

Sharpsburg Historical Commission Meeting 11/10/22

Held via Zoom

In attendance: Joseph Bruno (Treasurer), Jocelyn Codner (Clerk), Melanie Linn Gutowski (Chair), Matt Rudzki

Action Items:

- Melanie will create a Google form for history book orders (in progress)
- Melanie will also create a Venmo/Paypal situation that can be linked to the form for folks to pay for the book with a credit card (in progress)
- Matt and Leo can begin making connections between Cameron and Sharpsburgers for oral history project (in progress)
- Work on initial list of folks for oral history project
- Joe will call Christ the King about our deposit for the 2nd lecture that didn't take place (done)
- Jocelyn will investigate libraries for donating copies of the directory to (done)

Agenda Items:

- This is Jocelyn's last meeting with the Commission. Thank you Jocelyn!
- AASLH Conference Recap
- Oral History Project: First 5 Names
 - Melanie has equipment and Cameron will be picking it up
 - First 5 ppl to contact selected by Matt (prioritizing older residents)
- Holiday Exhibition at Library
 - Melanie is now managing the art program at the library
 - Joe will look at photos we have for anything winter/holiday related
- Goals for 2023
 - Pomoroy foundation grant for funds for historical markers
 - Would like 10 oral history interviews by end of year
 - Would like to make first deposit of materials to Heinz History Center
 - Start talking about 250th anni plans (will need to talk to council)
 - Restarting lecture series