



Reminisce/Learn about the  
Mission, Programs and Accomplishments of the  
Wissahickon Valley Historical Society  
Presented by Russ Bellavance

Our president will share a Powerpoint presentation that he prepared and shared with Rotary Club of Blue Bell and will share soon with the Rotary Club of Ambler. (Russ is willing and available to share the program with other groups.) The slides and information should be an interesting reminder to veteran members and will contain some surprises for newer members.

Monday, January 14 at 7:30 p.m.  
At the 1895 Schoolhouse - the heat will be on!  
Program followed by light refreshments.



\*\*\*\*Please note that the December newsletter mistakenly listed the wrong program for January. The Civil War program will be on February 11.\*\*\*\*

## New Members

Please add to the membership booklet recently sent to you by Membership Chairperson, Mary Lou McFarland:

Rick Shorin  
255 Ridings Way  
Ambler, PA 19002-5247

Joseph Fitzpatrick  
1036 Doans Way  
Blue Bell, PA 19422-2010

## Recent Donations

Books - *History of Montgomery County* from Patty Cooper of Trappe.

Items accessioned over the past couple of months will be on display at the January 14th meeting.

## Newsletter Articles Welcome

Articles about historic events and locations and collections are welcome for the newsletter. Note: After spending time recently with grandchildren as well as sisters, I am increasingly aware that the experiences of my youth are now considered historical events. What was life like in the area 50 years ago? 30 years ago? Do you have knowledge of maps or toys or other items that you would like to share? What is your favorite local historic site to visit?

Please contact Peg Johnston, 215-542-7753 if you would be interested in contributing an article.

## Mark Your Calendar

January 14 - Monthly Meeting, 7:30 p.m., at the 1895 Schoolhouse

January 20 - Open House, 1 to 4 p.m., at the 1895 Schoolhouse

January 28 - Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

February 11 - Monthly Meeting, 7:30 p.m., at the 1895 Schoolhouse

