Historic Oakwood Cemetery Preservation Association
Syracuse, New York

2016 Oakwood Cemetery Tour Schedule
Summer in the Cemetery

Guided Walking Tours

**Sunday, May 22** – “Spring has Sprung” Don Leopold will walk us through a most beautiful time of year in Oakwood – Spring. The landscape is truly an integral part of Oakwood’s character – come enjoy it with us. Meet at the Chapel on the west side of the cemetery.

**Sunday, June 26** – “Iconography of Death – Funereal Signs and Symbols in Oakwood” The headstones and monuments of Oakwood are often a story unto themselves. Join Sue Greenhagen as she leads a tour that will look at these often overlooked pieces of the Oakwood story. Meet us at the Chapel.

**Sunday, July 24** – “All’s Fine in 59” Sue again leads the tour, this time to visit the fine (and not so fine) folks up in Section 59. Come, be amazed at the stories these folks have to tell. Meet us at the Mausoleum near the Comstock Gate.

**Sunday, August 21** – “The Fortunes of Oakwood’s Smith Families & Their Neighbors” Dennis Connors, Curator of History at the Onondaga Historical Association, will lead a tour investigating one of the most prominent, and common, names in Oakwood – Smith. We’ll meet at the Mausoleum near Comstock Gate.

**Sunday, September 25** – “Well, I’ll Be” Sue Greenhagen will take the tour to Section B, and recount some of the great stories of the residents therein. Meet us at the other Comstock entrance, and follow the signs.

Follow the tour signs to get to our meeting place from the entrance on Comstock.

All tours start at 2 o’clock.

We go, rain or shine, but we cancel if there’s thunder and lightning.

We try to limit the tours to 2 hours or less.

Please wear comfortable shoes.

All tours are free, but donations are accepted.

Individual tours available upon request.

If you have any questions, call Sue Greenhagen at (315) 684-3418.