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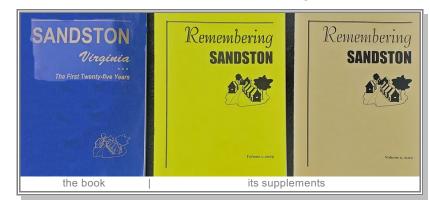
From Your Board

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Get This: Sandston, the First 25 Years

If you want to learn the unique beginnings of Sandston and its founders you'll love these reference books compiled by your Founders Club of Sandston. There's a book and two supplements all packed with clear, detailed prose and vivid photographs that resurrect old Sandston. The blue book begins:

"In 1862... the Nine Mile Road intersected the one from Williamsburg [where] grew a clump of seven pines, hence the name of Seven Pines... A thousand yards beyond the pines were two farmhouses in a grove of oaks. This was Fair Oaks (p. 9)... In 1912, Seven Pines... was... popular... [and had] the largest powder plant in the world (p. 10)... [called the] "Women's Munition Reserve'."



The book's two supplement—one yellow and one yellow-tan—consist of more detailed prose and more vivid photos.

Write your check for any or all of these three published books:

The book: Sandston: The First 25 years, \$45

Supplement 1: *Remembering Sandston* published 2009, \$ 5 Supplement 2: *Remembering Sandston* published 2012, \$ 5

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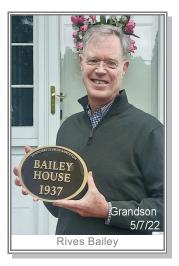
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June will mail you your books. Free shipping!

Bailey Plaque Installed

Decades ago Sandston's only physician Dr. Bailey lived at 200 W. Williamsburg Rd. and brought life to Sandston by delivering Sandston babies, probably including you. When Bailey left that house he sold it to Physician Jones who, with his wife Jewel and their two children moved in. When Dr. Jones and his wife died their son Paul and his wife Jean moved into the Bailey house and they're still there. By the way, Jean is Sandston-mailman Googie Madison's daughter and every 1960's Sandston resident knew Googie.







Weeks ago

when the Founders installed the Bailey-house plaque Paul and Jean were there along with Bailey's grandson Rives, Jr. and the Founders' Board. See the nearby photos.

Memorial Day Fun

Again this year hundreds of Sandston spectators saw Bruce Waldrop represent the Founders Club of Sandston as he rode in our annual parade in Dr. Nelson's 1929 Model A Ford, which displayed our Club's sign. Then it was off to the afternoon picnic.





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