

Uwchlan Township Historical Commission
Minutes of Meeting March 10, 2022

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by the Chair Lee Wisdom.

Members present: Lee Wisdom, Teddi Wright, Ruth Osborn, Charlene Servian, Judy Haupt, Holly Lopacki & Mike Huffman.

Members Excused: Lou Paul, Patti & Art Meister.

Members Absent: None

Guests: Celeste Hardester, Sam & Melba Matthews, Sara Matthews, Carolyn Matthews Eaglehouse, Bruce Harrop, Bryan Herling, Angeline Hurling

Celeste Hardester, author of the book on Milky Way Farms did an excellent presentation on her book. Sam Matthews presented a copy of the book to the Historical Commission for inclusion in the Commission Library.

Minutes of the February 10, 2022, meeting. Minutes were approved as amended. Motion to accept the minutes as amended was made by Teddi Wright, Judy Haupt seconded motion. Motion carried by voice vote.

Chairs Report: Lee Wisdom informed the membership that the Chester County Metal Detectors had detected the Vickers Tavern property as approved by the owners. The detecting found a few objects but nothing of major significance. In the future they would like to detect around the Cadwalader and Edith P. Moore Schoolhouse. Their E-mail address is "Chester County Metal Detecting.com."

Vice Chair Report – Nothing to report.

Treasurer's report – Ruth Osborn informed the Historical Commission membership that Petty Cash Funds had a balance of \$555.12 as of meeting date.

Office Managers Report – The Cadwalader House heater needed a new part and has been repaired. The Water Heater shorted out and was turned off until repairs on it are completed.

Sub-Committee Reports:

Township Liaison Report: Nothing to report.

Publicity: Judy Haupt, Lou Paul and Teddi Wright are involved with the Uwchlan Community Day preparation. Teddi also reported that the Historical Commission Open House events will be published in the "Town Lively" paper. Charlene Servian did an excellent job with the Vickers Tavern Facebook posts. There were a lot of shares and likes on this post.

Planning Commission Liaison: Nothing to report.

Library: Lee Wisdom informed the Commission members that Steve Oksala had made arrangements to come to the Cadwalader Library to research Marchwood. When finished he will share his research with the Commission. Lee also indicated that she viewed the Estelle Cremer's Papers which were donated to the Chester County History Center after her death. Lee also gave a copy of "Early Residents of Uwchlan Township" by Eleanor Davis to the Chester County History Center.

Open House 2022 Schedule is as follows: April 3, May 1, June 5, July 3, August 7, September 4, October 2, and November 6.

Open House May 1st: Cadwalader – 2 volunteers needed. School House – Charlene Servian and one volunteer needed.

New Business: Juneteenth 2022. Judy Haupt has been keeping the Historical Commission members updated on Chester County's Juneteenth Celebration. Lee made arrangements to have both The Cadwalader and School House cleaned.

Other Business: None

Next Meeting Thursday April 14, 2022, in person at the Cadwalader House 7:30 PM.

Meeting Adjourned at 9:00 PM. by Chair Lee Wisdom. Mike Huffman made the motion to adjourn, and motion seconded by Charlene Servian.

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Huffman
Secretary,
For the Commission