

NOV 9, 2015 CHPB APPROVED MINUTES

ATTENDANCE AND PLEDGE:

Bonnie Moore, Chair; Phil Siupernault Vice Chair, Linda Hamilton, Sect., Rona Pearce, Earl Bassett, Judy Schreck, Pete Widener and Michael Slattery, Liaison

OCTOBER 19, 2015 MINUTES APPROVED: Rona moved, Pete 2nd. Carried

WEBSITE: Phil will finish a couple more pictures and show the slides at our next meeting for our discussion and possible editing. He will work with Chris Levey to finish. Chris can then tweak the material, so we can see how it will finally appear to the public. Bonnie suggested adding the cobblestone homes and barns to the website. She also suggested adding The Stagecoach Inn and Cobblestone School House under "Other sites?" We can always add things as time goes on. Phil said we could spotlight a certain Landmark changing the spotlighted building from time to time. Peter said that the Cobblestone School House is on our Letterhead so that we could use it as a logo. Phil agreed that he could help with additions to the website when time allows. He cautioned that the web is now an exciting part of our lives, but maintaining it is a large job as it becomes more elaborate.

ROBERTS WESLEYAN'S COX HALL: Bonnie reported on our tour of Cox Hall from Ruth Logan, an executive VP. The windows are 3 on 1. B.T. Roberts was the founder of Roberts. His funeral was held in the Cox Hall Auditorium. The landscaping, and outside furniture was attractive and welcoming. The foundation was constructed of field stone and boulders. Peter was impressed imagining how two men must have lifted the heavy boulders up into the wall. Bonnie told Ruth that the board could start filling in the application for Landmark Status.

JAMES BURKJHARD'S HOUSE AT 106 OLD SCOTTSVILLE-CHILI ROAD: Bonnie sent him a letter explaining the process, and he responded positively being eager to continue the restoration of their home and eventually have their home considered for Landmark Status.

LANDMARK FORUM EVENT: Bonnie mentioned our idea to David Dunning. We was excited and wanted to know how the town could help.

- Peter Wisby from Genesee Country Museum is a good resource to present at the forum.
- Cindy Boyer- Landmark Society of Western New York

APPLICATION REVISION:

The board made suggestions for revising the application to make it more user-friendly. Linda will rewrite it using the suggestions and send it to board members for their editing. Bonnie will write a cover letter including material from the first page and mentioning the Preservation Codes in a nonthreatening way. Linda will create a mock up of the application and send it to board members to edit.

OPEN FORUM:

Peter mentioned an Art Club Contest of buildings which are no longer standing in Chili. Peter will provide pictures of these buildings to the club. Peter was asked to judge the art work; he asked Bonnie to help also. This will probably be in the spring.

Dedication of Sulky Plow was held on Oct. 22 Peter had pictures of the plow and stone.

Next meeting Dec 14-- Members may bring snacks to share.

ADJOURNMENT:

Peter moved that we adjourn and Judy 2nd . Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Hamilton, Secretary