

Mid-Hudson Chapter 84, NAWCC

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=== Saturday, April 14, 2018 ===
 Freedom Plains Presbyterian Church
 1168 Route 55, Lagrangeville, NY 12540

First, thanks to our three presenters for their great demonstrations. Paul Nicholson's demo on how to use a lathe to make clock cabinet parts. Bill Clark's demo on how to creatively come up with an electric clock that meets your specs. Sure, it looked like the Frankenstein of clocks, but will be beautiful when he finishes the cabinet. And Mike Graham's demo on how to assemble a torsion spring pendulum for you 400-day clock - he made it look so simple! Thanks guys.

Now on to our **April 14 meeting**. We're so fortunate to have a world-famous world traveler and clock expert of gargantuan proportions take us through his highly-fascinating and expertly-constructed presentation on **Tower Clocks of Germany, Austria, Switzerland AND Liechtenstein**. This is a chance of a lifetime, a presentation you will never forget! So put it on your calendar now! Do not hesitate! Well ... OK ... I'm the presenter. But I think you will enjoy seeing the pictures I took last fall of tower clocks and their surroundings in these countries (hey, Liechtenstein won a medal at the Winter Olympics!) including my attempt at filming the moving innerworkings of the centuries-old tower clock in Bern, Switzerland.

For those who receive the NAWCC Bulletin, please take a look at page 178. Lu Sadowski has received the Star Fellow Award from the national organization. This is the highest honor in the NAWCC for those few people who make stellar contributions to the organization. By reading about Lu, you will see why she received this award. Congratulations Lu! Which brings me to my last topic. I would highly encourage everyone to consider attending this year's national convention. It's the special 75th anniversary and will be held in York, PA, where the national headquarters is located. Lu and many others have been working hard over the past year to make this one amazing.

Also, note that the picnic will take place on July 7, one week early, so as not to interfere with people heading to the national convention.

See you on April 14!

Jim

Schedule: *Table Set-Up 7:30; Mart 8:30; Workshop 10:00; Meeting Ends 12:00 (or so...)*

Future Meeting Dates: *June 9, picnic is July 7*

Register today and save! Registration is just \$8.00 in advance and \$10.00 at the door.
 Cut out and mail the form below along with your check. Guests are welcome!

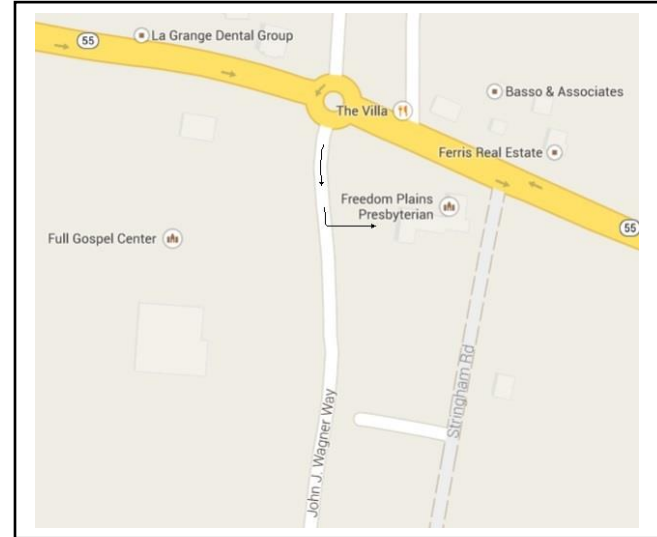
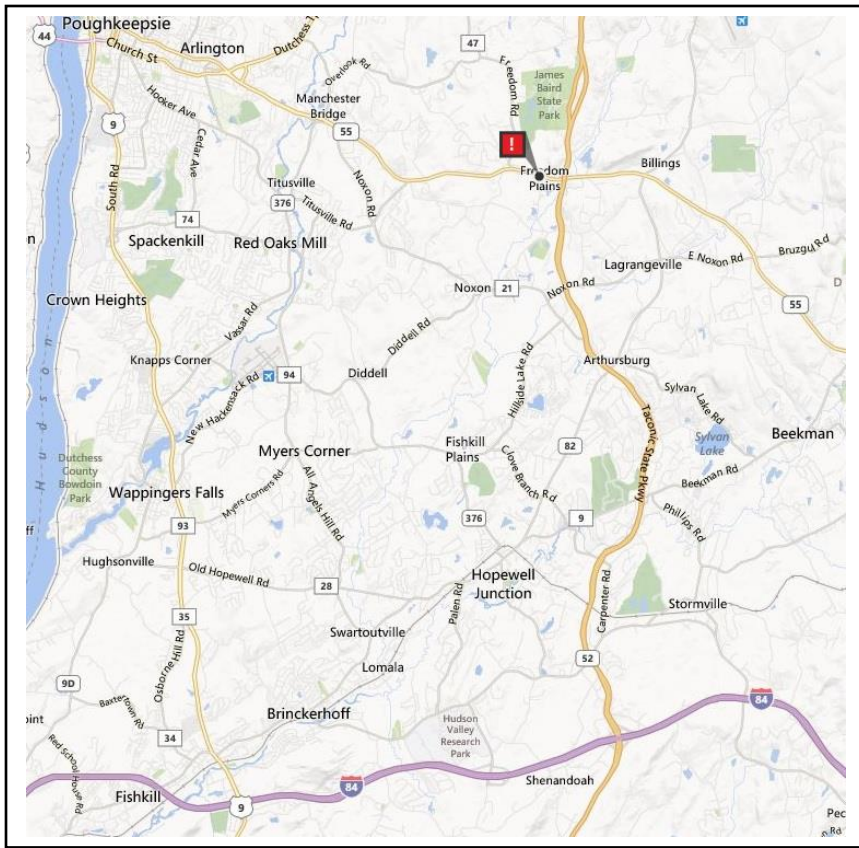
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Free Table: Half _____ or Full _____ (All mart tables shall display only horological items. No responsibility for items lost, stolen, or damaged. **YOU MUST BE AWARE OF ALL ACTIVITY AT YOUR TABLE.** Members are responsible for compliance with state and local tax regulations.)

Please make checks payable to: *Mid-Hudson Chapter 84, NAWCC*

Please send checks to: *Bill Clarke, 32 Ziegler Ave., Poughkeepsie, NY 12603*



Directions:
Freedom Plains Presbyterian Church
1168 Route 55
Lagrangeville, NY 12540

From the Taconic State Parkway: Take the “Poughkeepsie/Route 55/West” exit. Proceed west on 55 to the traffic circle at Stringham Road (about 0.3 miles). The circle is *just after* the large white church, on the left. Proceed $\frac{3}{4}$ of the way around the circle to enter Stringham Road, then turn left to enter the parking lot.

From US 9: At Poughkeepsie, take the “44/55 East” exit. In about 2 miles, bear right to stay on 55 East. In about 5.5 miles, you will see the large white church on the right. Proceed $\frac{1}{4}$ of the way around the circle that is *just before* the church to enter Stringham Road, then turn left to enter the parking lot.

From I-84: Exit onto US 9 and travel about 12 miles, then follow the directions above. Or, exit onto the Taconic State Parkway, travel about 9 miles, then follow the directions above.

➔ The meeting room is on the west side of the church, adjacent to the parking lot.

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