

2026 Horicon Historical Society Appreciation Dinner



The 2026 Horicon Historical Society Appreciation Dinner was held on Wednesday, September 30 at the historic Sunset Mountain Lodge in Brant Lake. It was a big “thank you” to the many volunteers, members, and supporters who staff the Horicon Museums, promote and run the programs throughout the year. HHS is especially grateful to Laurence Meltzer and Joe Millington for their “Sing-

Along” event in August, attracting an overflow crowd at the Carriage House, and the Babson’s for hosting our successful House Tour in June.



The Kolakowski Family generously donated use of their Lodge for this Appreciation Dinner



Barb French, manager of the Brant Lake Transfer Station, sharing a table with Sue Smith and Carrie Smith. Barb is a enthusiastic promoter of Horicon Historical Society events, handing out flyers to Transfer Station customers.



Sylvia Smith, president of the Horicon Historical Society, welcomes the volunteers and supporters to the Appreciation Dinner.



Christine Clark and Katie Barron, owners of the Brant Lake Farmers' Market, with Camille Dougan and Teri Schuerlein. Christine and Katie, through their fund-raising efforts throughout the summer, gave a generous donation to the Historical Society for our Watering Tub historic plaque.

Andy and Bob provided great entertainment for the evening.



Some of the Horicon Historical Society members – Bob Smith, Bill Ommerborn (Treasurer), Mary Ann Hill (Vice President), Barbara LaFond and Diane Loika (Trustee).