

**Chesterfield Historical Committee  
Minutes  
August 9, 2006**

**Members Present**

Christina Landram- Chairperson	Bill Wunderlich
Terry Wunderlich, Vice Chair	Henry Pecherski
Rob Landram	Dan Rothwell
Connie Farkas	Jean Speranza
Arland Stemme	Bob DeFer
Ted Goedecke	Doris DeFer
Nell Goedecke	Jane Durrell, Council Liaison
Stan Dampier	Suzie Marx
Joan Schacht	

The meeting was called to order by Bill Wunderlich at 7:30 p.m.

**Minutes**

The minutes of the previous meeting were postponed until the next meeting for review as they were distributed at the beginning of tonight meeting

**Nominating Committee:**

**Slate of Offices**

Chairperson	Christine Landram
Vice Chair	Terry Wunderlich
Secretary	Suzie Marx
Treasure/Financial Liaison	Bob Landram
Corresponding Secretary	Dan Rothwell

Motion was made and the Slate of Officers were passed.

Chris Landram was in charge of the meeting going forward.

**Treasurer's Report.**

Bob reported balance on hand is \$15,367.05

Books:	1 in June
	1 in July
Calendars:	1 in June
	35 in July
Coloring Books:	3 sold

## **Old Business.**

### **A. Date for the Marker-**

Dan Rothwell indicated the Ceremony for the Justus Post Marker has been set/scheduled for September 23, 2006 @ 9:30 at WildHorse Elementary School

-Jane Durrell- Councilperson and Historical Committee Liaison will be speaking as Mayor Nations will not be available.

### **B. Fall Bus Tour**

- Dan Rothwell will be directing the Fall Bus Tour on October 7, 2006 @ 9:30 am.
- Dan is making arrangements for transportation
- Cost \$15.00 per person- 24 spaces available
- Jean and Terry will help if a second bus is needed for the tour

### **C. Minna Waldman House**

- The paperwork has been submitted to the Department of Conservation on August 3, 2006
- The Department of Conservation will be responsible for cleaning the area/land on the outside of the Home
- City of Chesterfield will be subleasing the Home to the Heritage Foundation

## **New Business**

### **A. Calendars for 2007**

- 700 calendars have been ordered at a cost of \$3,347.33
- Calendars should be available by the end of August

### **B. Samuel Conway Homestead Legend**

- was presented by Terry Wunderlich, who explained the legend shows streets from 1872 and earlier
- the legend was placed in an Auction on March 1, 1873. It was submitted to the Auction House n 12/24/01872

### **D. Bonhomme Cemetery**

- There are two tombstones standing and the dates to 1801
- The Cemetery has been cleaned

- Discussion was held on having a 'Dog Park' near the cemetery
- this will be taken under advisement by the Committee and discussed at later date.

E. Book on the History of Chesterfield

-discussion was held on having a chapter on the POW's and looking for people to interview who remember the POW's being in the Valley/Gumbo.

F. Antiquity Committee

- Henry suggested showing the different Arrowhead and pottery to the various schools for the school children to see

- Henry and Mark recently found pottery from 'firepots' at construction sites

- a map was shown which will be presented to the Planning and Zoning Committee indicating the Archeological Sites in Chesterfield that have been Registered with the State

G. Air Show/County Fair

- being held September 1, 2006 thru September 4, 2006

- Historical Committee assistance will not be needed this year

H. Fall Festival

- Date to be set

Announcements:

-The American Legion will be dedication the Ball Fields on August 20, 2006 @ 3:00 pm with a Flag Raising Ceremony including the POW Flag.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50 pm. The next meeting will be September 13, 2006 @ 7:30 pm