

Mayflower Chronicles

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IT WAS A VERY GOOD YEAR – WORLD EVENTS IN 1620

Please Join Us
 June 26, 2010
 SamB's Restaurant
 163 S Main ST
 Bowling Green
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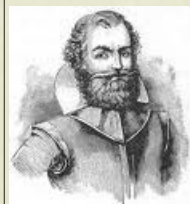
Menu:
 Pecan Chicken w/
 herb-roasted
 redskins
 Tossed salad
 Seasonal Vegetables
 Rolls w/butter
 Beverage
 \$12.00 per person

Speaker
 Dr. Ruth Herndon,
 Prof. of Early American History at
 BGSU.
 "The Boston Almshouse: Welfare in the Colonial Era."

We are all familiar with the story of our Pilgrim ancestors. Though their arrival to the New World certainly changed the course of history, other memorable events occurred this same year.

Let's take a look at 1620....

Cornelius Drebbel builds a navigable submarine that can carry 24 persons. Powered by rowers it cruises 5 m (15 ft) below the surface of the Thames in London on several occasions. The ability of the craft to stay submerged is probably enhanced by the production of oxygen from saltpeter by a process Drebbel keeps secret.



In *New England's Trials*.

John Smith recommends New England as a site for colonization. In an expanded edition in 1622 he would describe the Pilgrims' doubtful prospects and how they might better succeed if they would take instruction from him.

A severe frost in England, with the Thames frozen. 13 continuous days of snow in Scotland. On



Eskdale Moor only 35 of a flock of 20,000 sheep survived.

The first merry-go-round is seen at a fair in Philipapolis, Turkey.



August 7 – Battle of Les Ponts-de-Cé, Poitou: French king Louis XIII defeats his mother Marie de' Medici.

J.P. Donnet, teacher of deaf children in the Spanish court, creates the sign alphabet.



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SPOTLIGHT ON NEW MEMBERS

. *Christina Gothke*

Christina Gothke became aware of her ancestry connection with William Bradford because her grandmother researched the family history of Christina's mother and father, Renee and Fred Gothke. Christina's brother, Sam, and her sister, Gena, are also Mayflower members.

Christina grew up in Whitehouse and is presently living with her parents at 11230

Stiles Rd., Whitehouse, OH 43571-9738. Her cell phone number is 419--401-4578 and email address is christina-gothke@gmail.com.

Christina graduated in 2008 from Bowling Green State University with a business degree in Finance and Supply Chain Management. She started as an intern

at Andersons in Maumee and now works in the grain division of the Risk Management Department. She coaches volleyball for Anthony Wayne High School and her team has traveled all over the United States to compete.

In her free time you'll find Christina reading Karen Kingsbury books.

"Make new friends but keep the old ones; one is silver and the other's gold"

a n d *Lindsay Stoll*

Lindsay Stoll grew up in Pemberville and now lives in Boston. Her uncle, Jeff Stoll and grandmother, Evelyn Stoll, are also Mayflower members thru Richard Warren. Lindsay has a brother, Brian, who lives in Nashville and her parents, Michael and Kathy, still reside in

Pemberville. Lindsay's email address is lstoll2002@yahoo.com.

Lindsay has an undergraduate degree in Business Administration from Boston University.

and recently received her MBA from Harvard Business School. She has worked in banks in Boston and New York City and also worked for a private investment company.

Next meeting :

November 20, 2010

Toledo Colony Mayflower Descendants

Luncheon - Gather at 11:30 am

Location and speaker to be announced

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The modern violin is developed.

Witch hunts begin in Scotland.





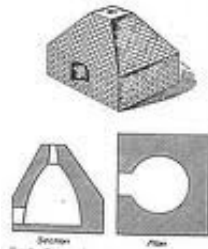
In *Novum Organum* by Sir Francis Bacon, 1st baron Verulam, proposes an inductive method of interpreting nature as opposed to the deductive logic of Aristotle. Bacon insists on observation and experience as the sole source of knowledge (now 59, he advanced his career at age 45 by marrying a 14-

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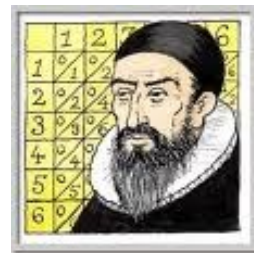
The year 1620 (MDCXX) was a leap year starting on Wednesday (link will display the full calendar) of the Gregorian calendar (or a leap year starting on Saturday of the 10-day slower Julian calendar).



The first beehive ovens for making coke are introduced in England. Although inefficient, they are cheap to manufacture.

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In *Arithmetische und geometrische progress-tabulen* by Joost Bürgi [b. Lichtenstein, February 28, 1552, d. [Kassel](#) (Germany), January 31, 1632] contains an independent discovery of logarithms.



August 8 - Mysterious rain of frogs in Weil der Stadt



DIRECTIONS TO JUNE 26TH MEETING

From I-75
Take exit 181 for OH-105/OH-64 toward Bowling Green/Pemberville

Turn left at OH-105 W/OH-64 N/Bowling Green Rd E/E Wooster St
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