



# Willow House Times



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## Cuyahoga Heights Historical Archives

Kennedy House  
4651 E 71st Street  
Home of  
Historical Committee  
&  
Boy Scouts



## Village Siblings in WWII



Al, Leonard, Florence & Simon Bartzak



Robert & Kenneth Kruzal



Joe & Frank Crooks



Henry, Steven & Ray Baracz



Kenneth & Howard Farrar



Fred & Tony Casavecchia

Brothers Robert & Norbert Chase were also in WWII. We do not have pictures of them in uniform. There were a number of cousins in the village who serviced.

# Village Soldiers - WW II



Top Row:  
George Attewell in back seat taking pictures.

Victor Trevisani, tank training, Camp Barley, TX, 1943.

2nd Row:  
Reno Santini, Miami Beach, FL.



Chester Suchocki in Germany



3rd Row:  
Cleri Adomi, Victor Trevisani & Marco Vaccher home on leave .

Two pictures of Kenneth Kruzal training at Camp Shelby, MS



## School Band at "E" War Bond Event - WW II



CUYAHOGA HEIGHTS HIGH SCHOOL BAND  
ARMY-NAVY "E" CEREMONY  
HARRIS-SEYBOLD-POTTER COMPANY  
DECEMBER 11, 1944

The first Series 'E' U.S. Savings Bond was sold to President Franklin D. Roosevelt by Treasury Secretary Henry Morgenthau. The bonds sold at 75 percent of their face value in denominations of \$25 up to \$10,000, with some limitations. The war bonds actually were a loan to the government to help finance the war effort.

The War Finance Committee was in charge of supervising the sale of all bonds, and the War Advertising Council promoted voluntary compliance with bond buying. The work of those two organizations produced the greatest volume of advertising in U.S. history. In the name of defense of American liberty and democracy, and as safe havens for investment, the public was continually urged to buy bonds.

SAVE FREEDOM OF SPEECH



BUY WAR BONDS

## Cuyahoga Heights Historical Committee

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### 2015 Meetings

*10 AM - Noon*

*April 4th*

*May 2nd*

*May Memorial Day*

*Open House 9 AM - 1PM*

*August 1st*

*October 3rd*

*at*

**Kennedy House**

**4561 E. 71st Street**

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## Do You Know?



During World War II, Disney made films for every branch of the United States military and government. More than 90% of Disney employees were devoted to the production of training and propaganda films plus posters for the government.

*August's Sources: Barb Bartczak; Kristina Morgan; Barb Nichols; Irma Schab; Delia Trevisani; Sandy Waldemarson; www.archives.gov; Wikipedia.org; The Cleveland Press or The Plain Dealer*

## Committee News

The Historical Committee's next & last meeting of 2015 will be October 3rd from 10 AM till 12 noon. All meeting dates for this year are listed to the left. Everyone is welcome to attend the meetings, or look at the displays at the Kennedy House. You can also schedule a time to visit by contacting any committee member or calling the village hall. We will e-mail or call you to set up a time.