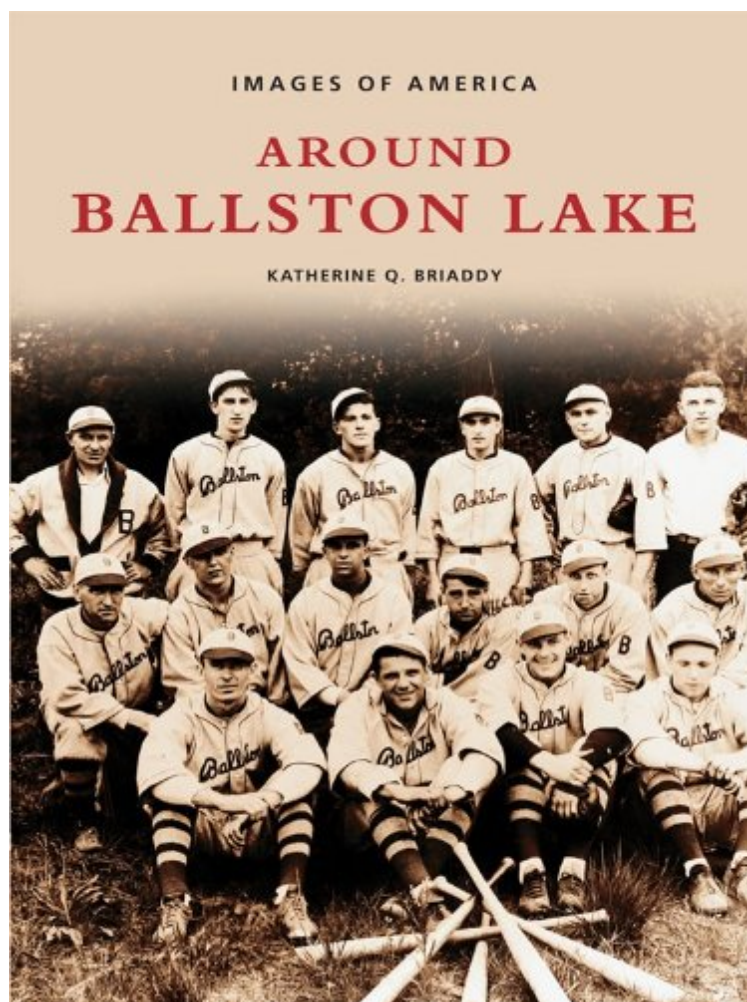


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You will observe the way life used to be for those who chose to call Ballston home.

About the Author Katherine Q. Briaddy has been the town historian of the Town of Ballston since 1976. With *Around Ballston Lake*, she has drawn upon the photographic collections of numerous local residents who have generously lent treasured photographs for use in this book. The result is a visual history that is sure to be cherished by visitors and residents alike.