

**Minutes**  
**San Anselmo Historical Commission Meeting**  
**September 18, 2019**

Judy Coy convened the meeting of the members of the San Anselmo Historical Commission at 7:30 pm on September 18, 2019.

Members present: Liz Anderson, Carol Acquaviva, Judy Coy, Tom Hendricks, Dick Miner, Andrea Pearce, Antone Sousa, Rick Storms, Callia Weisiger-Vallas

Member of the public Emma Auer was in attendance.

The minutes of the meeting of July 17, 2019 were approved with changes. (Hendricks/Miner)

Financial Report: Carol reported that the current balance is \$19,479.84 in the Society account. Judy reported that she will be depositing some membership renewals.

Discussion Items/Unfinished Business:

1. Oral History Project: Dick reported that he conducted two oral histories: one with Carmel Ravanni Murphy who grew up in Fairfax, and another with Warren Heiman whose father was architect Samuel Heiman.
2. Collections / Acquisitions/ Research Projects  
Collections/Acquisitions: Judy reported that there are many San Anselmo postcards on eBay right now at very high prices. Most are from the collection of Alan Moder.  
Rick purchased several postcards which he will share with the Museum to scan. One camping-themed postcard purchased with Society funds will be a great addition to the existing collection, and Judy plans to create a "camping" display in the future.  
Carol delivered a photo album circa 1910 donated by Jeff Craemer. It has pictures of San Anselmo in it. Judy shared further information about the bugle that Antone donated. It was presented to Hose Co. #2 for the best decorated fire apparatus in the July 4, 1908 parade.  
The reels of San Anselmo Herald microfilm were returned from Newspapers.com. Judy will follow up with California Digital Newspaper Collection to see when the *Herald* will be available in that collection.  
Research Projects: Judy reported that has been working on several research projects including a residence on Buena Vista (behind 400 Red Hill).  
An author who is working on a biography of composer David Del Tredici will be coming to the museum on Tuesday morning as part of this research. David Del Tredici grew up in San Anselmo.
3. Voicemap Historical Walk: Judy reported that Alan had sent an update to her which she will review and then send back out to the team working on it.
4. Downtown and Seminary Walking Tours: Dick led a Downtown tour as well as a Dojo tour. Coming up he will be leading a Brookside and a St. Anselms tour.  
Other tours coming up include a Seminary tour with 20 signed up and then in October a Downtown tour with 15 signed up so far.
5. Historical Society membership renewal: Judy reported that membership remains constant at about 86 people. She will deposit \$1850 into the Society account of which \$1370 were renewals and \$480 were donations.
6. Hallway Displays: The next display set up will be after Country Fair Day and will feature recent donations.
7. Country Fair Day: Judy passed out sign-up sheets for booth coverage. Set up will be at 8:30 Sunday morning.
8. Museum Docent Schedule: All shifts are covered.

Adjournment to October 16, 2019

Meeting adjourned at 8:25pm

Liz Anderson - Secretary