ABOUT THE MEMORIAL

On May 30, 1925, Mabel Wagnalls Jones dedicated The Wagnalls Memorial in honor of her parents, Adam and Anna Willis Wagnalls. Adam was the co-founder of the publishing giant, Funk & Wagnalls. Both Adam and Anna were born in log cabins in Lithopolis, Ohio. Mabel knew it had always been Anna's dream to do something for the little village which had never had anything done for it and to provide opportunities not available to her as a child. With the building of The Wagnalls Memorial, Mabel would fulfill her mother's dream.

At the dedication, as Mabel was giving the deed to the town, she said, "Now this is our deed and I hand it over with no admonishments at all, because I know you will guard our building and use it wisely. My only hope is in using it you will find as much joy as I have found in giving it."



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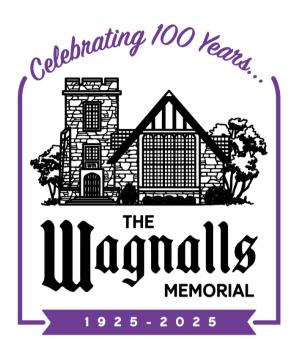
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OUR MISSION

To continue building upon the Wagnalls legacy by serving as a hub of opportunities to foster community unity, diversity and appreciation through arts, culture and educational programs and services.



Centennial Sponsorship Opportunities

Will you help us write this chapter in our story?

INDIVIDUAL SPONSORS



100 DAYS OF GIVING

During the first 100 days of our centennial year we are having a special fundraising event that anyone will be able to participate in, including kids! It kicks off Memorial Day 2025 and winds up on September 4. Appreciation gifts will be given at various giving levels.



SPECIAL SPONSORS

- \$ 500 Invitation-only Senior Teas
 \$ 500 Young Author visits with BC & CW Elementary students
 \$1,000 High School Juried Art Show
 \$1,000 Centennial shirts for staff, centennial volunteers and board members (25-30), name or logo on sleeve
 \$3,000 Homecoming event for past Scholarship Recipients
 varies silent auction items for Simply
 - Christmas open house in December 2024 and Third Annual Gala in March 2025
- All gifts are appreciated to support the ongoing mission that is Wagnalls!

CORPORATE SPONSORS

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CENTENNIAL EVENTS INCLUDE

Special Lecture Series ~ Haunted Tour ~ Gift of the Magi Performance ~ Coloring Contest ~ Bloom Carroll's second grade wax museum ~ Read-thru of Our Mabel ~ 100 year Celebration on Memorial Day 2025