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### **The Cambridge Historical Society's Newsletter, The *Cambridge Historian*, Wins Publications Award**

CAMBRIDGE, MA: The *Cambridge Historian* newsletter published by the [Cambridge Historical Society](#) (CHS) has received a first place award from the New England Museum Association. Awarded annually, the Association's Publication Awards recognize excellence in design, production, programming, and effective communication in both print and digital publishing. The *Cambridge Historian* was recognized among many high quality newsletters and magazines published by organizations in the budget category. Entries are judged by a panel of museum-related professionals experienced in publications.

"The Cambridge Historical Society explores and shares the stories of our community in an effort to help better understand where we are headed," said Marieke Van Damme, CHS executive director. "Our goal is to promote history in a way that is fun, informative, and accessible and our newsletter is an important channel by which we do this. We are honored to have our efforts and dedication be recognized by the Association."

*The Cambridge Historian* is written and edited by a collaborative team of staff and volunteers from the Cambridge community, including editor Bruce Irving, associate editor Rosemary

Previte, copy editor Luise Erdmann, and designer Graciela Galup. The layout concept was designed by Mary Macfarlane.

A subscription to the Society's print newsletter is a benefit of membership. Past editions can be found on the CHS website at [cambridgehistory.org](http://cambridgehistory.org).

### **About The Cambridge Historical Society**

From the American Revolution to the biotech revolution, the history of Cambridge, Massachusetts is unlike that of any other city. A city this vibrant and vital must preserve its past and learn from it to make the Cambridge of today the best it can be. Founded in 1905, the Cambridge Historical Society is a membership organization that serves our community through inclusive programming and stewardship of its historic collections and the property entrusted to it. The Society helps those who live and work in Cambridge explore and understand how and why we got here and use that perspective to facilitate the exploration and understanding of contemporary issues. We enable our community to better recognize, understand, and appreciate the threads that connect yesterday, today, and tomorrow and connect us to each other and our community.

### **About the New England Museum Association**

For 100 years, the New England Museum Association has been the only organization in New England serving museums of all sizes and the people who work for and with them. NEMA's mission is to strengthen member museums and museums in the region. To achieve this mission, NEMA fosters communication and ethical conduct, provides professional development, promotes excellence in museum operations, and encourages support for the museum community.

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