

# **Chesterfield Historical Commission**

**Minutes**  
**August 13, 2008**

Barbara Whitman	Nell Goedecke
Shari Borlin	Ted Goedecke
Dave Borlin	Jean Speranza
Bob Landram	Jesse Francis
Chris Landram	Dan Rothwell
Ann Chrissos	Joan Schacht
Arland Stemme	Brian Calderwood

Dave Borlin called the meeting to order at 7:33 p.m.

## **PROGRAM**

Bob Landram presented a DVD of the 1993 Flood in Chesterfield as reported by KSD Channel 5. He gave Arland Stemme a DVD and video copies of the program for the archives.

## **JULY MINUTES**

The July 9, 2008 minutes were accepted as written.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- A. Calendars – none sold in July. The 2009 Calendar has been proofed once. Two photos from the Commission archives will appear in a new book, *St. Louis: Yesterday & Today*.
  1. The Commission will be paid \$70 for their use.
  2. It was decided that \$25 per photo should be charged for an individual or group to use photos from the Commission's archives and the photos should be credited to the Historical Commission.
- B. Book Sales – 4 books sold to the Hog Hollow Art Gallery. Dave provided City Hall with 5 copies to be sold.
- C. Financial Liaison – \$17,725.48 as of July 31, 2008.
- D. Chesterfield History Book – 3 more chapters have been completed. The Book Committee is still looking at a December publication. The next committee meeting will be September 25, 2008 at 7:30 p.m. at Arland Stemme's house.
- E. Bettendorf/Sachs House – no new developments. Joan suggested that the Commission check with other communities on how they finance and staff their historic buildings.
- F. Current history – Joan collected articles on recent events for the archives.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

- A. Flood signs – historical signs may be the job of the Landmark's Preservation Commission. It was decided that the Historical Commission would defer to the Landmark's Commission for signs.
- B. Historic Marker Standards – will be determined by the Landmark's Commission.

- C. Future Program Topics – Chris Landram will show an 8 minute program on the site of Friendship Village.

**NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Faust Park Fine Arts and Folk Festival – September 20 & 21, 10 a. m. – 5 p. m. Ted Goedecke is scheduling workers.
- B. Jesse Francis will check on a possible available building in Faust Park to be used by the Historical Commission for a museum, storage and meetings. He suggested that the Davis House might be appropriate and available. It has an alarm, basement, sprinkler system, and handicap accessibility. He will provide an answer at the September meeting.
- C. Normal communications – Dave Borlin sends the Agenda to City Hall where it is posted on the city's website. The minutes are emailed or mailed. He plans to send a reminder of the upcoming meeting.
- D. Gene Schenberg – replaces Jane Durrell as the Chesterfield Council Liaison.
- E. Citizen of the Year for Historical Preservation – idea was discussed. Recognizing 2 age groups, youth and adult, was suggested. No decision was made.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 p. m.

The next meeting will be September 10, 2008 at 7:30 p. m. at City Hall.

Submitted by Ann Chrissos.