event. The wreaths are available year-round thanks to the work of Wuori and retiring board member Donna Darden.*

## MEMBERSHIPS ARE MORE IMPORTANT THAN EVER!

### PLEASE RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP

All Glidden Homestead memberships expired in December, so if you have not renewed and your mailing label DOES NOT have an asterisk, your membership has expired.

Now more than ever, your membership is critical to the work at the Homestead! For a very reasonable membership rate, you help preserve one of DeKalb's most important historical landmarks. Your membership also entitles you to free tours of the Homestead and the chance to participate in interesting, worthwhile activities there. Your membership also entitles you to at least four issues of this newsletter throughout the year.

**PLEASE MAKE CHECKS TO: Glidden Homestead** (Mail to 921 W. Lincoln Hwy., DeKalb, IL 60115)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ \$25 Individual Membership  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$40 Family Membership  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$100 Heritage Membership

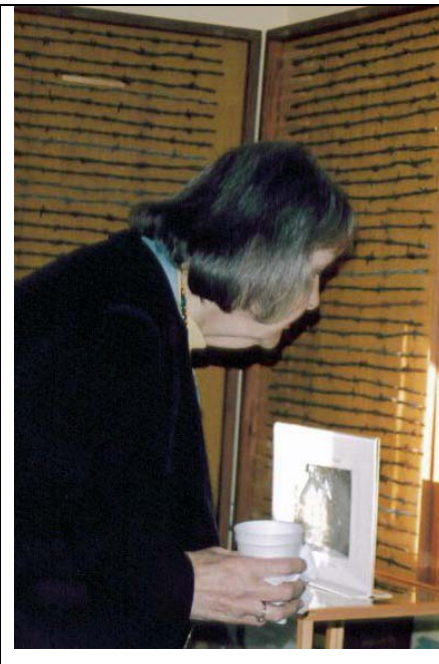
\_\_\_\_\_ \$15 Student Membership  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$5 Youth Membership (high school & below)  
\_\_\_\_\_ Other Special Donation  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ **TOTAL ENCLOSED**

*Thank you! Your membership allows the Homestead to continue work at this important historical site!*



### Holiday Open House

Visitors to the Glidden Homestead Holiday Open House in December enjoyed tours, refreshments, historical displays and music by a quartet from Sycamore High School. More than 30 people participated in the annual event. (Photos by Kathy Siebrasse)



Visit [www.gliddenhomestead.org](http://www.gliddenhomestead.org) for information about events and activities at the Joseph F. Glidden Homestead & Historical Center.

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