

Metamora

Indiana's Canal Town

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Spring 2018

Cincinnati Candy Makers
May 12, 2018



The Cincinnati & Whitewater Canal carried freight into the city of Cincinnati, and one of the industries that grew up there in the 1800's was candy manufacturing. Dann Woellert has written several books on food history of the Queen City, and his latest covers this sweet subject.

Dann will be at Mr. Fudge Confectionary from 3 to 5 on Saturday, May 12th, with copies of his book for sale. Stop by and visit with him. Then join us at the Opry Barn at 6 PM for dinner and a presentation by Dann. Book will also be available at the evening event. Dinner reservations can be made by emailing historicmetamora@gmail.com or by leaving a voicemail at 765-647-1212.

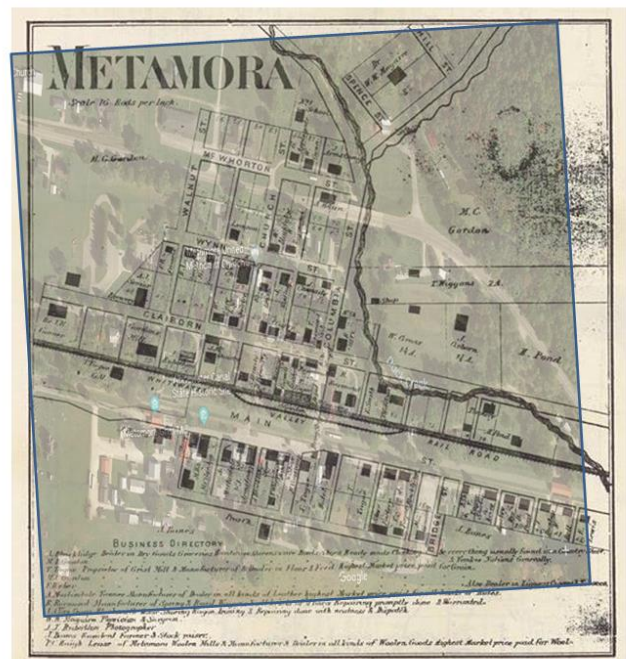
Look for Dann's blog on the internet:
dannwoellertthefoodetymologist

Watch on Facebook for updates.
www.facebook.com/HistoricMetamora

Celebrate 1838
June 23, 2018

180 years ago Metamora was platted along the proposed course of the Whitewater Canal, one of the infrastructure efforts funded initially by Indiana's Mammoth Internal Improvement Act of 1836.

We're going to revisit the village of Metamora as it was reflected in the 1865 map. We hope to provide insight into the businesses and families in the town at that time.



Stay tuned for more activities planned as we get closer to the date.

The Opry Barn

Last summer Historic Metamora took a big step and purchased the old warehouse building and the small stone building at the west end of town where the tomato canning factory operated. Metamora Performing Arts has rented the structure for the past few years and operated it as the Opry Barn, and other space in the building was used as storage by Historic Metamora and the Merchant's Association of Metamora. With support from those two organizations and the Lion's Club of Metamora we hope to continue to expand and improve activities held at the barn.

One of our first large projects will be to raise money to improve the building by installing air conditioning. Any donations to this effort would be greatly appreciated.



The first fundraiser of the year will be held on May 5th, a one day Bluegrass Festival featuring several regional bands. Performances will run from noon to 9 PM, food available for purchase on site.

Information online at:

www.metamorampa.org/upcomingshows

Appalachian Grass
Brian Wallen
Cornfields & Crossroads
Endless Highway
James White & Deer Creek
Mark Poe & All American Bluegrass
Mountain Sound Reunion
Wes Miller

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Yard Sale June 9th

Metamora Performing Arts is holding a yard sale at the barn on June 9th from 8 AM to 4 PM. You can rent a space to see your gently used items for \$10, for another \$10 you can rent a table from us. Pop Up canopies are permitted.

Set up begins at 7:30 AM, everything must be off the grounds by 5 PM.

Contact: Mary Disney
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or
Register online at
metamorampa.org/memberships and
[sponsorships](http://metamorampa.org/sponsorships)/Yard-Sale-at-the-Barn

Space reservations must be made by June 6th.