



MATTAPoisETT HISTORICAL COMMISSION

The Mattapoisett Historical Commission has met regularly in 2010 to discuss and act upon matters concerning identifying and preserving items of local historical interest. The Commission strives to document and conserve items and locations of historical significance as well as create and support several opportunities for the town to celebrate the unique history of this area.

This year's endeavors have included a Historical Commission Brick Project. Granite bricks are inscribed with remarks honoring individuals or causes. The bricks will border benches at several public locations. We continue to collect oral histories of town citizens.

Unfortunately, Heritage Days 2010 had to be canceled in August because of the unusual plague of mosquitoes and their threat to public health. The Commission has plans to have a bigger and better celebration this year.

Finally, the Commission welcomes any input, questions, or concerns from individuals or groups concerning the Commission's role in preserving our town's history. The Commission meets the first Thursday of the month at 7 PM in Town Hall. All meetings are public and open for all to attend.

Commission Members:

Jo Pannell, Chairperson
Frank Rezendes, Treasurer
Dottie Nunes, Michelle Bernier

Ray Harrington, Vice Chairperson
Margaret M. DeMello, Clerk
Bobbi Gaspar, Heritage Days Chairperson