



President's Corner

Here it is mid-September; schools are back in session; the weather is cooling (sometimes), and the birds are migrating. We have now had our annual Gala and are planning for our Annual Meeting and Christmas dinner event. Where has the year gone?

Our Gala was held this year in the Elton Wade Coach House at the Hanover Tavern and was well attended. It was good to see everyone, some regular faces and some not seen so often, with approximately fifty people in attendance. Four members of the Board of Trinity Church Preservation Inc. were present to accept the 9th annual *Patrick Henry Leadership Award*: Anne Gordon Curran, Sandy Monolo, Carter Redd and Elizabeth Lipford. (See photo on page two.) Thank you to Art Taylor for organizing this event and to everyone who helped make the gala a success.

Per our Constitution and By-Laws, election of officers is every two years, so your current officers will be serving again in 2019. However, because of the resignation of our 2nd Vice-President Dale Talley, effective December 31, 2018, we are making adjustments. Recording Secretary Shirley Haas has agreed to fill this position. Thank you, Shirley, for this is a very important position as it works with membership. This now leaves the position of Recording Secretary vacant. If anyone is willing to take on this position, please let me know (804-537-5081 or faye.wade@comcast.net). Dale has served us graciously as 2nd VP for three years now and has done a wonderful job in computerizing our membership records – no small task. She will continue to be an active member of the Society; however, due to other demands on her time, she does not feel she can continue on the Board. Thank you, Dale, for all of your work.

Our Annual Meeting and Christmas Dinner/Social will be held on December 4, 2018, starting at 6:00 p.m. at Covenant Woods on Lee-Davis Road. More information will be forthcoming; however, please mark your calendar now and plan on joining us for the Annual Meeting. Good food and festivities are a wonderful way to begin the Christmas season. Hope to see you there.

Faye M. Wade

9th Annual Patrick Henry Leadership Awards

“... recognizing those whose efforts have contributed to the awareness of Hanover’s rich history and heritage through preservation, historical interpretation and education.”

At our Gala on September 11, attendees gathered to honor Trinity Church Preservation, Inc., the recipient of the *Patrick Henry Leadership Award*. Guests were welcomed at Hanover Tavern’s Coach House for a special evening of good company, food and drink. Our host, David Deal of the Hanover Tavern Foundation, invited guests to tour the Tavern.



Board Members of Trinity Church Preservation, Inc. accept the *Patrick Henry Leadership Award*: Anne Gordon Curran, Sandy Monolo, Carter Redd & Elizabeth Lipford.



Join us for our
Annual Meeting
Tuesday, December 4
at 6:00 p.m.

Covenant Woods
7090 Covenant Woods Drive
Mechanicsville

Program details and dinner menu
will be announced in our

November *Highlights*

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These photographs are from the Locust Grove collection that was recently acquired by the Society. See the Bulletin for more about this collection of documents and photographs, many of which were taken around the turn of the 20th century. At left: Montpelier Grange Hall; above: Montpelier School.