

# Holland Township Historic Preservation Commission Meeting

Monday, February 4, 2019  
Holland Twp. Municipal Building, 7 PM

## Minutes

### **Meeting called to order at 7:03 PM**

Present: Joseph Becker, Lori Bonham, Dan Bush, Larry LaFevre, Beverly Kirby-McDonough, Carl Molter, Kathy Sciarello

Guest: C. Cielo (by phone)

Excused: Shirley Wydner

*Adequate notice of this meeting was given pursuant to the open public meeting act, by the Twp. Clerk on December 13, 2018.*

Minutes of the January 2019 meeting were approved, as corrected.

### **Hunterdon 305th - 2019 Tour of the Hamlet of Amsterdam**

Larry LaFevre asked for volunteers to support the Amsterdam tour on March 23<sup>rd</sup>. Lori Bonham and Carl Molter agreed to help. Kathy Sciarello stated that the tour was sold out the same day it was posted on social media. Larry said that 4 to 6 people are currently on the wait list, and discussed options for scheduling a second tour. A second tour will be scheduled for September 28<sup>th</sup> (raindate September 29<sup>th</sup>). A backup date of October 26<sup>th</sup> was also selected. Dan Bush made arrangements to close Amsterdam Road from 10:00AM to 2:00PM on March 23<sup>rd</sup>.

### **Storage Room at Riegel Ridge**

Larry said that Alan Turdo helped with moving equipment and setting up the room. A light fixture and electrical outlets will be installed soon. Joe Becker said that additional help is needed to move a cabinet and other material into the room. Joe agreed to schedule a date.

### **Fine/Cyphers Farm**

Larry reported that Michael Margulies has not received any funding or responses to emails / phone calls related to the restoration project. Dan advised Larry to direct Michael to reach out to Maria Elena Kozak – Planning Board Secretary.

### **Other Business**

- **New Publication** - Kathy announced the completion of her new book, “Early Life and Traditions of Holland, NJ - 1916 - 1923”. Kathy will plan for an initial order of 60 books at a total cost of approximately \$500. A new tax exempt certificate will be obtained.
- **Upcoming Lecture** – Larry gave a reminder of an upcoming lecture, “Domestic Outbuildings of Northwest Central New Jersey” by Carla Cielo. The lecture will be held February 5, 2019 at Rutgers University.
- **Bunn Valley Historic District** – No update.

## **Show and Tell**

- Upcoming Presentation – “Governor Livingston at the Crossroads of the American Revolution” by Dr. James Gigantino II. Event scheduled for February 9<sup>th</sup> at the Hunterdon County Historic Courthouse, Flemington, NJ - Larry
- Photographs – Copies from Riegel Paper Group on Facebook. One picture, taken in 1949, featured 324 young campers at Riegel Ridge - Larry
- Exhibit – “Manufacturing Victory: The Arsenal of Democracy”, February 2 - May 5, 2019 at the Mercer Museum, Doylestown, PA. (This is a traveling exhibit from The National World War II Museum in New Orleans, LA.) - Larry

**Next Meeting: Monday, March 4th at 7:00PM**

**Meeting Adjourned: 8:00PM**