**Harrington Park Historical Society**

**Meetings and Events**

**2022-2023**

The Harrington Park Historical Society holds General Meetings the first Monday of every month (except where otherwise noted) September through June in the Harrington Park Library (second floor). The meetings begin at 7:30 P.M. and include a lecture by a guest speaker on various topics of history, followed by a reception. Our meetings are open to everyone.

**The Harrington Park Historical Society is a non-profit 501(c)(3) Corporation**

**September 12, 2022**– General Meeting

Speaker: James Calaski, Lecturer, Historian

Topic: “A Nazi Spy from Glen Rock, and the American Bund”

**October 3, 2022**– General Meeting

Speaker: Pat Schuber, Historian, Author, Professor

Topic: “The Lincoln-Douglas Debates”

**October 30, 2022** – Tales of the Old Burying Ground

**November 7, 2022** – General Meeting

Speaker: Mickey DiCamillo, Archivist, Historian, Author

Topic: “When There Were Witches; An Exploration of the Salem Witch Trials”

**December 4/5, 2022** – Holiday Outing

Speaker: Mary Cardenas, Director Orangetown Museum, Historian

Tour of Orangetown Museum & Reception

**January 2, 2023**– General Meeting

Speaker: Herbert S. Gold, U.S. Army Air Force, Eighth Air Force, 705th Bomb Squadron of the 446th Bomb Group flying in a B-24

Topic: Posthumous Reflections of WW 11 Prisoner of War, Herbert S. Gold – Salute to Our Vets

**February 6, 2023** – General Meeting

Speaker: Glenn LeBoeuf, Historian

Topic: “Eight Moral Moments in the Life of Abraham Lincoln”

**March 6, 2023**– General Meeting

Speaker: Eric Nelsen, Director of historic Kearney House, Historical Interpreter, Historian

Topic: “The Yonkers-Alpine Ferry”

**April 3, 2023**

Speaker: Mario Medici, Historian, Lecturer, Owner of Medici Tours

Topic: “Ellis Island”

**April 29, 2023** - History Day

10:00 A.M. – Noon at HP Boro Hall - An Exhibition of Town History. Society Collects Artifacts and Papers

**May 1, 2023**

Speaker: Various Long-Time Residents of HP

Topic: “Tea and Tales”

**June 5, 2023** – General and Society

Speaker: Carol Simon Levin, Author, Historian, Lecturer

Topic: “Crazy Daisy”

**June 10, 2023** – “Members’ Pot Luck Picnic” - 4:00 P.M. at Gerri Gibney’s

**Special Note:**

Please check our web site for Arts Council Events during the 2021-2023 season. We are anticipating several concerts!

**Proud Sponsor of the**

**Harrington Park Arts Council**

***"The Art of Today - The History of Tomorrow!"***

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**Membership Information**

Membership is open to all who are interested in the aims of the Society

Annual Dues:

Individual $20.00

Family $25.00

Youth $5.00 (under 18)

Please note members receive a discount on all Society Events and Activities.

Listed below are Volunteer Opportunities. As a member you can enjoy our lectures, or you might feel the need to be more “hands-on” – it is up to you.

**Volunteer Opportunities**

1. Docent – The Society has “History Hikes” as well as tours of historical homes and neighborhoods. If you enjoy people, and learning local history – this is for you.

2. Archivist – One of our primary functions is to preserve and catalog the history of Harrington Park.

3. Research – Plenty of opportunity here, either on your own or as part of a group for a specific project.

4. Hosts and Hostesses – Volunteers to prepare and serve refreshments are always needed at the membership meetings and special events.

5. H.P. Society Newsletter Author – The editor of the Society Newsletter welcomes articles of local historical interest, as well as personal recollections of earlier days in H.P.

6. Special Projects – This will include the preservation of the Old Burying Ground and Perry Cemeteries, as well as other endeavors.

7. Other – Let us know how you would like to help, and your area of expertise.

**Mailing Address and Contacts**

Mailing address for all correspondence, membership and donations is:

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