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Annual Lindley House Ice Cream Social to be held

Historical Society offers tours of historic home, free desserts and local entertainment

PAOLI, Ind. – The Orange County Historical Society will be sponsoring its annual ice cream social at the Thomas Lindley House on August 26 from 1 – 5 p.m.

Tours of the historic home will be given throughout the afternoon and a variety of desserts and drinks will be available. Ice cream, cakes, pies, cookies and drinks will be offered at no charge, but donations will be accepted. The Historical Society's hardcover book, *The Churches of Orange County*, will also be on sale for \$15.

Orange County residents and tourists are encouraged to bring a lawn chair and enjoy entertainment by local musicians. Performances are as follows:

1 – 2 p.m.: Heaven Bound (Sandy Goodpaster, bass;
Blaine Goodpaster, guitar and dubro; Randy Hensley, mandolin).
2 – 3 p.m.: Crawford County Community Band (27 members).
3 – 4 p.m.: Paul Michael Ash (balladeer with guitar).
4 – 5 p.m.: Late for Supper (Pete Webb, guitar and banjo;
Jessie Smith, guitar; Frankie Stewart, mandolin; Dickie Tinkle, bass; Stephen Dickey,
fiddle; Nancy Beezy, guitar).

The Thomas Lindley House was built around 1850-1869 (a definite date has never been established). The land was granted in 1812 to Jonathan Lindley, grandfather of Thomas Lindley. The property remained in the hands of Lindley descendants until it was deeded by the Carl Thompson family to the Orange County Historical Society in 1974. The house was listed on the National Register of Historic Homes in 1995.

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