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Town of Batavia Historian 2019 Annual Report

Meeting Attended

Historian office	41
Town Staff Meetings	11
Peace Garden Meetings	12
Genesee County Historian Meeting	4
Annual Historian Conference, Mount Morris, NY	1
Pembroke School Tragedy 1987 – Held at Genesee Community College	1

`Display Cabinet in Foyer

Bone China from England Tea Cup and saucer	Carolyn Epps Collection
1896-1950 Genesee County Post Cards	Donated to the Town
Christmas Vintage Ornaments	Historian

Peace Garden

Friends of the Batavia Peace Garden Hotdog sale for Summer 2019



HLOM Parking Lot (June 7-Sept 27)	15 Friday's
Valu Home Center	1 Valu donated \$100 to the Peace Garden
Wal-Mart	1

We made approximately \$4000-\$4500 dollars. With his money we were able to purchase 22 International flags, US Flag and Canadian Flag for the next season.

We purchased a utility wagon to care garden tools to and from the garden, and a new gas grill.

A local business donated \$500 toward the purchase of hotdogs and rolls.

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At the end of the season we donated the remaining hotdogs, rolls and chips to our local ARC Organization. During the season, ARC a great supporter of the Peace Garden volunteered to work selling, cooking and serving hotdogs to our customers.

Basket Sale at The Batavia Downs



A profit of \$600.00 was raised.

Peace Garden "Memory Garden

A committee met with Holly Dougherty, Landscape Designer and Architect to lay out Phase II of the Peace Garden. This section is behind the Genesee Co. Court House, by the Tonawanda Creek and connects to the new bike path.

Genesee County Fair



As part of the County Historians, each Historian is asked to take a day and cover the booth at the Fair. I choose Sunday, July 14th.

Genesee County Day of Caring



We had 15 volunteers from Massive Testing and 5 Star Bank work in the Garden. We served hotdogs, chips, cookies, fruit and drink. And a great big Thank You.



The Genesee County Zonta Women donated and planted 4 rose bushes in the Peace Garden.

Batavia High School Seniors – Community Service Project



Ten students from Batavia Junior Senior High School participated in "Community Service Day." It started out nice and then began to rain. These students and staff did not care they kept on working as did the Peace Garden volunteers.

Pizza, soda and cookies were served at the HLOM facility. The lunch included the student and staff that were volunteering at the HLOM. A big thank you to all the helpers and wishing for their success as they take the next step into the future.

Donation of two benches to the Peace Garden



Cedar Street Rentals owner Guy Clark donated benches to the Peace Garden. The benches we placed just east of the Engine House. A walkway to the Memory Garden.

Holland Land Office
Wonderland of Tree Gala



The annual HLOM Wonderland of Trees promotes community organizations. The Peace Garden put up two trees this year. One represents the Peace Garden with a multitude of flowers and butterflies. Our little tree was decorated with little hotdogs in a bun (were doggie treats), with ketchup, mustard and pickle relish packets. The trees were voted on and we came in 3rd place.

Donations to the Town of Batavia History Department

Donation	Author
Genesee Rich and Famous	William F. Brown
Genesee County Scrapbook	Rochester Historical Society
The Troopers are Coming – 1917-1943	NYSP Albert Kurek
Images of America Batavia	Barbara Toal
The Batavia Downs Story – 1940-1990	William F. Brown
Four Long Days – Return to Attica	Dorothy Will Rafery
A.V. McVay High School Drawings 1936	Berneda Scoins

Other Donations

LeRoy Jell-O History Book	Historian Meeting
Oil Painting and Silk Screen on Glass by John Hodgins	Mary Hodgins, wife
Eight Don Carmichael Prints	Dolores Brick
Oil Paintings by Kitty Dennison (two)	Berneda Scoins
Oil Painting by Kitty Dennison (age 92)	Doug and Angie Campbell, Canada
1868-1953 Postcards	
1979 cookbooks set of 29	Doug Smart
1968 Ramdom House Reference set of 8	Doug Smart

Respectfully Submitted Berneda Scoins, Town of Batavia Historian