DANCING RABBIT GENEALOGICAL & HISTORICAL SOCIETY

MAY 2021

President's Message

Greetings,

One thing I know for sure, rubber boots go with everything I own. It has been a bit damp on Red Dog Road. I know all of you understand. Yet, we soldier on and continue to make progress.

As many of you know, if not all, we have been blessed with a kind and generous benefactor who has given the organization a wonderful gift that will allow us to proceed with plans for construction of a dependency that will alleviate our dire need for more space. The planning committee is hard at work with establishing our needs and how to best utilize the space. The design committee is working to make sure that the dependency will enhance the property. We look forward to their reports and to share them with our members. The jobs are huge and take time. This is one of those times when details really matter. I will keep you posted.

We are pleased that the Library Book Club, the Garden Club and the DAR have been welcomed at the Sudduth House. Everyone feels at home here and that is as it should be.

On April 23, we had a concert presented by Irene Martin. She is so talented, so versatile and everyone who was able to



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attend found time to just enjoy the moment. We hope that she will save a date for a Christmas time performance. Music is in our blood. We need to punctuate our lives. We all have songs that spark special memories.

Our organization is known for its interest in history, family, and tradition. We have so very much to offer our members in DRGHS and the people in our community. Thank you for your loyalty and your willingness to share. When we dry out, we will have our general meeting on Wednesday, May 9, at one PM. Refreshments will be served at noon. Thank you Evelyn McGivney for sharing your heritage that reaches back to her mother's homeland in Germany. I look forward to her presentation and hope to see you there.

On a personal note. After months of starts and stops thanks to this plague, I was struck down with something I just could not seem to get rid of at the time. I simply could not attend Irene's concert. (cont. next page)