

Calendar

January 7

GPS Meeting
Galway Town Hall

7:00
Social Half Hour

7:30
Business Meeting

8:00
Program

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January GPS Update

From Virginia Sawicki and Bonnie Donnan

Happy New Year! Greetings to all in this holiday season. We trust that all who were frightened by the interpretation of the Mayan calendar as the prediction of the end on December 21st have recovered.

Our December talk was "A Walk on Broadway, Saratoga Springs in 1874" presented by Charlie Kuenzel and Dave Patterson. Their collection of photos, knowledge of Saratoga, and comfortable presentation style made an enjoyable program.

Thanks to all of you who donated to the community Christmas Basket program. Also thanks to all who volunteered their time. This annual project is truly a community effort supported by many churches, the school, service organizations, businesses and individuals. Deliveries of food and gifts brighten Christmas for over 100 families.

Thanks also to our members who pitch in and help all year long; making the goodies for our refreshments, setting up and stowing the chairs, working on the newsletter and website, addressing the newsletters and all you all do. We are not a very big group, and all the member participation keeps us going.

We note with sadness the passing of two people known to many of us. Mar-

tha Shoutis-Apicella, a former member and trustee on December 4th, and current member Michael Sawicki, age 97, on December 7th.

The next Board of trustees meeting is Wednesday January 16th at Town Hall at 7:00 p.m., and as usual, anyone is welcome to attend.

Monday January 7th is our next regular membership meeting. The speaker will be Harry Steven on "Schenectady's Locomotive History"

Keep our newsletter editor Kurt Johnston in mind. He can always use photos and stories about Galway history.



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