

HHHS PasTimes

Howell Heritage and Historical Society – Newsletter – July 2024

Meetings 4th Friday, 7 pm, Ardena Baptist Church Gym, Adelpia Rd. Howell

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Message From the President:

GREETINGS HHHS MEMBERS,

WE HAD A TERRIFIC MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT. MANY MEMBERS WERE IN ATTENDANCE. IT IS ENCOURAGING TO SEE MORE AND MORE MAKING THE MEETINGS. WILLIAM (BILL) DITTO OF WEST FARMS ANTIQUES, SPOKE ABOUT OLD TIME SILVER. HE WILL BE BACK LATER THIS MONTH TO SHOWCASE AND DISCUSS GLASSWARE.

WE ARE BUSY PLANNING FUTURE EVENTS FOR BOTH ARDENA SCHOOLHOUSE AND MACKENZIE HOUSE FOR THIS FALL. OUR 50/50 RAFFLE IS MOVING FORWARD, MORE DETAILS TO COME ON THIS FUNDRAISER. WE ARE STILL WAITING ON OUR LICENSE APPROVAL.

LET'S ENJOY HHHS AND ALL IT HAS TO OFFER. WE WOULD LOVE TO SEE YOU AT OUR MEETINGS AND OUR OPEN HOUSES. AS ALWAYS, PLEASE LET ME KNOW IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, CONCERNS OR SUGGESTIONS.

YOURS TRULY,
JUDE MEEHAN 732-433-3359

On a beautiful evening in June, William Ditto, owner of West Farms Antiques, presented "Silver from England to the New World - an Odyssey"



HHHS Meeting May 24,2024

Submitted by Anne Hartman, Secretary
Call to Order by Jude Meehan, President
Flag Salute and Moment of Silence

Program: Celebration of HHHS 5th anniversary
Members shared stories and recollections of HHHS history and our 2 buildings.

Margaret Winkelman gave a presentation on the history of the Ardena Schoolhouse. Larry Lastra gave a presentation on the MacKenzie House.

Business Meeting:

The Treasurer's report and Secretary's report from the April meeting were accepted with a motion from Ron Alessi and seconded by Catherine Schwier.

Committee Reports:

Finance: Margaret Winkelman reported. Talked about the regular expenses for both buildings. Margaret asked for a volunteer to review the Treasurer's report on a quarterly basis. Ellen McGirr offered to assist.

Fundraising: Fundraising efforts need to continue with new ideas welcome. Margaret Winkelman and Doris Czarniecki met regarding the 50/50 raffle. The application needs to be notarized. The ticket sales will start in July with the drawing being held on Howell Day. Evelyn Malsbury presented a quilt and the idea to hold a raffle for the quilt with a possible drawing in December. The paperwork for that raffle would need to be completed. Margaret Winkelman had a birthday recently and asked people to donate to HHHS in lieu of gifts. \$610 was raised!

MacKenzie House: The attendance during Weekend in Old Monmouth was good both days. Open Houses will continue on the 3rd Saturday of the month.

Ardena Schoolhouse: Attendance was good during the Weekend in Old Monmouth. The Open Houses will continue on the 4th Sunday of the month. The Boy Scout has started work on the structure to house the bell.

Old Business: A group of first grade Girl Scouts recently visited the Ardena Schoolhouse. The paranormal group spent 6 hours at the MacKenzie House and did not make any significant findings.

New Business: Nothing to report.

Future Events:

May 27- Farmingdale Memorial Day Parade
MacKenzie House tours June 15
Ardena Schoolhouse tours June 23

Next HHHS meeting: June 28th

Vicky Arose made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Jude Meehan.

Anniversary cake was enjoyed by all.

Upcoming HHS Fund-Raiser 50/50 Raffle

HOWELL HERITAGE & HISTORICAL SOCIETY		Name: _____
Capital Improvements 50/50 Fund Raiser		Phone: _____
1st Prize - 25 %	2nd Prize - 15 %	3rd Prize - 10 %
ON SALE SOON! DRAWING October 27th!		Address 1: _____
		Address 2: _____
		Email: _____
001	Need not be present to win.	\$5.00 EACH
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Boy Scout Eagle Project in Progress at Ardena Schoolhouse



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!



Upcoming Event at MacKenzie Museum and Library!

Open House – Sat. July 20th 1-4 pm



July Program and Meeting Friday, July 26th 7pm

**Program: America Table Glass from 1700 to 1920
William A. B. Ditto, West Farms Antiques**



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Upcoming Event at Ardena One Room Schoolhouse!

Open House – Sun. July 28th 1-4 pm



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Howell Heritage and Historical Society Now collecting 2024 Dues!

2024 Membership/ Donation Form

I would like to enroll as a member in the category below:

___ \$20 individual ___ \$30 family

___ \$50 sponsor ___ \$100 patron

I would like to make a donation:

Amount: \$ _____ donation

Name _____

Street _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone(s) _____

Email _____

Please send this form & your check,

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