



JOIN US AT THE EAST TRAIN STATION ON NOVEMBER 19TH . . .

as we celebrate the Foundation's 40th birthday! Come view and learn about the stunning restoration completed this fall of the historic 1900 station's exterior, begun with the new slate roof in 2011. Based on the LFPF-funded 2009 Historic Structure Report by Gunny Harboe's Chicago preservation architectural firm, the City was able to secure nearly \$3 million in federal and Metra funds to carry out this restoration, overseen by Harboe himself. The grant also will include the creation of new restrooms in the former freight office and dry cleaning drop off location south of the present waiting room.

Restoration of the waiting room itself, however, will require funding beyond the scope of the City, Metra, and Federal dollars obtained, due to unavoidable cost overruns for repairs and infrastructure. Completion of the interior of the north former bank and former ladies' waiting room is being saved for a future tenant. The Preservation Foundation proposes to



Lake Forest Preservation Foundation's 40TH BIRTHDAY PARTY & COMMUNITY OPEN HOUSE

East Train Station ~
Designed by
Frost & Granger, 1900
Saturday, November 19th
1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

- Tour the Newly Completed Exterior Restoration
- View Plans of Proposed Interior Renovation
- Learn about Station's technical and design history
- Tour the 1900-1970 operating tunnel under the tracks
- Contribute to a Time Capsule to be opened in 2116
- Enjoy Birthday Cake and seasonal treats
- Kick Off LFPF's Annual Fund Dedicated to the Station's Interior Renovation - LFPF to match the first \$25,000 donated to this year's annual fund

return the current waiting room and corridors as they have been configured since the 1980s, much to their original appearance in 1900. This includes installing durable, close-to-original-character flooring, restoring the wide plank horizontal paneling, and adding new lighting fixtures that recall the combination gas-and-electric fixtures that were there in the original Frost & Granger plans. The benches require restoration, and the walls also require some work.

The Foundation hopes to be able to defray a large portion of this cost to enable the City not only to complement the superb quality of the restored exterior but also to recreate more effectively and more comfortably the men's waiting room of 1900.

The LFPF Board of Directors is proud to announce that all funds donated during the Foundation's Annual Fund campaign through 12/31/2016 will be matched by the Foundation up to \$25,000.

