

Historian Meeting: Celebration of Burnt Hills and Commemoration of the Start of the Civil War

The first meeting of the committee to celebrate Burnt Hills and commemorate the start of the Civil War during this summer met at 7PM at the Town of Ballston Community Library on Tuesday, April 26, 2011.

Attendees: Amy Clark, Karen DeAngelo, Rick Reynolds

The event will be titled: "Celebrate Burnt Hills with a Special Commemoration of the 150th Anniversary of the Start of the Civil War."

Date: Either July 23 or July 30, based on availability of the Burnt Hills Methodist Church. Rick will check on that availability.

Time: 9-1

Events to happen:

Rick will bring from the Town Historian's Office all the memorabilia, pictures, documents pertaining to Burnt Hills and display them. He will also set up a Civil War display that will relate to Ballston.

Rick will contact Paul Post and Bill York for exhibit tables.

Rick will contact Chad Currin as the "balloon man" for kids.

Karen will look into programs that could be brought in. That cost will be split between the library and the Town Historian.

Karen will also check with Deborah Roberts-Delamater about a program and also the use of the Teen volunteers to help in many ways at the event.

Karen may set up "crafts" table to do Civil War-related crafts.

Rick will contact Gini Whetten about publicity and Amy will work on posters. Rick will send Town seal to Amy and Amy will also get prices for posters.

Next meeting: Tuesday, May 17, Town of Ballston Community Library, 7PM