



Thiokol Memorial Project
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THIOKOL LEGACY NEWS

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MEETING WITH CONGRESSMAN EARL CARTER

TMP met with Congressman Earl Carter on April 13th at his regional office in Brunswick. TMP was well represented and supported by former Thiokol Plant Workers, Family of the 29 Patriots, Volunteers and Supporters of our cause. The purpose of our meeting was to garnish his support and sponsorship of bestowing the Congressional Gold Medal to our 29 Patriots and creating a Thiokol Memorial National Park.

COMMISSIONER CLARK VISITS TMP

TMP spoke at a recent meeting of the Camden County Commissioners where we invited the Commissioners to visit our Museum. Camden Commissioner Chuck Clark took us up on our offer and recently visited our Museum. He was given a guided tour of Thiokol Memorial Museum. Commissioner Clark signed the Congressional Gold Medal Petition and asked what our needs were and how our County Leadership maybe able to help further our cause. We are happy to have his support and look forward to working with him and the Camden County Board of Commissioners.

REACHING OUT!!

We constantly build on the partnership we have been blessed to have with the Mayors of the 15 Responding Cities. That bond formed in the wake of the 1971 disaster is still strong and enduing. Each of them has given us their full cooperation and support. For which we are grateful. Their assistance and leadership made it possible for our museum to depict the service and compassion of their firemen, police officers, and hospitals.

NEW PROJECT: "THE LIFE THEY LIVED"

We have requested Family Members of the 29 Patriots to join us in telling America who their loved ones were and what they meant to so many of us. We encourage them to write an essay about these pioneers who lived a life of Faith, Courage, Determination and Dignity. It is our hope that they will share their memories of them.

VOLUNTEER RESEARCH TEAM

We have a research group who are planning a road trip to Morrow, Georgia to visit the Georgia Archives and the Southeastern National Archives to research and digitize Thiokol Chemical Plant History. Information obtained will be included in the Thiokol Memorial Museum and our future TMNP Museum. This trip is important to the growth of our Museum and the education of humanity.

BELKS CHARITY FUNDRAISER

Twice a year, TMP Volunteers participates in the Belk Charity Sale. This year our volunteers joined other community charity volunteers and worked in the store during the sale. This was a Great Boost to their spirits. The Charity Sale was a success for everyone. We appreciate the fundraising opportunity the Belk Charity Sale provides. Thank you Belk and thank you to all our volunteers!!

TOUCH-A-TRUCK EVENT



TMP had a booth set up at the Touch-A-Truck & Public Safety Expo. Our Museum was open during the event and visitors signed our petition for the Congressional Gold Medal. Visitors were given a tour of each exhibit and were amazed by the untold true history of the Thiokol Chemical Plant Era. Many of them expressed an interest in volunteering and joining the effort.

MUSEUM EXHIBIT EXPANDS



With the generous donations of our Sponsors we were able to depict the Thiokol Plant Workers in their various required operational work outfits.

Join the Sponsor's Club

As a non-profit organization, our survival depends upon the generosity of sponsors. Thiokol Memorial Sponsor's Club provides a vast range from \$25 to \$50,000 where individuals, groups and organizations can donate. Every dollar donated helps promote the cause. You too can become a sponsor with a donation of the following:

TMP AMBASSADORS CIRCLE-\$1,000-\$50,000

PLATINUM SPONSOR-\$500.00

GOLD SPONSOR-\$250.00

DIAMOND SPONSOR-\$150.00

SILVER SPONSOR-\$100.00

EMERALD SPONSOR-\$25.00

Thank you in advance for your Donation. All donations are tax deductible.

Meetings are held the 1st Thursday of each month at 6:30PM.

Please join us at:

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MONTHLY QUOTE:

Most of the important things in the World have been accomplished by people who have kept trying when there seemed to be no help. Dale Carnegie Writer/Lecturer