

A meeting of the Mahanoy Area Historical Society was held on **Thursday, October 30, 2025** at 6 PM at the Rhoades Building. Attending were: Frank Senglar, Marie Majetsky, Terry Rang, Paul Coombe, Peg Coombe, Jerry Kufrovich, Anne Evans, Peg Grigalonis, Kathy Wufsus, Ivor Lewis, and Jim Berezwick. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by a prayer by Kathy Wufsus.

Minutes: The minutes of the September meeting were read and approved on a motion by Kathy Wufsus and seconded by Anne Evans.

Treasurer's Report: The treasurer's report was submitted and approved on a motion by Marie Majetsky and seconded by Jerry Kufrovich. Balance as of September 30 was \$31918.96.

Unfinished Business:

- I. The lobby display case has been purchased and put in place in the lobby.
- II. The Molly Maguire Walk has been scheduled for Sunday, November 2 at 1 PM. Tour guides are Terry Rang and Paul Coombe.
- III. Election of new officers - The nominating committee has approached potential candidates for the new 2026-2027 term. A ballot will be prepared and presented for voting at the November meeting.

New Business:

- I. Members of the Minchoff family have donated an extensive amount of Silliman memorabilia, including portraits.
- II. Creation of a post card book is planned, including working with an individual who contacted the historical society's web page.
- III. Discussion took place regarding ways to memorialize founding and early members of the historical society. Suggestions included a plaque, a dinner, or information on the website.

Adjourn: The meeting was adjourned on a motion by Kathy Wufsus and seconded by Jerry Kufrovich. Next meeting is scheduled for November 20.

Peg Coombe, Secretary