

Mid-Hudson Chapter 84, NAWCC

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=== Saturday, April 25, 2020 ===
 Freedom Plains Presbyterian Church
 1168 Route 55, Lagrangeville, NY 12540

First, I'd like to thank the three presenters at our February 8 workshop meeting for a job well done! Ian's demonstration on practical approaches to different aspects of tall case clock repair. John's helpful "how-to" presentation on repairing broken glass ... something we've all wondered about. And Bill's demonstration on using an oscilloscope to identify escapement problems ... an excellent example of creatively using other tools on hand to repair clocks. And I want to especially thank Mark again for reviving the 50/50 ... it was again popular at the meeting, and is a great way to help keep the chapter in the black.

We're always looking for ideas for interesting presentations. Well, at our February meeting a member suggested having a presentation about watches. I had to admit, it's been too long since we've had one. So I immediately asked Phil Yanonne if he would do a presentation on watches and he graciously accepted. So, for our **April 25 meeting, Phil Yanonne will take us through many interesting, pertinent topics related to watches**, including: the first watch and how it came along, the evolution of clock design, escapements, balances, hairsprings and jewelry, American and European manufacturing, watch value and what to collect, and he will leave time for Q&A's at the end.

I had been wanting to buy another pocket watch for years (but shied away because of my limited knowledge). A couple weeks ago a good opportunity came along, and with Phil and other go-to watch guys advising me, I ended up buying two really nice pocket watches. Now I can't wait to learn more about my new babies' family! Be sure to come to this one and learn for yourself! And be sure to bring your watch friends ... guests are always welcome.

See you on April 25 ... Jim

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

Future Meeting Dates: *June 13, picnic July 13*

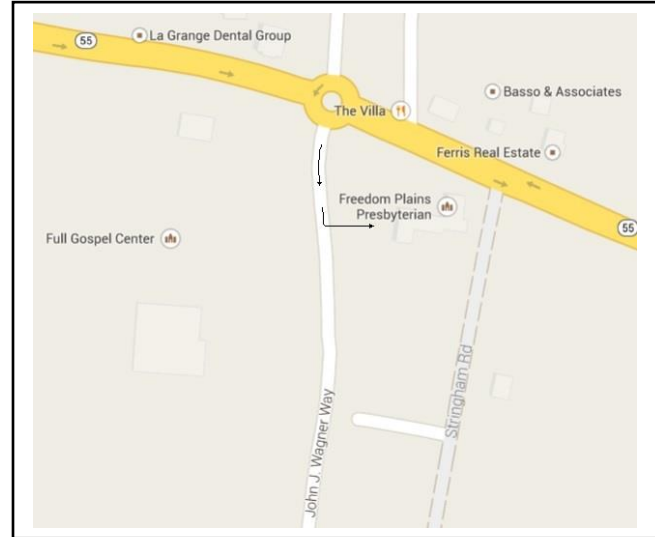
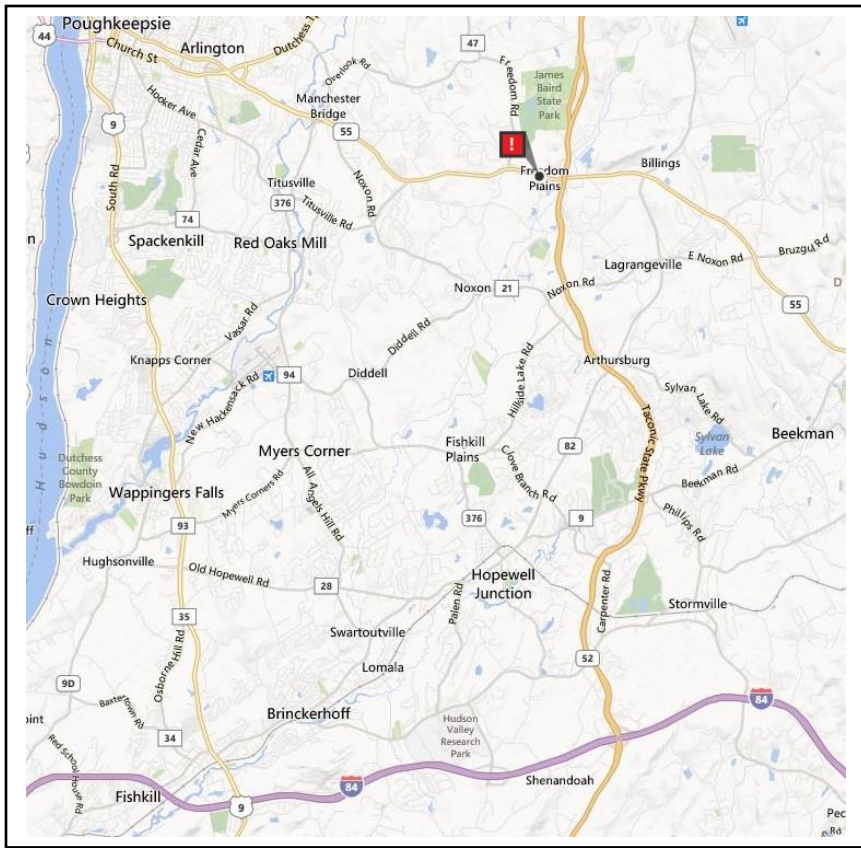
Register today and save! Registration is just \$8.00 in advance and \$10.00 at the door.
 Cut out and mail the form below along with your check. Guests are welcome!

	Name	NAWCC#	@\$8.00
Member			
Member			
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Telephone #: _____ email: _____ (if recently changed)

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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Have ideas for meetings and promoting the world of clocks? Want to help? Contact Jim.