



President's Column

Brielle Day was a big success, thanks to all who assisted! Despite rainy weather, we did OK, and sold out our soda. County Archives Day followed in October, at the main library in Manalapan. We have again been invited by County Clerk Claire French, to set up a Brielle historic display in the County Hall of Records in Freehold.

The Fall Harvest Luncheon & meeting was enjoyed by 27, at Simko's this past Sunday. Speaker & former Brielle resident, Ralph Phillips, spoke about the Lenni-Lenape Indians, who lived in our area for over 5,000 years. He presented us with three framed pictures on subjects he covered.

We have all been living with the consequences of Sandy plus the following nor'easter. You will be glad to learn there was no damage to the graveyard, and only a young Japanese maple outside the fence was severely compromised. Even our gas light remained lit throughout!

Please return the form on the back of Newsletter, with your 2013 dues payment! Make ALL checks payable to "Union Landing Historical Society" or "ULHS". Checks for "dedicated use" at the Osborn Graveyard or 9/11 Memorial Site, should be so identified in the "Note" section of your check.

We hope to see you at the December 9th meeting & holiday presentation, at the Curtis House!

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New Officers

Suzanne Shea resigned as Treasurer in July. At the August 15th meeting, **Eve Hershkowitz** was nominated & elected to fill the remainder of the

FALL & WINTER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, November 18 @ 2 PM	Fall Luncheon-on-The-River – Simkos
Sunday, December 9 @ 2 PM	Winter Meeting at the Curtis House
Sunday, January 13 @ 2 PM	ANNUAL MEETING at the Curtis House

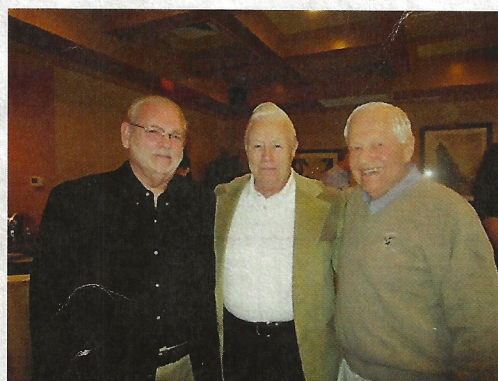
current 3-year term, ending January 2014.

Sunday, December 9th at 2 PM Curtis House

Paul Hamelberg - Old Tin Toys

Brielle resident, Paul will display & talk about some of his collection. Attendees are invited to bring their own tin toys - more than 50 years old - for review. Bring your children & grandchildren!

At the November 18th Fall Luncheon, **Councilwoman Ann Scott** was nominated & elected to fill the 2nd Vice President's position, which has been vacant since Candace Moore left office the end of 2011. **Jim Langenberger** was nominated & elected to fill the Director's position, which was held for a short period this year, by the late Ray Herbert.



New Director Jim Langenberger, Speaker Ralph Phillips & President John Belding, at 11/18 Luncheon

Committees

Bylaws – As the Bylaws have not been updated since 1985, President Belding appointed a Committee in September, to review and revise them. Members **Gail Herbert, Eve Hershkowitz, Bridgette Markuson, Gordon Reinauer**, and President **John Belding** met during September & October, starting from scratch, with "Robert's Rules of Order" as a framework. Copies of the proposed new Bylaws were distributed at the November luncheon, will be available at the December meeting, then e-mailed or snail-mailed to the rest of the paid members. They will be officially presented for discussion, and approval, at the Annual Meeting in January.

Nominating Committee – President Belding appointed Eve Hershkowitz Chair, at the November 18th luncheon. The Chair will select two other members, and the Committee will work thru December, developing a slate of Officers, to present at the Annual Meeting in January.

Welcome to New & Returning Members Since July -

Sharon Hall
Julie Lembo
Jim & Marjorie Langenberger
Mike Murphy
James & Kimberly Pacilio – Sponsors

The Union Landing Historical Society currently has 53 paid memberships.

New Business for 2013

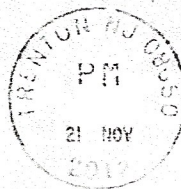
Membership Drive – After the January Election of Officers, a Membership Chair will be appointed, to spearhead a major membership drive. That will include reaching out to lapsed members, and identifying potential new members. Dues are being reduced in the “Sponsor” and “Life member” categories, respectively from \$150 to \$125, and \$500 to \$300, with the Society considering ways to recognize those higher levels of commitment. Corporate Sponsorship is also being reduced from \$300 to \$250, and local & regional businesses & professionals will be contacted for their support.

Historical Family Trees Project – Many of our members & other Brielle residents have historic lineage locally. Some of those people have hand-drawn family trees, but not the skill to capture that valuable information on a computer program, like Family Tree Maker. It would be a win-win situation, if we can get folks to volunteer to have their family trees computerized – for themselves and ULHS archives – with the help of student volunteers who are computer-savvy & interested in history & genealogy! If we have enough family trees to justify a “project”, we’ll investigate a school partnership for technical assistance. *Please let us know if you’d like to participate, with your family tree!*

Student Award-Winner Outreach – The ULHS has been giving awards to students since the early 1990s. Records of those recipients aren’t complete, but we’d like to reach out to these young people, who were interested in Brielle & its history. We’d like to have a program where they can bring us up-to-date on their studies, and current historical involvement!

ULHS Photographer – We’d love to have an official Society photographer, to capture our various activities, for the Newsletter & Archives. *Please contact President John Belding to volunteer!*

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