

# COLTS NECK HISTORICAL PRESERVATION COMMITTEE

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2011  
5:30 PM, TOWNSHIP HALL

**In Attendance:**

Lillian G. Burry, Chairperson  
Ed Eastman, Township Committee Liaison  
Ellen Terry, Secretary  
Jane Davis  
Patricia Eastman  
Jennifer Engel  
Mary Fournier  
Patricia Mitchell  
Toni Morello  
Ann Rippa  
Frank Rizzuto  
Louise Whitney

**Absent:**

Harold Kilbride (excused)  
Laura Kolnoski (excused)  
Lucy Lennox (excused)  
Maggie Osmulski (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, 2011, stating that a meeting of the Colts Neck Historical Preservation Committee would be held on December 6, 2011 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. On a motion by Mrs. Davis and seconded by Mr. Rizzuto, the minutes of the November 1, 2011 meeting were accepted.
3. Mrs. Burry reported that the Thomas Jefferson vs. Alexander Hamilton debate at the Middle School on November 3 was exceptionally good and a huge success. The actors clearly presented the difference in character and beliefs of these two historic figures.

Mrs. Burry announced that the Township Reorganization Meeting will be held on Saturday, January 7, 2012. Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Engel, Mrs. Fournier and Ms. Rippa agreed to three year reappointments. Mayor Jarrett Engel will be Township Committee liaison. Susan Baker and Bud Wheeler will fill vacancies. Mrs. Burry thanked Mr. Eastman for all he has done for the Committee and for his guidance in historical preservation.

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4. Mrs. Burry offered kudos to Mrs. Whitney for obtaining funds to refurbish the Welcome to Colts Neck signs.
5. Mrs. Burry remarked that she hopes that the Historic Colts Neck brochure is at the printer, and is looking forward to having it to distribute at events in 2012.
6. Mrs. Mitchell reported that she and Mrs. Osmulski will host a Holiday Party at Mrs. Osmulski's home on Sunday, December 11, from 5 to 8 PM. They will supply deserts, coffee and tea. Participants are requested to bring a cold appetizer and a bottle of wine.
7. Mrs. Burry led a discussion of possible activities in 2012. The very successful and very popular historic reenactor program at the Middle School will continue. Mrs. Burry remarked that many people have commented that they missed the House Tour this year. Mrs. Burry expressed the belief that having both the House Tour and being the lead agency for a Halloween event is more work than the Committee can support. Mr. Rizzuto suggested that having both a House Tour, plus a cemetery tour as part of a larger event with another sponsor, might be feasible. A Spring Reception will be scheduled, not to conflict with the PTO's Kitchen Tour.
8. On a motion by Mrs. Mitchell and seconded by Mrs. Morello, the attached schedule for 2012 was adopted.
8. On a motion by Mrs. Fournier and seconded by Mrs. Davis, the meeting was adjourned at 6:18 PM. The next meeting will be on Tuesday, February 7, 2012, at 5:30 PM at Township Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

Ellen Terry  
Secretary

**COLTS NECK TOWNSHIP  
HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMITTEE  
2012 MEETING SCHEDULE**

Tuesday, February 7, 2012

Tuesday, March 6, 2012

Tuesday, April 3, 2012

Tuesday, May 1, 2012

Tuesday, June 12, 2012

Tuesday, August 7, 2012

Tuesday, September 4, 2012

Tuesday, October 2, 2012

Tuesday, November 13, 2012

Tuesday, December 4, 2012