

#### 2017 Teddy Bear Tea Party

#### Note from our President, Beth Bankston

On Saturday December 09, 2017 in the Museum Annex was the Teddy Bear Tea Party. There were about 10 beautiful little girls in their Christmas finery. ( A few were absent due to the snow.)

Everyone choose a teddy bear to sit with them. One little Darling couldn't make up her mind which one she wanted, so she played with several before making her final choice.

The Washington Parish Fair Queen came for a visit: she read a story about the biggest Christmas tree.

After refreshments were served everyone went over the the museum to see the Holiday display.

Thank you to all who brought food or came to help. Mrs. Jackie made an adorable "Mrs Santa" and took pictures with each girl.

Afterwards, I got a phone call from a mother in Covington wanting to know about the event and expressed interest for next year.

So I would say the Teddy Bear Tea was a smashing success!

# Up-to-Date Museum Information

You can find current exhibits, past exhibits, directions, membership info, annex rental info, downloadable forms, etc. on the website at:

## davarnadostoremuseum.com

If you have a question or comment that just can't wait, you can contact us via private message on Facebook at

## The Varnado Store Museum

## ANNEX RENTAL

Having a Special Event and don't feel like cleaning the house?

The Museum's Annex, located behind the Museum, is available for all your rental needs (with the exception of Children Birthday Parties).

You can rent anytime on weekdays and after 4pm on the weekends ( this is also our office).

There is a \$20.00 deposit to hold your day and then \$30.00 due on the day of your event. If the Annex is returned clean and in proper order you get your \$20.00 deposit back.

# **QUILT EXHIBIT**

## Note from Jackie Smith

Anyone with a quilt or quilts that they would like to show during our exhibit is encouraged to bring it/them to the Museum for display during January and February.

There will be a "Quilt Seminar" with demonstrations and a lunch sometime in February--date TBA

The seminar will begin at 1000 am, but doors will open at 0930 am for seating, and the opportunity to view the quilts in the Museum.

We do encourage you to call ahead to reserve a spot (so we can get a count for lunch.) Anyone who has attended before can tell you how good the food is.

You do not have to pay until the day of the seminar.

If you would like more information on the seminar or on bringing quilts to display or if you would like to sign up to come, please call

Jackie Smith at Jackie's Cake Shop 839-9756 or The Museum at 795-0680

