

CHESTERFIELD HISTORIC AND LANDMARKS PRESERVATION COMMITTEE
MAY 13, 2015 MINUTES

ATTENDANCE: James Brown, Ann Chrissos, George Chrissos, Jane Durrell, Lynne Johnson, Anne Lewis, Rena Rothwell, Tom Rothwell

PLANNING STAFF LIASON: Jonathan Raiche

Tom Rothwell, Chair, brought the meeting to order at 5:35. He introduced a new Committee member, Jim Brown, from Ward I. Jim will ask his neighbor who is an Eagle Scout leader if scouts would be interested in projects like a replica of an ancient Chesterfield village.

MINUTES: The March 11, 2015 minutes were held over until the July meeting because of a possible change as requested by Aimee.

TREASURER'S REPORT: DeeAnn sent in via Jane Durrell this report: As of April 30, 2015 the CHLPC has \$24,153.15. \$127 was earned last month from the sale of books out of \$271.70 since January 1.

OLD BUSINESS

CALENDAR REPORT: Jane Durrell needs help selling advertising and finding businesses who will allow 2016 calendar sales. Pictures for the 2016 calendar will be chosen next week and Bill England, who recently resigned due to health, will scan and enhance them. The calendars should be ready to deliver to sale locations by October 1 if Jane gets adequate help. Tom will speak to the Chesterfield Chamber of Commerce about their members selling the 2016 calendars in their business and will also see if they want to appoint one of their members as a liason to the CHLPC.

SPEAKERS: Ann Chrissos spoke at Ascension. She said that the Ladue News reporter who did a phone interview with her had made some errors in an April 17 Ladue News article. George suggested that the Citizen should have a notice every issue offering CHLPC speakers on Chesterfield history and mentioning all the books sold by CHLPC at City Hall. Tom said they also should include a link to the City website for the CHLPC.

CHANNEL FOUR INTERVIEW: Jane Durrell was interviewed and videotaped at City Hall for a morning KSDK program.

HISTORICAL DISPLAY CASES: Tom has priced glass top "suitcase" display cases with locks at \$150. We might consider displaying some artifacts in various locations in these cases. We would have displayed artifacts evaluated before displaying.

NEW BUSINESS

CHESTERFIELD PATCH: Tom suggested that we should send Chesterfeld Patch some "factoids" about Chesterfield history for news releases. Jane has a sheet of them and

will get them to Tom. We also could post an old photo from our files that we cannot identify and ask for readers' help.

VETERANS MEMORIAL DONATION : Tom said that the Committee planning the Veterans Memorial has requested that the CHLPC give a donation. In 2014 we gave \$280, a percentage of the sale of Why We Fought by Mark Leach. Tom will find out if the Memorial is funded completely from private donations or also from the City.

POST DISPATCH MAP: Lynne passed around a map from the May 10 Post Dispatch showing old structure locations in St Louis County and City. She will try to get an enlarged section of just Chesterfield.

WIEGAND STRUCTURE UPDATE: Jane reported that we should be on alert for a proposed sale of the former Wiegand House/Sculpture Gallery. This is on the CHLPC list of Historic Structures of Interest. We should be contacted by the Chesterfield Planning Department if the structure is threatened by the sale. The Wiegand Foundation will also be involved if the structure is threatened.

A motion to adjourn was made by Anne Lewis and seconded by Ann Chrissos at 6:25. All approved.

The next CHLPC meeting is Wednesday, July 8, 2015.