

Minutes
San Anselmo Historical Commission Meeting
October 17, 2018

Judy Coy convened the meeting of the members of the San Anselmo Historical Commission at 7:30 pm on September 19, 2018 in the Museum.

Members present: Alan Cascio, Judy Coy, Tom Hendricks, Dick Miner, Andrea Pearce, Antone Sousa, Rick Storms, Callia Weisinger-Vallas.

Town Library Director Linda Kenton also in attendance.

The minutes of the meeting of September 19, 2018 were approved. (Hendricks/Storms)

There was no financial report in Carol's absence.

Discussion Items/Unfinished Business:

1. Oral History Project: Dick conducted an 1-1/2 hour oral history interview with Mary Ellen Kiernan Goepp who lived on Saunders. He has an interview planned with Malcolm McClorg.
2. Collections/ Database/ Acquisitions/ Research Projects:
 - a. Acquisitions: Judy reported that a digital image of Commodore T.H. Allen was received. Allen was the original owner of Sugarfoot at his San Francisco North Beach estate.
 - b. Judy is continuing the research on Yolanda Court and 100 Alder.
 - c. Historical signage will be needed for the new Memorial Ridge Trail. Brian Crawford will provide a draft version.
3. Publication of Historical Walk: Alan and Judy are reviewing the route and the script. We need to get a Paypal account to receive payment, and Judy is working on it.
4. Walking Tour Schedules and Participation: Dick reported that he and Rick escorted two Brookside classes on the downtown tour. Hidden Valley is scheduled. The last Stroll of the downtown is scheduled for Oct. 27. Antone plans to join Dick and Judy will cover in the Museum that day. Children's Librarian April Hayley talked to Dick about a possible new program for middle school students.
5. Hallway Display for the Holidays: Judy didn't get any responses to a Facebook post for vintage photos that show San Anselmo families with their Christmas tree or at a holiday dinner. We will likely use material from a past year. Tom has offered to donate whatever decorations are needed.
6. Country Fair Day: It was a great success. There were many visitors to the booth.
7. Museum Docent Schedule: All shifts are covered.
8. Newsletter ideas: Judy is working on the Yolanda Court article. Rick has completed research and an article on the footbridge between Karl and Sais and will send it to Judy for the newsletter. Linda suggested that an article on Creek Park might be a good topic to include.
9. Saturday Parking: Judy and Linda advised members about the availability of parking in the town lot on Saturdays.

Adjournment to October 17, 2018

Meeting adjourned at 8:13pm

Liz Anderson - Secretary