Sharing the Past for Future Historians

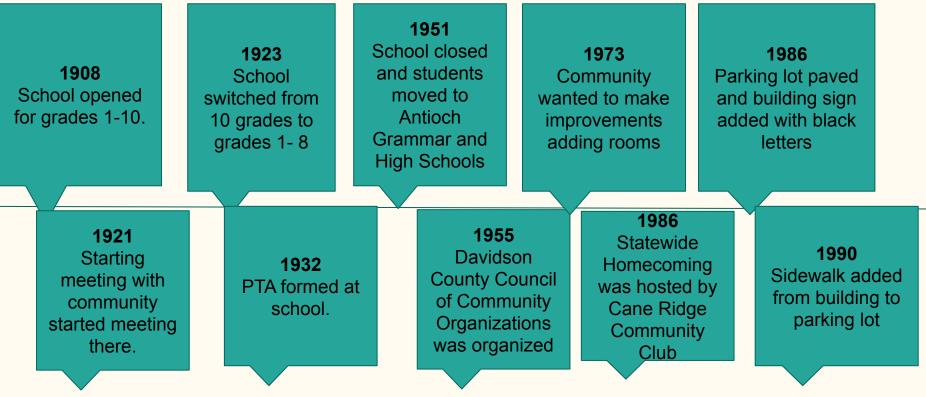
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The goal of this project and its importance

The goal of this project is to make the community aware of the history of this building and the effects this building had on the Cane Ridge Community. This is important because without these stories and the people who are telling them, these stories would be forgotten and unknown.

The building has existed since 1908 and has been used as a school, an election polling place, gathering spot, information hub, and more. It continues to be used to the present day hosting a variety of events from Pot Lucks to clean-up days, to Girl Scout meetings.

A glimpse of the timeline of the building history...



This is the timeline of some of the biggest events in Cane Ridge Community Club. History continued on next slide

1991 New flower beds, flag pole, PA system, and a new roof was added	2009 14 new tables and and chairs were added that cost \$7500		cr arc a	2012 GS Troop 362 planted crape-myrtles around flagpole and the club bought 3 new couches		2016 A new hot water heater, AED, smoke alarms, and several fire extinguishers were added		Girl rem vnst ildre ea a	2019 Scouts odeled tairs into a ens/youth and built a e gaga pit
2008 New countertops were installed in kitchen and building was painted (interior and exterior)	ſ	2010 GS Troop 362 started to meet in the building and host events for Service Unit 063	t	2015 Metro Parks Department added picnic tables to the outdoor wooded area	ł	2018 Parking le repaved a painted, downstain painted an decorate	nd , rs nd		2021 Picnic tables and handicap ramp weatherproofed by Girl Scout Troop 362

Sources

Most of the information gathered is in notebooks, scrapbooks, minutes, accounts from residents of the area during this time. We have added a history page to the website for more information.

Area resident and historian, Lillian Brown Johnson, Historical Cane Ridge and Its Families Nashville: Blue and Gray Press, 1973, pp. 326-333. A copy of this book can be found at the Tennessee State Library and Archives building in Nashville, Tennessee

Please visit our website for more information: <u>https://caneridgecommunityclub.org/history-of-club</u>