

The meeting minutes of the HAMILTON TOWNSHIP PHILATELIC SOCIETY FOR TUESDAY OCTOBER 20TH 2020

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

President Dennis Kennedy
Vice President Robin Rowand
Treasurer Matt Visco
Secretary Jeff Pappano

Meeting came to order at 7:01pm

Present Dennis Kennedy welcomed everyone to our second official HTPS virtual club meeting for 2020 – 2021. A copy of last month's meeting minutes was sent to all members the other day. Dennis went on to state that our club secretary reminded him that October is National Stamp Collecting Month. Dennis also informed the membership that two of our club members recently underwent surgery. Joe Seliga had a triple bypass and Bill Chrietzberg had hip replacement surgery. The club sent get well cards to both members wishing them a speedy recovery.

Dennis went on to say that we currently have 43 dues paying members and a number of our members took advantage of our 2 for 1 special.

NEW BUSINESS:

Treasurer Matt Visco presented the Treasurer's report through October 2020 (which was presented to all members via a slide program).

There no questions regarding the Treasurer's report and it was approved.

Don Getzin has been diligently working on getting speakers for our future meetings. The club still has speaker openings for December 2020 and January 2021. If you would like to give a presentation to our club please contact either Don or Dennis.

The club still has 3 foreign stamp albums circulating. Please let Dennis know if you would like to receive these albums for review the cost of each stamp is just 10 cents.

Dennis introduced our speaker tonight... Ed Grabowski. His presentation titled "Guadeloupe Postal History – Revisited".

Ed's presentation was a wonderful **62** screen slide program that detailed his 2006 philatelic exhibit in Washington DC. This was a most interesting presentation that included many one-of-a kind items.

Ed's presentation concluded at 8:02pm.

Other discussion:

Tony Zingale informed the membership the Hamilton library is still not open. A January or February 2021 opening date is most likely.

The meeting was concluded at 8:24pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeff Pappano - Recording Secretary