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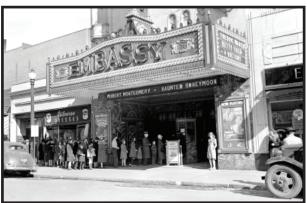


THERE WILL BE NO
SEPTEMBER 2020
MEETING DUE
TO COVID-19
GUIDELINES AND
CONCERN FOR
MEMBER HEALTH
AND SAFETY

SEPTEMBER MEETING CANCELED DUE TO COVID-19

Here are some images from the Jack Cox World War II: Waltham Homefront lecture to be rescheduled for the Spring of 2021









Louis Joseph Nocera, 91

Of Waltham, Massachusetts, passed peacefully into eternal rest on July 1, 2020 in Florida.

Founder, owner and operator of the Chateau Restaurant. Proud native son of Waltham, Massachusetts. Boston College alumnus. Lifelong philanthropist. Air Force veteran

A graduate of St. Mary's High School in Waltham he was a standout basketball player. He graduated Boston College and served in the Air Force.

Lou Nocera received countless honors and awards for his support of our community. Whenever there was a need or an event, he was generous, oftentimes contributing anonymously. As a long-time member of the Board of Directors of the Waltham Historical Society, Lou will be dearly missed.



Images from the Jack Cox collection







The Exhibit is at the former Bright School location

260 Grove Street, Waltham, MA Hours for viewing will be announced as soon as re-opening the facility is deemed safe. Visit us on-line at

Waltham.historical.society@gmail.com

WE ARE CARRYING ON!

The Society is still working to help researchers and historians utilize our resources!

Even though we are all impacted by the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic our volunteers have continued to work from home, and on rare occasions in isolation or socially distanced at our archive. Inquiries through the website have not slowed down.

One impact of this pandemic on the Society has been a restriction in our abilities to raise funds. At the moment we are working to create a new website allow us to offer for sale items from the Society's store including tour books, mementos, pictures, ornaments and more.

This month is our annual our dues renewal meeting. Your membership dues and donations will help us continue to function, though in a limited fashion.

With limited fund-raising opportunities donations to assist us in covering the bricks and mortar expenses are more important than ever.

We are asking for both your dues renewal and for consideration of a donation.

With no shortage of worthy causes to support, we have held off an making separate appeals in deference to those more vital to our collective recovery, but we must also consider the Society's survival.

Watch for the imminent launch of our new website offering the ability to purchase items or make donations.

Or you can help immediately by sending a check to us at Waltham Historical Society, 190 Moody Street, Waltham, MA 02453.

We promise to put it to good use and repay your generosity through more and better offerings in the COVID-free future.

> Please stay safe and healthy, and as always,

Thank you for your support!