

PICNIC SURVEY

Before a committee is appointed to plan a spring picnic, the SCHS Board of Directors would welcome the ideas of the membership about the annual picnic. For several years a potluck picnic has been held in the spring at Pioneer Park, with entertainment furnished by local musical groups as well as programs by our own members, Boy Scouts, the pioneer Stout family, and a D.A.R. chapter. These have been pleasant and interesting occasions and have given us a chance to visit the park, which the Society owns, near the site of the first settlers' cabin in Sangamon County. For several years the Telephone Pioneers have furnished a team of their members who have cleaned up the park as a community service, and the Illinois Department of Conservation has planted native wildflowers and prairie grasses for us on this property. Pioneer Park chairman Hughes Diller has arranged for annual care of the grounds and has overseen most of the activities there, assisted at times by various committee members and volunteers. Attendance at the annual picnic, however, has been declining, and the Board has suggested a survey before another picnic is planned. Your reply to the following questions would be greatly appreciated. Please return to: Sangamon County Historical Society, 308 East Adams Street, Springfield, Illinois, 62701.

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Do you want to continue the annual picnic? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Would you rather have the picnic at Pioneer Park or at various locations?

Pioneer Park \_\_\_\_\_ Other sites \_\_\_\_\_

Would you prefer a picnic in the spring or in the fall? Spring \_\_\_\_\_ Fall \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate your preference of a day for a picnic:

Saturday \_\_\_\_\_ Sunday \_\_\_\_\_ Another day of week \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have further suggestions for a picnic? \_\_\_\_\_

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(Signature optional \_\_\_\_\_)