

# COLTS NECK HISTORICAL PRESERVATION COMMITTEE

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2012  
5:30 PM, TOWNSHIP HALL

**In Attendance:**

Lillian G. Burry, Chairperson  
Jarrett Engel, Township Committee Liaison  
Ellen Terry, Secretary  
Susan Baker  
Patricia Eastman  
Jennifer Engel  
Mary Fournier  
Harold Kilbride  
Laura Kolnoski  
Patricia Mitchell  
Toni Morello  
Maggie Osmulski  
Ann Rippa  
Frank Rizzuto  
Louise Whitney

**Absent:**

Jane Davis (excused)  
Bud Wheeler (excused)

1. Mrs. Burry called the meeting to order at 5:30 PM, stating “The notice requirements of the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Law have been satisfied by forwarding a news release to the Asbury Park Press on January 7, 2012, stating that a meeting of the Colts Neck Historical Preservation Committee would be held on February 7, 2012 at 5:30 PM, at Town Hall. The notice requirements have been posted on the Township bulletin board and a copy is on file in the Office of the Township Clerk.” Mrs. Burry then led the Salute to the Flag.
2. Mrs. Burry introduced new member Susan Baker, and new Committee Liaison, Mayor Jarrett Engel. On a motion by Mrs. Kolnoski and seconded by Mrs. Osmulski, Mrs. Burry was re-elected Chairperson. On a motion by Mrs. Fournier and seconded by Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. Kilbride was re-elected Vice-Chairperson. On a motion by Mrs. Burry and seconded by Mr. Kilbride, Ms. Terry was re-appointed as Secretary. On a motion by Mrs. Osmulski and seconded by Mrs. Engel, the minutes of the December 6, 2011 meeting were accepted.

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3. Mrs. Burry announced that Ms. Lennox has resigned, due to family responsibilities, and read a letter from Ms. Lennox. Mrs. Burry reported that Cindy Feury has submitted her resume and applied for a position on the Committee. Mrs. Feury works from home and therefore would be available for Committee work.

Mrs. Burry requested that Mr. Kilbride work with her to decide which Welcome signs should be refurbished. Some signs are missing. Mr. Rizzuto suggested that signs be installed using a bolt that required a special tool for removal, to prevent theft. Mrs. Burry asked Mr. Engel if the posts could be cleaned and painted by Public Works.

4. Mrs. Burry reviewed the proposed Committee budget. An historic re-enactor program for the Middle School will be retained. Mrs. Kolnoski reported that the new Historic Colts Neck pamphlets should cost about \$1.00 each, plus the cost of art work.

Mrs. Burry suggested, in view of so many people regretting the absence of a House Tour in 2011, that the House Tour be re-instated this year. She suggested that the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Delicious Orchards could set a theme. Mr. Engel suggested inclusion other non-residences, such as the Reformed Church, Lairds and 4JGs Winery, which has a Sears catalog house on its property, as well as Old St. Mary's, which is now a residence and was included on a previous tour. The date was set for October 6. Mrs. Fournier, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Morello, Mrs. Osmulski and Mr. Rizzuto offered to be on a committee to support the Tour. Mrs. Burry will be the lead person.

5. The Committee set the date of April 22 for the Spring Reception. Mr. Kilbride, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Osmulski and Ms. Rippa offered to be on a committee to host the event. Mr. Kilbride will try to find an appropriate location.
6. On a motion by Mrs. Morello and seconded by Mrs. Fournier, the meeting was adjourned at 6:44 PM. The next meeting will be on Tuesday, March 6, 2012, at 5:30 PM at Township Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

Ellen Terry  
Secretary