

November 1, 2021 Historical Advisory Committee Meeting and Christmas at the Center Schedule

Members Present: Henry Kobik, Dee Simkins Diane Stockinger, Kathryn Saxton-Granato,
Joe Bilinski, Colin McLain, Carolyn Gant, Carol Coulbourn.

Members Absent: Joe Darminio, Frank Pfrommer

Guest Present: None – Mary Petsch-Wilson, Twp. Committee Rep. called in advance-sick

The November Meeting of the Historical Advisory Committee was called to order in the History Center at 7:05 p.m.

Mrs. Coulbourn passed around the Delsea Regional High School Year Books for the years 2020 and 2021. She noted that she had picked them up and paid for them. She also paid for the 2022 year book in advance to keep our collection up to date. The Class of 2020 had spent most of the year doing classes on line due to Covid 19 shut downs. It was a very unusual year for their class, like no other time our lifetime.

An invitation to the South Jersey History Fair was received. The date was set for Saturday, June 11, 2022, with a rain date of June 12th. The event was cancelled last year, as most events were that had been scheduled. It was noted that at the prior event our group won a prize and the event was a big success. Mrs. Coulbourn stated she would send in the \$25.00 registration fee, which helps cover the advertising for the event. She asked members to mark the date on their calendars.

The Christmas at the Center event, to be held December 4th from noon until 4:00 p.m. was discussed. Volunteers would be needed to greet visitors and stamp “Passports”. Mrs. Coulbourn stated she would need to be in the Railroad Station running trains with her brother, and they would be shorthanded. She stated she would open the Center about 11:30 a.m. unfortunately her daughter would be working and unable to assist this year. A tentative schedule will be prepared for volunteers.

It was decided to have a “What is it?” display. Ten items will be numbered and displayed. Entry forms will be available and people can pick out five items to identify. They will need to put their names and telephone numbers on the items. The winners will be called to pick up their gift cards. The gift cards were left over from Community Day. The “What is it?” game was very popular at Community Day.

Mrs. Coulbourn noted that the air conditioning had not been repaired and she was not certain if the heating system was impacted by the problem. She also stated she had been contacted by a member of Delsea’s alumni regarding 50th reunion seeking information and pictures. She informed them the Center had information and pictures and offered to meet with a representative in the near future.

The plans for the renovation to the foyer area have been revised. The right side of the foyer as you enter the History Center will be converted to a meeting room. The left side will remain open, leaving the History Center more visible to visitors.

The meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Coulbourn

Christmas at the Center Schedule for the Historical Advisory Committee

Opening - 11:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. -	Monica Zuba & Kathryn Saxton-Granato
12:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m.	Henry Kobik & Kathryn
1:30 p.m. until 2:30 p.m.	Diane Stockinger & Kathryn
2:30 p.m. until 3:30 p.m.	Carolyn Gant & Kathryn

Floater: Joe Bilinski & Tommy Coulbourn. My daughter has to work, therefore, I hope to have the 2 floaters to assist.

Carol's home phone 856-694-0654 Cell 609-970-3912

I will be running our family's train display with my brother. We will be working shorthanded and I will be unable to leave.

I will set out 10 items for the "What is it display" with numbers. They can select 5 items to try to name and enter for the drawing. **THEY MUST PUT THEIR NAME & TELEPHONE NUMBERS ON THE PAPER** so I can contact them.

There will a stamp of an old typewriter & a stamp pad to stamp the kids "Passports".

If you cannot make it for some reason, please email me back or call me. If your name is not on the schedule and you would like to volunteer, please feel free to come out.

THANKS TO ALL!

Kathryn – I thought you said you would be available the entire time, if I was incorrect, please let me know.