

Month in Review – History Center –June 2014

Oral History Project

- The Avalon History Center has set an oral history with Wilds and Jack Richardson. Both of the projects will take place in the coming month.

Digitization Project

- After choosing a contractor for the digitization project Mr. J. Angemi transported the Yacht Club Yearbooks, and toured the facility, in New Brunswick NJ. Now that the project is in full swing we will be getting updates within the coming weeks.

Home school program

- The Avalon History Center staff ran another more advanced photography and mount making program with a teenage home school student.

Olde House Tour

- The Avalon Historical Society & History Center hosted its annual Olde House Tour program. The event was incredibly well received with more than 100 visitors to the History Center and homes.

Staff member leaving

- It is with sadness the History Center gives a fond goodbye to longtime museum technician Bonita Risley. Mrs. Risley has been with us for over two years and has helped us make the History Center a great place in so many ways. We wish her all the best in her future endeavors. Due to summer time constraints the History Center has filled the position with a part time museum aid so as not to disturb our operations. The part time permanent museum technician job will be fully advertised in late August.

Civic Organizations meet at the History Center's Library Room.

- The Lions Club, The Avalon Garden Club, and Women's Civic Club all hosted their monthly meetings at the History Center.