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# GOOD OLD DAYS



The Nostalgia Market



## MAGAZINE PROFILE



## READER PROFILE

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Good Old Days, the magazine that remembers the best of times, features first-person stories from the 1930s to the mid-1960s that are contributed mainly from readers. In a personal and nostalgic format, readers recount their reactions to inventions, their laughs and sorrows and their surprises and joys. They remember the innocence and treasures of a time gone by with a particular emphasis on the years between the beginning of World War II and the baby boom era.

With a mix of old-fashioned home cooking recipes, charming fashions, Sunday funnies and advertisements from the past, along with stories from the greatest generation, *Good Old Days* touches the hearts of readers as they travel down memory lane with each issue.

Total Audience*	640,000	County Size B, C, D	79%	
Average Household Income	\$55,000	Circulation	225,000	
Women	66%	Frequency	6 times annually	
Average Age	68	Readers who recommend	97%	
Home Owners	80%	Good Old Days to others	91 /0	

<sup>\*</sup>Good Old Days has 3.2 readers per issue, Personics Study

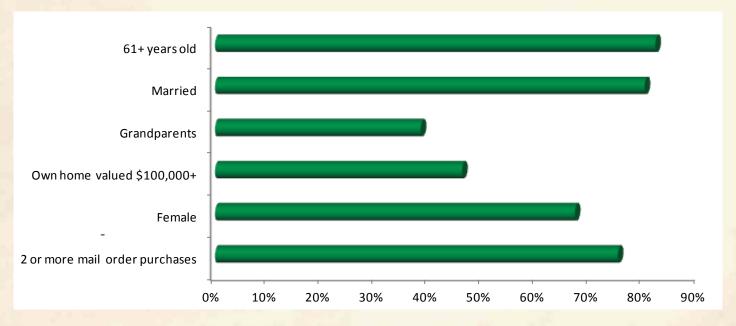
#### Welcomed changes to Good Old Days magazine:

- Increased page count to 84 pages with cover
- Increased font size for better readability
- Eliminated the black-and-white pages. All interior pages are now full color and printed on non-glare paper. The cover was also redesigned.

In addition, we are proud to be currently celebrating our 50th anniversary! The *Good Old Days* inaugural issue was published in 1963, with regular editions beginning in 1964. Through March 2014, we will be featuring covers and stories from early issues as well as a Golden Memories column from Editor Emeritus Ken Tate. Readers are joining in the fun by submitting stories and photos from 50th anniversary milestones they've personally reached.

Today's nostalgia market has never been stronger. With a print magazine, a full-service website, a popular newsletter and a social media presence in this category, Annie's reaches readers who spend time with the product (60% spend three plus hours with each issue) and value the content (more than half read all the ads and nearly half visit advertisers' websites.)

With a desire to reminisce, the nostalgia market attracts loyal and active readers with assets, hobbies, interests and time on their hands. Many have just retired and are now sharing stories of yesteryear with friends and family.



Average household income: \$55,000

## **Buying Influence**

#### Cultural

Charitable givers INDEX 387 Veterans issues INDEX 395 Cultural/politics INDEX 181 Pet owners INDEX 267 Travel INDEX 175

#### **Financial**

CD money market INDEX 290
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#### Health

Diet & health INDEX 192 RX arthritis, pain, diabetes INDEX 156 OTC cold, flu, allergy INDEX 147

Source - Merkel/MRI

## **PRINT**



## **ONLINE**

#### **Special Features:**

Home Cooking and Home Remedies are regular departments. We also publish an occasional biography, as well as historical stories on memorable events, fads, antiques, fashion, sports, music, literature, entertainment, etc. Written by an assigned columnist.



#### **Picture This:**

Features photos sent in by readers from their pasts, reminiscing with short captions.



#### **Rewind:**

This two-page spread offers a visual collage of photos, stories, old advertisements, quotes (example: Things My Parents Used to Say) and other reader-submitted gems.



**Good Old Days on Wheels:** In this department we feature transportation-related articles. Includes funny stories of learning to drive, first cars, trips by train, a





#### GoodOldDaysMagazine.com

Good Old Days comes to life online with an instant look at the current issue, a preview of the next issue and keyed access to past issues with searchable features. Also find extra editorial content, downloads, special offers and more. All of the articles and pages on GoodOldDaysMagazine.com can be viewed with large type and images to prevent eyestrain and to encourage time spent on the site.

Average monthly page views: 18,000





#### **Good Old Days Newsletter**

Over 40,000 nostalgia lovers have signed up for Good Old Days' FREE newsletter, which arrives every three weeks and features stories, trivia questions and more from the good old days. This list is regularly updated.

#### **Email Blasts**

Good Old Days has an email database of nostalgia lovers that can be accessed for your company's promotional email blasts. There are approximately a total of 40,000 email subscriber names, with the lists being updated frequently.

## 2014 EDITORIAL CALENDAR\*



## PRINT SCHEDULE

#### January/February 2014 Issue

On sale: December 2013

Holidays Covered: New Year's Eve and Day, Valentine's Day, Presidents Day.

Seasonal Story Examples: Winter activities: snowball fights, skating, sledding, staying busy on long winter days. How I met my spouse, school-time crushes, love and marriage.

#### March/April 2014 Issue

On sale: February 2014

Holidays Covered: St. Patrick's Day, Easter, April Fools' Day.

Seasonal Story Examples: Early spring themes. April Fools' Day jokes, making or flying kites, spring planting. Getting the garden ready, church on Easter Sunday, Easter egg hunts, baseball spring training.

#### May/June 2014 Issue

On sale: April 2014

Holidays Covered: Mother's Day, May Day, Memorial/Decoration Day, Father's Day.

Seasonal Story Examples: Memories of parents and grandparents, Mother's favorite recipes, the start of summer vacation, gardening on hot summer days, graduation.

#### July/August 2014 Issue

On sale: June 2014

Holidays Covered: Independence Day

Seasonal Story Examples: Summer activities. Hot weather, family vacations, threshing time, "Take me out to the ball game." The summer kitchen, canning the garden's produce, making our own summer fun.

#### September/October 2014 Issue

On sale: August 2014

Holidays Covered: Labor Day, Halloween.

Story Examples: The first day of school, favorite Halloween memories, fall foliage; raking leaves, harvesttime, football memories.

#### November/December 2014 Issue

On sale: October 2014

Holidays Covered: Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving, Pearl Harbor Day, Hanukkah, Christmas.

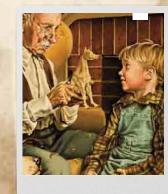
Story Examples: World War II memories, Thanksgiving, "Why I was thankful back then," preparing the

Thanksgiving Day meal, Christmastime in the Good Old Days.

Issue	Ad Close Date	Materials Due Date	Shipped to Subscribers Date	In-Home Date
Jan/Feb 2014	10/24/13	10/31/13	12/13/13	12/31/13
March/April 2014	12/26/13	01/02/14	02/14/14	03/04/14
May/June 2014	02/27/14	03/06/14	04/18/14	05/06/14
July/Aug 2014	04/24/14	05/01/14	06/13/14	07/01/14
Sept/Oct 2014	06/26/14	07/02/14	08/15/14	09/02/14
Nov/Dec 2014	08/28/14	09/04/14	10/17/14	11/04/14
Jan/Feb 2015	10/23/14	10/30/14	12/12/14	12/30/14







<sup>\*</sup>Editorial calendar is subject to change without notice.

## **SPECS**

## **Print**

Full Page

#### **Full Page**

8" x 103/4" Trim **Bleed** 8½" x 11¼"

#### **Two-Thirds Page**

Vertical 45/8" x 91/2" 7" x 61/4" Horizontal

1/2 Page Vert

1/4 Page Vert

Page

1/3 Page Horizontal

⅔ page Horizontal

#### **One-Third Page**

21/4" x 91/2" Vertical Horizontal 7" x 31/8" Square 45/8" x 45/8"

#### **One-Half Page**

Vertical 3½" x 9½" 7" x 45/8" Horizontal

1/4 Page Horizontal

> 1/3 Page Vert

1/6 Page Horizontal 3/3 Page

Vertical

 $\frac{1}{6}$ Page Vert

#### **One-Fourth Page**

3½" x 45%" Vertical Horizontal 45/8" x 31/2"

#### **One-Sixth Page**

21/4" x 45/8" Vertical Horizontal 45/8" x 21/4"

#### **One-Twelfth Page**

21/4" x 21/4" Square

> ½ Page Horizontal

1/3 Page Square

### **Online**

Unit Size (Pixels) Leaderboards 728 x 90 Wide Skyscraper 160 x 600 Medium Rectangle 300 x 250

Full Page PDF Download 8" x 10 ½" (144–350 dpi)

#### **Submitting Materials**

Materials can be submitted via SendMyAd (www.Annies.SendMyAd.com). Proofs and CDs can be mailed to:

Annie's Malinda Webster Ad Sales 306 East Parr Road Berne, IN 46711

#### **Electronic Media**

Annie's operates on a Mac platform. Files must include ALL original files, images (linked, placed or supporting EPS files) and fonts.

#### **Fonts**

All fonts used are to be supplied or converted to outlines.

Contact us with questions:

Malinda Webster Ad Traffic Coordinator (877) 282-4724, ext. 309 Malinda\_Webster@Annies-Publishing.com

#### **Images**

Supply high-resolution images (300 dpi or better). Photoshop files, PDFs, .TIFF, JPEG or EPS files are accepted. (Annie's does not accept responsibility for the quality of lowresolution files.)

#### Colors

All colors must be CMYK. Spot or Pantone colors will be converted to CMYK. Black needs to be 100% black.



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