Holly Luncheon RANDY DOLER

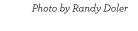
DURING THE ASHEVILLE GLOW CONVENTION, approximately 100 enthusiasts met for the Holly Luncheon. The group's goal, aside from having fun, is sharing information and displaying holly items (china, silver, glassware, etc.). These items were an integral part of the early 1900s Christmas dining tradition in many American homes—a tradition that is still carried on today.



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THE LUNCHEON'S TABLES were decorated with holly-theme centerpieces, which were composed of cherished items brought from participants' collections. Every year a theme is selected and attendees are encouraged to bring items for show and tell. The theme in Asheville was "pitchers" and many beautiful items were presented for display.















