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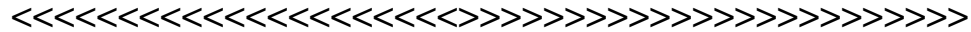
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**Remember:
2015 Annual Dues Due**

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2015 marks the 30th Anniversary of the Bay Shore Historical Society. A major undertaking of the early Society members was to move the Gibson-Mack-Holt House from its location on E. Main Street to its current location on Maple Ave. The picture above shows workers preparing the footing for the foundation of the circa 1820 structure. Visit 22 Maple Ave. on any Tuesday or Saturday, always free of charge, to view and peruse the Society's collection of Bay Shore photographs, memorabilia, documents, postcards, books, and informative displays. (Photo from the collection of the Bay Shore Historical Society)

Bay Shore Historical Society Programs

January – December 2015

January 15, 2015 – “Long Island Landmarks and Historic Sites” – a presentation by author Ralph Brady. At the Bay Shore Brightwaters Library at 7:30 pm. Free of charge. Free refreshments – bring a friend.

February 19, 2015 – “Windmills of Eastern Long Island” – a presentation by local historian Gene Horton. At the Bay Shore Brightwaters Library at 7:30 pm. Free of charge. Free refreshments – bring a friend.

March 14, 2015 – March with the members of the Bay Shore Historical Society in the 15th Annual Bay Shore – Brightwaters St. Patrick’s Day Parade.

March 19, 2015 – “Whaling on Long Island” a presentation by a representative of the Whaling Museum of Cold Spring Harbor. At the Bay Shore Brightwaters Library at 7:30 pm. Free of charge. Free refreshments – bring a friend.

April 16, 2015 – To be announced

May 21, 2015 – Author and historian Dr. David Igneri will speak about “George Washington & the Revolution”. At the Bay Shore Brightwaters Library at 7:30 pm. Free of charge. Free refreshments – bring a friend.

May 25, 2015 - March with the members of the Bay Shore Historical Society in the Annual Bay Shore – Brightwaters Memorial Day Parade.

June 6, 2015 – Annual Open House and Bake Sale at the Gibson-Mack-Holt House, 22 Maple Ave, Bay Shore, NY. 10am – 4pm. Explore Bay Shore’s history and do a bit of early summer shopping.

June 18, 2015 - "Priscilla: Sailing Into Long Island’s Maritime Past" a presentation by Captain Mike Caldwell. At the Bay Shore Brightwaters Library at 7:30 pm. Free of Charge. Free refreshments – bring a friend.

July 16, 2015 – The Bay Shore Historical Society Annual Dinner on the Bay at Captain Bill’s, Bay Shore - 6pm

August 20, 2015 – “The Rebirth of Oyster Farming in the Great South Bay” a presentation by Matt Welling of Lucky 13 Oysters. At the Bay Shore Brightwaters Library at 7:30 pm. Free of charge. Free refreshments – bring a friend.

September 17, 2015 - “Tales from the General Store: the Legends of Long Island” – a presentation by artist, author, and storyteller Janet Demarest. At the Bay Shore Brightwaters Library at 7:30 pm. Free of charge. Free refreshments – bring a friend

October 15, 2015 - "The History of the Great South Bay" –a presentation by noted Suffolk County historian Peter Fox Cohalan. At the Bay Shore Brightwaters Library at 7:30 pm. Free of charge. Free refreshments – bring a friend.

November 19, 2015 – “Camp Wikoff: A Neglected Watershed in American History” – a presentation by George Munkenbach, Jr.. At the Bay Shore Brightwaters Library at 7:30 pm. Free of charge. Free refreshments – bring a friend.

December 5, 2015 - Annual Snowflake and Bake Sale – 10am to 4pm - Gibson-Mack-Holt House at 22 Maple Ave, Bay Shore, NY. 10am – 4pm. Dolls, decorations, baked goods and a Victorian Santa.

December 17, 2015 - Annual Pot Luck Dinner at the Bay Shore Brightwaters Library – 5:30pm to 9pm

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Society notes since June 2014

The 2014 Dinner-On-The-Bay in July at Captain Bill’s and Pot Luck Dinner in December at the Bay Shore-Brightwaters Library were well attended and each event proved to be an experience indicative of the dedication of those who volunteer their time as well as the communal spirit of the Society members in general. Phil, Jo Ann, MaryAnn, Mimi, Joe, Barbara, Alison, Stephanie, et alia all worked well beyond expectations to make the events successful. Of particular note, Alison and Stephanie successfully obtained raffle prizes from the following Bay Shore businesses for the Pot Luck Dinner: **Specialty Lotions and Potions; The Garden Gate; Albert’s Pizza; Nolu Dry Goods, Leggio’s Deli; Willy Nilly;** and the **Bridal Suite of Bay Shore.** Others who donated items to the Raffle were: Arline Fiala; Jo Ann Michalowski; and Joan Dlouhy. A heartfelt “Thank You” goes out to all donors.

Again, the annual Snowflake Sale was a success due to the hours put in by the dedicated volunteers. Of particular note were those who baked for the Sale: Bay Shore Middle School students (thanks, Gail Farrell); Elizabeth and Ronnie Allen; Susanne Ankers; Jane Arbeliter; Kevin Camson; Gwen Cox; Jo Dmitruk; Joan Dlouhy; MaryAnn Feeney; Priscilla Hancock; Diane Hartill; Jewell Jacobsen; Joan and Frank Manhardt; Carol Meissner; Jo Ann Michalowski; MaryAnn Miller; Theresa O’Connor; Mimi Parkan; Barbara Perino; Josephine Rosen; Patrice Rodden; Marion Weiss-Rodriguez; Gale Rogals; Susanne Silhan; Flo Soblewski; Celeste Topazio; and Gale and John Wahlberg.

Enclosed in this Newsletter is a form to renew membership – Please remember to include an email address (if you have one) when you complete the form and return it to us. Communication between Newsletters, meeting and event notifications, etc., will be sent by email. Remember: .The membership of the Society is the lifeblood of the organization. As of December 2014, there are slightly over 300 paid members. Members’ dues and donation enable the Bay Shore Historical Society to provide its valuable services to the community. Please return your dues renewal as soon as possible.

As noted on the cover of this Newsletter, 2015 marks the 30th Anniversary of the Bay Shore Historical Society. During the past thirty years many individuals have dedicated countless hours to the Society’s many projects large and small. The fruits of their work are present, on display and in files, at the Gibson-Mack-Holt House at 22 Maple Ave. The doors are open to all on Tuesdays and Saturdays between 1pm and 4pm. Stop by – check out an old Bay Shore High School Yearbook, look at the large collection of photographs, flip through the collection of hundred year old postcards, glance at the maps and memorabilia that represent Bay Shore’s vibrant history.

For more information contact:

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The Bay Shore Historical Society is an all-volunteer, tax exempt not-for-profit corporation as described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code



A tree was dedicated to Frank Manhardt during the 2014 Arbor Day ceremony held in Wohseepee Park in Brightwaters. Former Mayor Joseph McNulty honored Frank, Past President of the Bay Shore Historical Society, for his “many years of dedicated service to the Village of Brightwaters. (Photo courtesy of Jewell Jacobsen)



Society members enjoy the Annual Dinner-on-the-Bay in August 2014 at the scenic Bay Shore restaurant, Captain Bill’s. (Photo courtesy of Joe Lachat)



Some of the Girl Scouts and Brownies who entertained Society members and guests at the Pot Luck Dinner held at the Bay Shore-Brightwaters Library in December 2014. ((Photo courtesy of Joan Dlouhy)



Jak Phillips drives past Southside Hospital in one of his Crosleys as a part of the Bay Shore Historical Society contingent in the 2014 Bay Shore St. Patrick’s Day Parade. (Photo courtesy of Joan Dlouhy)

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Extends Special Thanks to the Donors to the Society since May 2014:

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Deceased Members Since May 2014

Barbara Gulden Black Dennis O’Keefe



“Ice Clamming on the Great South Bay” Do you know the year? Stop by 22 Maple Ave in Bay Shore any Tuesday or Saturday between 1pm and 4pm to explore the Society’s collection of memorabilia, printed material, photographs, and postcards. (Photo from the collection of the Bay Shore Historical Society)

Please support our business members – they are proud supporters of the mission of the Bay Shore Historical Society

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