# South Londonderry Township Historical Commission

Meeting Minutes for Monday, September 10, 2018, 7:00pm

Presiding: Cindy Skinner – Vice Chair

Members Present: Susan Bucks, Rugh Henderson, Sid Hostetter, Lois Matarazzi – Secretary,

Members Absent: Trevor Kase, Maria Pichini – Chair

The South Londonderry Township Historical Commission (the "Commission") met in the South Londonderry Township (the "Township") Building in Campbelltown.

Motion passed to accept the minutes from July 9th. [No August meeting – National Night Out]

#### **General Discussion**

Cindy shared a box of items that was information on the bell, dating back to 1950's. Lois will contact the Township and ask to have the items stored with the other historical items in the Township building. Cindy has recently been contacted by a gentleman on behalf of the Dissinger family. They have some historical items that they would like to donate to the Commission. Cindy will bring the items to a future meeting once she has received them.

#### **Annual Preservation Award**

Susan met with the owners of the Mumma House/Farm, David and Jade. She was able to gather valuable information on the property. David wrote a nice article, which Susan will forward to the Township so it can be submitted as the article for the next Township newsletter. The certificate has been printed and ready to be presented. Presentation will be determined at the convenience of the recipients.

A special note of thanks to Mary Blose of Blose Printing for her continued support of the Commission in preparing, printing and assembling the Preservation Certificate every year at no expense to the Commission. Her kindness and dedication are greatly appreciated.

## South Londonderry Township Area Historical Society of Lebanon County, Pennsylvania {"SLHS"}

SLHS is continuing to organize an event for the end of October. It will be a historical reading of the poem "Legend of the Hounds" penned by George H. Boker. The SLHS is planning to put some type of advertisement on the new map/guide that the Township is putting together. Lois to contact the Township to ensure the Commission is represented on the new map/guide.

### Residential History Research Workshop

No update

#### <u>Newsletter</u>

The next scheduled newsletter is planned on being sent in October. Lois to contact the Township for the article submission deadline.

## Bell Memorial in front of Fire Hall

No update, due to the unfavorable weather conditions.

## 2018 Projects/Ideas

- \*Annual Preservation Award Mumma House/Farm will be 2018 recipient
- \*Updating/adding information to the South Londonderry Historical Inventory
- \* Participation in annual National Night Out

Residential History Research Workshop [may be completed in 2019]

\*Ongoing projects

## **Next Historical Commission Meeting**

Monday, October 8<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm, at the Township Building.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted, Lois Matarazzi