



Speakers Bureau

Franklin County CTA Committee

MISSION:

The Speakers Bureau consists of CTAs who have a passion and immense knowledge of Franklin County history and all the best stories to tell! They may be particularly knowledgeable on Franklin County history in its entirety or are an enthusiast about specific periods in the vast history of our county! Whether you're an expert in Chambersburg, Waynesboro, Greencastle, Mercersburg or Shippensburg history, are a Civil War buff or have a wider knowledge base and focus on specific subjects such as, the Underground Railroad or perhaps you're an activist and/or a poet, the Speakers Bureau is for you!

COMMITMENT:

Members of the Speakers Bureau are willing to participate in a variety of opportunities that need bright, enthusiastic and passionate individuals to share their knowledge with anyone seeking information about our county. They will engage in the CTA program by volunteering to share their knowledge with locals and visitors. Timing for volunteer opportunities varies between daytime, evening and weekend commitments.

COMMUNICATION:

Communications will be led through e-mail and the FCTAP Speakers Bureau Facebook group. You will also find opportunities to volunteer or attend on the calendar of events both located on explorefranklincountypa.com and CTANetwork.com

WAYS TO BE INVOLVED:

Lead historical and Downtown tours as well as hiking and trail tours.

Speak at events hosted by the 11/30 Visitors Center.

Be recommended to assist with events held by other organizations seeking speakers or intellectuals.

Help plan and participate in History Camps and other family-oriented events.

Volunteer to greet visitors at the 11/30 Visitor Center lobby during peak seasons to share history and information about the area.

Desire to continue to learn through exploration, reading and various historical material to sharpen their knowledge base.

Attend and/or volunteer at related expos or exhibitions.