

92nd Annual Meeting of the Membership

The 92nd Annual Meeting of the Membership was held on March 25, 2014, and featured special guest speaker Tadd Johnson, an attorney, American Indian Studies Professor at UMD and a member of the Bois Forte Band of Chippewa, presented a program on “A Brief History of Federal Indian Policy”.

The College of St. Scholastica’s string ensemble under the direction of Dr. Penny Schwarze enriched the evening’s experience. Duluth Grill Catering provided the buffet style dinner. All of this was followed by the business meeting, at which members of the Board of Governors were elected by the membership to fill five expired terms: Wes Berntson, Robert Evans, John Marshall, John Werner, and Tom Buck. The Board then elected its officers for the coming year – 2014 - 2015: Jill Dupont, President; Jim Schwarzbauer, Vice President; Gail Sheddy, Secretary; and Clyde Rogers, Treasurer.



Albert J. Amatuzio Research Center/Society employee Allie Melander and Society interns busily working at the Society's artifact tables at the 2014 Annual Meeting of the Membership with Sisu Heritage, Inc. Board of Governors representative Leone Graf in the background.

Veterans' Memorial Hall Program Events

History in a Pint

The Society’s Veterans’ Memorial Hall program continued its informal, free history presentations at Carmody Irish Pub on three evenings in 2014. Society board member Tom Buck presented on “More than War Souvenirs: Reflections on Minnesota’s WWII Veterans and their Japanese Swords” on May 29th. Richard Kern gave a program on “The Forgotten