

# BICENTENNIAL CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## JANUARY

6 - Town Board Organizational meeting / Bicentennial Kickoff

## FEBRUARY

8 - PSO Musical Tapestries - 7:30 @ Browncroft Community Church

## MARCH

14 - Penfield Rotary Euchre Tournament

27 - Bicentennial Gala - 6 pm @ Daisy Flour Mill

## APRIL

10 - Shepherd Home Spring Gala - 6 pm @ Midvale Country Club

24 - Guided Hike at Thousand Acre Swamp - 10 am

## MAY

2 - Local History Room Open House - Penfield Public Library

7,8,14,15,21,22 - Penfield Players Bicentennial Melodrama "The Brothers O'Toole"

16 - Penfield Volunteer Emergency Ambulance Open House - 11 am - 2 pm

17 - PSO Penfield Bicentennial Concert - 7:30 pm @ Browncroft Community Church

31 - Memorial Day Ceremony - 10:30 am @ Veterans' Memorial Park

## JUNE

13 - Bicentennial Ecumenical Prayer Service

28 - Bicentennial Golf Tournament - Shadow Lake Golf Course

## JULY

2 - Independence Day Celebration - 5 pm @ Harris Whalen Park

3 - Independence Day Parade - 10 am beginning at Penfield High School

3 - Independence Day Celebration & Fireworks - 4 pm @ Harris Whalen Park

## AUGUST

2 - Penfield Bocce Group Position Game - 9:30 am @ Harris Whalen Park Bocce Courts

6 - YOHP Summer Play "Our Town" - 7 pm @ Penfield Amphitheater

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## SEPTEMBER

18 - Tastin' the Blues - 12 pm @ Penfield Amphitheater

26 - Penfield Challenge 5K - 9 am @ Penfield Community Center

## OCTOBER

9 - Historic Ghost Walk - Penfield's Historic Four Corners

16 - Heritage Festival @ Rothfuss Park

## NOVEMBER

3 - Local History Room Open House - Penfield Public Library

## DECEMBER

4 - Holiday Celebration - 1 pm @ Penfield's Historic Four Corners

# BICENTENNIAL YEAR KICK-OFF CELEBRATION



JANUARY 6, 2010

6:30 PM

PENFIELD TOWN HALL



**DANIEL PENFIELD**

*In 1795, Daniel Penfield began purchasing land in Township 13 Range IV and in 1800 commenced building mills along the falls of Irondequoit Creek to encourage settlement. The population grew rapidly, and in 1810, Township 13 and the adjoining Township 14 were designated by the New York State Legislature as the Town of Penfield. Penfield was the first of the seven eastside towns in the county to be established.*

**Penfield Town Board**

- Tony LaFountain, Town Supervisor
- Robert Quinn, Town Councilperson
- Linda Kohl, Town Councilperson
- Paula Metzler, Town Councilperson
- Andy Moore, Town Councilperson
- Amy Steklof, Town Clerk

**Bicentennial Steering Committee**

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|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Linda Kohl, Chair | Phyllis Ely    | Ed Doyle        |
| Kathy Kanauer     | David Renner   | Sam Delucia     |
| Robert Beedon     | Sabrina Renner | Diane Thresh    |
| Michael Cooper    | John Taddeo    | John Carlevatti |
| James Costello    |                |                 |

# PROGRAM

Reception - 6:30 PM

*Music by the Four Nouns, light refreshments, Bicentennial merchandise*

Introduction/Acknowledgements - 7:00 PM

*Linda Kohl, Bicentennial Chair & Kathy Kanauer, Town Historian*

Re-enactment of Penfield's first Town Board Meeting\*

- Daniel Penfield.....Jeff Moon*
- Brooks Mason, first Town Clerk.....Tom Gagen*
- William McKinstry, first Town Supervisor.....Wyatt Doremus*
- Mary Penfield.....Adair Priddle*

Concluding Remarks

*Supervisor Tony LaFountain*

2010 Town Board Organizational Meeting - 7:30 PM



**\*Characters portrayed by members of Penfield Players.**

*Jeff Moon is proud to be a part of Penfield's 200th anniversary celebration. Everyone is invited to see the Penfield Players production of the Curious Savage directed by Jeff Moon between February 26 and March 13.*

*Tom Gagen is a 35 year member of the Penfield Players. Melodrama acting is his specialty. Tom lives in Webster with his wife Carol, also a member of the Penfield Players.*

*Wyatt Doremus is most proud of his parents' (Harrises and Shoecrofts) long association with Penfield history. Wyatt's professional career as a writer and voice artist included 30 years with WROC and WXXI.*

*Adair Priddle is a Penfield resident recently retired after 36 years as a teacher for Monroe BOCES #1. Adair's ancestor, William Harris, was an early Penfield settler.*