

Cambria Historical Society Speaker Series
Featuring: Wayne Attoe
"Appreciating Cambria's Chinese Heritage"



Wayne is a Director on Greenspace, The Cambria Land Trust and an Author

Thursday,
June 13, 2019
5:30 PM

at the Historical Museum
2251 Center St. at Burton

Hors d'oeuvres & Beverages will be served

Join us for an informative and interesting evening!

While it is unclear when Chinese first came to the Central Coast, the earliest seem to have arrived by the 1860s. When Chinese arrived on the Pacific coast, they found the California fisheries overflowing with marine species that were considered delicacies in China. Chinese settlers on the Central Coast were engaged in seaweed and abalone harvesting.

Wayne will recount what is known about this era using period photographs, and explain how the surviving association hall (temple) was restored.

Wayne Attoe has lived in Cambria for more than two decades and works with others to conserve its natural environment. An earlier career teaching architecture stressed the value of historic buildings and neighborhoods. He is the author of several books including, "Cambria," Arcadia Publishing's Series on Images of America.

No charge for CHS Members – Advance Reservations

are Required due to limited space

The public is invited for a \$10 fee, which can be applied to a \$30
membership

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