



Bay Shore Historical Society

Gibson-Mack-Holt House c.1820

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Meeting Notes

The meeting to order at 7:30 and all recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Barry reminded all present of the following: Book Fair at Barnes and Noble Saturday, May 20; marching in the Memorial Day Parade; Open House and Barbeque on Saturday, June 3; the Bay Shore Arts Festival on June 11; and the next meeting on June 18.

Barry read the Minutes from the April meeting; Priscilla reported on current and upcoming events in Bay Shore; JoAnn reported on membership; and Joe reported on current finances.

The speaker was Richard Welch who spoke about *Early 20th Century Planned Communities on Long Island*, a book produced by SPLIA, focusing on the chapters that he researched and wrote. A majority of his talk focused on the development of TB Ackerson's Brightwaters. An explanation of the planning and building of Ward and Frank Melville's Old Field community concluded the program.

Refreshments were enjoyed by all thanks to the generosity of JoAnn, Celeste, Joan, and Barbara.

Respectfully submitted,
Barry

The mission of the *Bay Shore Historical Society* is to collect, preserve and share the rich history of our community and to maintain the c. 1820 Gibson-Mack-Holt House which is located at 22 Maple Ave, Bay Shore, NY. The Society's collection of photographs, memorabilia, and historic documents is open to the public free of charge on Tuesdays and Saturdays from 1pm to 4pm. For further information contact 631-665-1707 or visit the Society's website > www.bayshorehistoricalsociety.org. 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.