

Ardencroft 75th Anniversary Special Committee Minutes

2/27/25 at 7:00pm, Buzz Ware Village Center

Attendance: Lorna L, Pat M, Dan R

Agenda Items	Notes	Action Items
Committee matters	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> February 2025 minutes approved unanimously 	N/A
Updates (historical sign, public works sign, effort for PAYP to be its own parcel, deeds, etc)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No updates related to the signs Continue to follow up with digitized deeds effort No update for PAYP parcel initiative 	Continued follow up
Museum/oral histories update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Focus on collecting material by end of June 2025 for museum exhibition For oral histories summer interns will help with both the tech and templates 	Continued follow up
Event planning	<p>Consider the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Begin with PAYP dedication <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Possible words from Julie Brewer, former University of Delaware librarian Potentially coincide with Public Works interpretive sign for PAYP Relocate to Buzz for reception <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Possible 20-30 minutes speaking by Joan Anderson to 	

	<p> speak about her Ardencroft experience </p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Alternatively or in addition, can consider a panel, but wanting to be mindful of total time of speakers ○ Consider other long-time residents to be in attendance, identified (how would they be identified), and available to share their knowledge of Ardencroft (Yoders, Jay Morente, Janet Williams, Mike Curtis, etc. – apologies for any possible misspellings) ○ Consider back room to have screen set up with slides to rotate through historic maps and any other photos available ○ All attendees can mingle while enjoying reception snacks/drinks ○ Encourage folks to first ask one another how each ended up in Ardencroft 	
Next meeting	<p> Likely next meeting scheduled for Thursday, March 27th, 7 PM ET @ the Buzz. </p> <p> [Next meeting: March 13th, 7PM ET @ the Buzz] </p>	