

EDITOR: WILLIAM H. MILLER

JUNE 7, 2015

MEETING NOTICE... Sunday, June 7, 2015

Program: "Clock Tales" Presenter: Various

Pickersgill Retirement Community, 615 Chestnut Ave., Towson, MD 21204

Mart & Set-up 8:30 am / Breakfast 9:00 am / Program 10:00 am

Directions: From Baltimore Beltway (I-695) take Exit 25 to MD 139 S (North Charles St.). Proceed (1.7 mi.) to Chestnut Ave.. Turn left on Chestnut Ave. and go (0.4 mi.) to the Pickersgill Retirement Community on the right. Park in the Visitor Parking, and use the main entrance. Check-in at the reception desk for directions to the meeting room.

President's Column

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Twenty-one members and guests braved the elements to attend the March 1st meeting at the Pickersgill Retirement Community. Sleet, freezing rain and snow were forecast for the afternoon, but started during our 9 AM breakfast. We started the meeting with our guest speaker **Rory McEvoy**, Curator of Horology, Royal Observatory, Greenwich, England. Mr. Mc Evoy's presentation "Ships Clocks and Stars, An Early History of the Marine *Chronometer*" discussed the events and technological advances that led to the development of the marine chronometer. Mr. Mc Evoy was an excellent and knowledgeable speaker and the presentation was enjoyed by all. We also need to thank **Joe Orens** for obtaining and providing transportation for Mr. Mc Evoy to and from the meeting.

Next came the Woodsboro meeting on April 25th. Eightyfive (85) members and guests attended. We had 40 tables for the Mart and trading was good.

Jeff Schuldenfrie was the guest speaker and his program was on "Comic and Cartoon Watches." His presentation included examples of some of the earliest pocket watches and alarm clocks and took us up to our present day quartz watches. The program was enjoyed by all.

That brings us up to our next meeting on June 7th at the Pickersgill Retirement Community. The program will be "Clock Tales." We encourage you to bring one or more of your experiences in acquiring a horological item, and sharing it with the group.

While you are at it, I encourage you to also bring an item for sale at the Mart. You may also want to bring a guest, as the meeting will be a fun event.

Respectfully Submitted,

Don Buck, President

OUR 63rd YEAR 1952–2015

2015 Important Dates

Maryland Chapter 11

JUNE 7, 2015 Pickersgill Retirement Community Breakfast Meeting

SEPTEMBER 27, 2015 (Tentative) Pickersgill Retirement Community Breakfast Meeting

Philadelphia Chapter 1

May 31, 2015— Horsham, PA

August 1, 2015— Douglasville, PA

Washington Chapter 12

2nd Sunday of odd months

Free State Chapter 141

2nd Thursday of odd months

Harrisburg Chapter 158

3rd Wednesday of odd months

DATES TO REMEMBER

CHAPTER 11

SUNDAY MEETING W/BREAKFAST June 7, 2015 – **PROGRAM: CLOCK TALES**

September 27, 2015 – SUNDAY MEETING W/BREAKFAST PROGRAM: TBA (TENTATIVE DATE)

OTHER EVENTS OF INTEREST

August 1, 2015 – Chapter 1 Summer Picnic & Mart 1806 Weavertown Rd. Douglasville, PA

September 18-19, 2015 - Mid Eastern Regional, Hampton, VA

PLEASE NOTE: <u>DUES FOR 2015 ARE DUE</u>

If you are not certain of your status– Please contact Bill Miller by phone at 410-592-7013 or via email at: BILLCLOCKS@juno.com.

RESERVATION FOR BREAKFAST MEETING NAWCC CHAPTER 11

Mail to BILL MILLER, 4301 MEADOWCLIFF ROAD, GLEN ARM, MD. 21057 by May 24th

Please reserve the following for me, for the meeting of JUNE 7, 2015

) Dues @ \$10

) Admission to the meeting @ 10.00 each for self and guest(s) other than spouse.

) Admission for spouse: \$5.00

) Tables. First come, first served.

NOTE: THERE IS AN ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF \$2 EACH FOR ADMISSIONS PAID AT THE DOOR.

MEMBER MUST ACCOMPANY AND IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL GUESTS

I enclose a check payable to MARYLAND CHAPTER 11, NAWCC for

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SPOUSE/GUEST NAME:

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____ PHONE NO: _____

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