

## *Constructing our future by preserving the past*

Many Conifer residents share an interest in the history of Conifer and the 285 Corridor. But the area is changing rapidly. Historic structures are disappearing and only a few oral histories of long-time residents have been preserved.

The mission of the Conifer Historical Society and Museum is to share the region's legacy by collecting, preserving and exhibiting historical and cultural materials and providing public access to services, collections, exhibits and a research library.

Please join us in preserving Conifer area history for future generations!



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### **CHSM and the Conifer Community**

**Become a member** and enjoy discount admissions, free admission to historical presentations at member meetings, and free delivery of quarterly newsletters;

**Volunteer** for training to conduct Oral Histories, plan and host exhibits, raise funds, and more!

**Host a speaking engagement** about CHSM at your faith community, civic group, social club, or other membership groups; and

**Attend museum exhibits and fundraisers...and bring friends!**

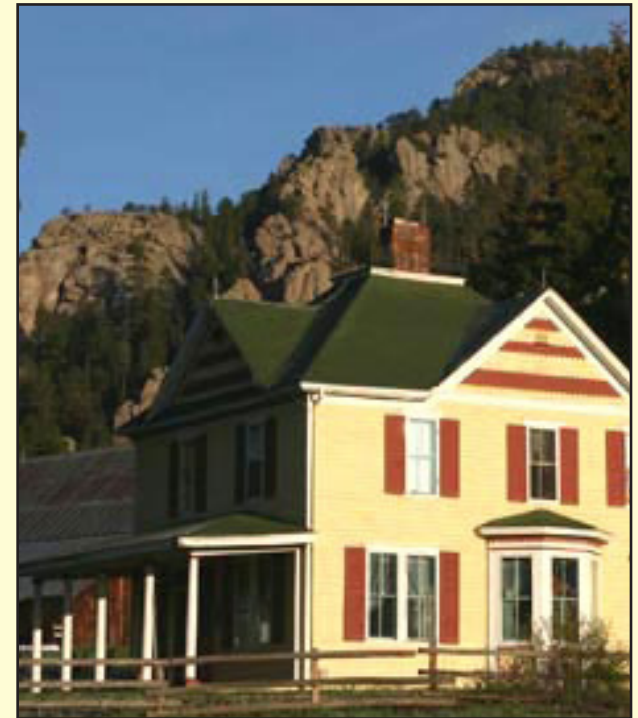
***Help preserve Conifer's history  
by joining today!***

*June 11/EH*

# CHSM

Conifer Historical Society and Museum

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Conifer, CO 80433  
[www.ConiferHistoricalSociety.org](http://www.ConiferHistoricalSociety.org)  
720.333.0223 office



*This home was historically known as the Midway House. It was a stagecoach stop located midway between Denver and Bailey.*



The History Channel's Mega Movers series featured the relocation of the Lubin-Blakeslee cabin.

### What do...

- pioneers
  - Ute Indians
  - miners
  - train buffs
  - cowboys
  - ranchers
  - sanitarium patients
  - vacationers and
  - you
- ...have in common?

### A place in the Conifer area history!

Leave a legacy for the Conifer area and Highway 285 Corridor. Help us as we create a historical museum to preserve and celebrate the exciting oral and architectural heritage, images, and artifacts of Conifer area history, past and present.

### Membership Benefits

The annual membership offers the following benefits:

- Help direct CHSM's contribution to the community;
- **Free admission** to CHSM-sponsored speaker programs;
- Notification of all **CHSM events**;
- **Free** CHSM newsletter mailed to your home;
- Ability to **special order** local historical books;
- **20% discount** on CHSM products;
- **Discounts** on CHSM events.

### Meetings

Meetings are held at the Pleasant Park School and Grange. Meeting dates and time are updated routinely on our website:

[www.ConiferHistoricalSociety.org](http://www.ConiferHistoricalSociety.org)

Don't have access to the Internet?  
Give CHSM a call: 720-333-0223



The Pleasant Park School was built in 1894 and has been authentically restored.

## Yes!

*I want to help preserve  
Conifer's History  
by joining CHSM!*

Annual dues are **\$25** for an individual or **\$40** for your immediate family.  
Make checks payable to **CHSM**.

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**\$40** Family + \$ \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
or  
 **\$25** Individual      *donation*      *Total Enclosed*

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*Today's Date*

Cut this panel along the dotted line and send it along with your check to:

CHSM Membership  
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**Please contact me about:**  
 volunteer opportunities  
 museum committee meetings  
 museum exhibits  
 don't contact me at this time, but please accept my membership