Meet The Board

As noted on the Editorial page, the Tredyffrin Easttown Historical Society has established its first Board of Directors. Roger Thorne continues in his role as President, although he expects his overall Society workload to be lightened as the Board and associated committees shoulder more of the day-to-day operations. Denny Leeper continues in his role as Program Chair, responsible for the lectures and presentations that form the basis for most of the Society’s meetings, and he adds the title of Vice-President. Denny is also a member of the Board of Trustees of the Easttown Library and Information Center, where he has served for over 20 years. Our new Secretary is Frances Kaufmann. Frances is originally from New Jersey, and has been a member of the Hightstown-East Windsor Historical Society for over 35 years. For 26 of those years she owned a two hundred-year-old home which was moved to a new location, placed on a new foundation, and completely restored. She has a background as a librarian, although she has not worked in that capacity for years. Rounding out the team of officers is Treasurer Bill Spofford. Born in Philadelphia and raised on the Main Line, he is a financial professional with over 30 years of management experience. After nearly twenty years in Kansas and Missouri, he returned to Tredyffrin, where a chance meeting with Roger Thorne uncovered a common love of history. As a relatively new member of the Society, Bill looks forward to participating in its growth.

Joyce Post may have retired as Editor of the Quarterly, but her prodigious skills have been retained with a seat on the Board. She plans to continue her contributions to the research and documentation of local history. John Senior and his wife, Nancy, have been residents of Tredyffrin Township since 1984. They were introduced to the Society by family friends, and long-term members, Sue and Bill Andrews. Currently chief engineer at Elm Street Studios, John has worked in music, audio, and computer software development for three decades, including four years at an Internet software company. John has shared some of that experience with the Society by constructing and maintaining its web site and working on the digitization project, and looks forward to continuing to contribute as a member of the Board. The seventh Board position is held by Craig TenBroeck. Craig has lived in Tredyffrin for 53 of his 73 years. He attended Paoli Elementary and Episcopal Academy, and graduated from Cornell University with a degree in Electrical Engineering. He worked in the aerospace industry for ten years, and in 1969 opened a printing business in Bala Cynwyd, which he ran for 31 years. Having retired in 2000, Craig is now heavily involved in genealogy, and runs the Main Line Genealogy Club.

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Outside pressures forced the Fall 2007 issue of the Tredyffrin Easttown History Quarterly to be sent to the printer before the final proofreading. The editor of that issue apologizes to its readers. Below are some of the omissions and corrections.

The front cover illustration is from the Tredyffrin Easttown Historical Society collections. The drawing on the top of the inside front cover is from the front cover of the October 1937 Tredyffrin Easttown History Club Quarterly. The Philadelphia Bulletin clipping reproduced on page 150 is from the November 24, 1937 newspaper. The date given on page 159 for the first “Notes and Comments” column should be the Winter 1978 issue. The front cover reproduced on the top left of page 164 is the July 2003 issue.

The second numbered page 168 should be page 169. The second subheading on corrected page 169 should be “Mimeograph Machine.” The first line on page 175 should not have a bullet. Also on page 175, J. B. Post was the TEHS treasurer starting in June 2003. The last subheading on page 176 should be “1981 – 1999.” On page 177 the first bulleted item should read “between 2000 and April 2003 the Quarterly was published using offset methods; beginning in July 2003 it began using digital methods.”