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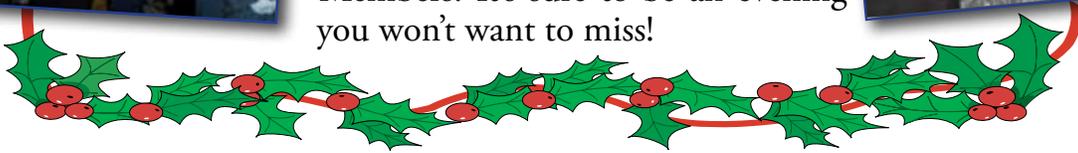
Fall 2015



The Eugene Field House Annual Members' Party



Don't forget to mark your calendar for The Eugene Field House Annual Members' Party on Monday, December 7 from 5:30 to 7:30 pm! Join us for a merry evening of food, drink and conversation with your fellow Eugene Field House Members. It's sure to be an evening you won't want to miss!



The Field House Museum Construction is Underway

The Eugene Field House Foundation Board & Staff would like to once again thank everyone who has contributed to the Capital Campaign for the Roswell & Eugene Field House Museum. All of your dedication and support has helped us to make this expansion a reality. Much work has been done since the ground breaking ceremony in April and we look forward to its completion in the new year!



Musings About Our Friend, Julie O’Gorman



Longtime Field House Trustee, confidant and dear friend, Julie was many things to everyone. Her contributions to the House were more than we have space to describe... a fearless and tireless supporter, committed to the mission of the House, caring and energetic, game for whatever came her way

although always realistic and forthright. Julie worked endlessly as chairman of the membership committee and board recruitment committee as well as being the board secretary... these are just a few of the duties she eagerly accepted. Described by one of her longtime friends, “Julie was a booster who didn’t need to be a star, always furthering the efforts of others.” To those who

knew her very well, the recurring descriptive adjective is that she was funny and always a delight, ready for a party. “Effervescent” aptly paints Julie’s portrait. According to another friend, she added sparkle to every event she attended. Along with her husband Jerry, son Brian and his family, and son Greg and her extended family at the Field House, we shall deeply miss Julie and her supportive and spirited ways. We all relish in the fact that she shared her time with us and often made us laugh.

For Julia Finn O’Gorman, we close with an appropriate Irish saying:

*Yesterday brought the beginning,
Tomorrow brings the end,
And somewhere in the middle
We became the best of friends.*



Our Nancy Ann Storybook Doll Collection is on the move!

Let your favorite nursery rhyme, tale and jingle come to life this December at the Maplewood Library with our Nancy Ann Storybook Doll exhibit! These unique dolls, which were created by socialite and silent western film star Nancy Ann Abbott, are sure to be a delight for the young and young at heart. See all of your favorites from “Rain Rain Go Away” to the “Queen of Hearts” in this exceptional exhibit of fantasy!



“Gas up, go explore and check in”

That’s what Phillips 66 wants you to do in their campaign **66 Reasons to Love Saint Louis!** Phillips 66 has teamed up with 66 places, including The Eugene Field House, in Saint Louis to encourage the community to get out and rediscover the city. Dedicating us as the “fun landmark,” The Eugene Field House is #53 on the list! There is also a contest you can enter to possibly win 66 months of free gas. Visit their website www.66reasonsstl.com for more details.

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July 2015 - October 2015

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