Minutes

Hamilton Township Philatelic Society Hamilton Township Free Public Library Hamilton, New Jersey January 20, 2015

The January meeting of the Hamilton Township Philatelic Society was called to order by President Jeff Boyarsky at 7:15pm with the recital of the Pledge of Allegiance. There were 23 members present. There were no guests or visitors in attendance.

Officer Reports

Reading of the Minutes – In order to speed up the proceedings, it was agreed that the minutes from the previous meetings would be posted and placed on our website but not read.

Treasurer's Report – Treasurer Ronald González reported that as of December 23rd, the club treasury had a balance of \$2,828.63. A motion to approve the Treasurer's Report as read was made by Tony Zingale and seconded by Ed Murtha. The motion passed unanimously.

Old Business

<u>Princeton High School Exhibition</u>: Jeff Boyarsky discussed plans for an exhibition at the Princeton High School in April. He has been in contact with Hugh Merritt of the Jockey Hollow Stamp Club regarding help with the event. There was a general discussion on how to best organize the event, who is going to prepare the displays and what else needed to be done. There were also questions regarding the security of the exhibits, our liability if anything should happen, and the cost of transporting the frames. As nobody offered to take on the responsibility of organizing the event, a motion to cancel the exhibition was made by Ron Dobrowolski and seconded by Milt Keiles. The motion passed.

New Business

Milt Keiles has an envelope making template if anyone is interested in borrowing it.

Adjournment

The formal meeting was adjourned at 7:45pm and was followed by a short video presentation of a segment from CBS's Sunday Morning television program of 1/18/15 on stamp collecting (including a cameo appearance by two of our members) and our semi-annual auction.

Next Meeting

Our next meeting will be held on February 17th, 2015. We will have a presentation by HTPS member Tom DeLuca.

Jack Sack (Secretary Pro Tempore)