

ENGRAVED BRICK ORDER FORM

Yes, I want to support historical restoration & preservation efforts in the Narcoossee Area.

I want to sponsor _____ engraved bricks at \$75.00 each for a total of \$ _____

Engraving:

Each brick can have a maximum of 2 lines with 18 characters per line (including spaces) that will be in all capital letters.

We would like our brick(s) imprinted as follows:

Brick #1

Brick #2

Please note that each brick to be displayed at the schoolhouse is unique, will have its own character & may vary in appearance from others.

Make checks payable to: Osceola County Historical Society and state for Narcoossee Area Chapter

YOUR NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE #: _____

E-MAIL: _____

For Internal Use - Payment Information:

Amount Received \$ _____ Cash or Check # _____

Date Received: _____

WORKING TOGETHER

TO KEEP

OUR COMMUNITY A SPECIAL PLACE!



1902-3 Narcoossee's Founding Family – The Fells

Ways to Get Involved:

- Join the Narcoossee Area Chapter of OCHS. Annual Dues: \$50 Individual (\$20 off for Educators, Students, Seniors, Military & Young Friends); \$100 Family
- Sponsor an engraved brick to be displayed at the renovated schoolhouse site.
- Become a Business Contributor (Ask about our Business Program).
- Make a donation online via PayPal at www.narcoosseehistory.org
- Share your knowledge & artifacts of our local history.
- Volunteer to help with Chapter events & projects!

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**JOIN THE EFFORT
TO PRESERVE
THE UNIQUE
HISTORY OF THE
NARCOOSSEE
AREA**

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HISTORY IS HAPPENING IN NARCOOSSEE!



The historic Narcoossee Schoolhouse in 2012 before restoration.



The historic schoolhouse today!

OUR FIRST RESTORATION PROJECT: THE CIRCA 1886 SCHOOLHOUSE

We successfully campaigned to keep our historic schoolhouse here in the community & now we are asking for **your** help in restoring & preserving the schoolhouse. The Narcoossee schoolhouse is over 131 years old; older than Osceola County itself!

Working with a historic architect & qualified restoration experts, the Narcoossee Area Chapter has now restored the exterior & interior of the structure as closely as possible to its original condition. Funds are now being raised for period interior furnishings from the late 1800s. This will enable local schoolchildren, residents and visitors to experience what school was like in the early days of our county and state history!

THE NARCOOSSEE AREA CHAPTER OF THE OSCEOLA COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY (OCHS) formed in September of 2012, is the first-ever local chapter of OCHS. ***Our vision is: To promote passion for the preservation of the unique history of the Narcoossee area.***

For more information on chapter meetings, activities, volunteer and donation opportunities, visit our website:

<http://osceolahistory.org/narcoossee-chapter>

DID YOU KNOW?

- English colonies established at Narcoossee & Runnymede in the 1800s preceded the establishment of the City of St Cloud.
- Runnymede was named after the English location where in 1215 feudal barons forced King John to grant civil and political liberties in the famous document, the Magna Carta.
- The Narcoossee schoolhouse circa 1886 is older than Osceola County which was established in 1887.
- One of the early settlers, Reverend George W. Garrett invented the world's first mechanically propelled submarine (*shown at right*) in England.
- A Shaker colony purchased 7,000+ acres from the Disston Land Company and resided in the area from 1894 until the early 1920s where they engaged in commercial fishing, growing award-winning pineapples and other crops.

HELP OUR SCHOOLHOUSE PROJECT: SPONSOR A BRICK

Individuals, families & businesses can sponsor an engraved brick that will be displayed in the finished landscape design of the renovated schoolhouse.

This is a great way to be a part of local history for years to come! The brick can be engraved with your name, a family name, a business name, or in memory of a loved one or a local historical figure.

The contribution is \$75 per brick. Details are on the back of this brochure. Quantities and space are limited so reserve your brick today!

