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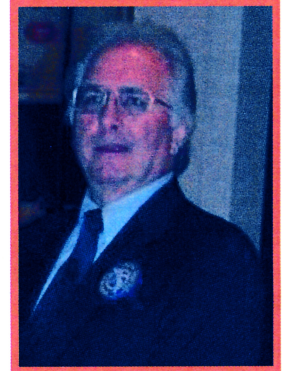
On October 15, 2019, Michael Morrison was notified by Barry Rauhauser, Executive Director of the Historical Society of Montgomery County that the Board of Trustees has voted to award him the 2019 Ella Aderman Acorn Award for Excellence in Preserving History.

To honor the service of the former President of our Board of Trustees, Ella Aderman, the Board of Trustees of the Historical Society of Montgomery County has created this annual preservation award.

This award, which will be announced at our Annual Luncheon on November 9, 2019, is given to those individuals, organizations and business who have made a significant contribution towards preserving the history of Montgomery County. Michael was recognized at the Society's Annual Luncheon and his name was placed on a plaque which hangs in the Historical Society's headquarters.

Nominations for this award were sought from members of the entire Montgomery County community. After reviewing the nominations, the Trustees felt that Michael's hard work over the years deserved attention.

Michael was invited to receive the award in person at their monthly meeting on November 14, 2019.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

by Dave Montalvo

Dear Members,

It has been quite a year! From Maria Savini's "History of the Justice Bell" and Michael Shaw's "A Mall & Its Legacy: The KoP Mall", as well as our Historical Tours and Tales from the Grave program - we continue to strive to fulfill our mission to preserve Upper Merion's past to enlighten its future.

So, as the year draws to a close, I wish to thank you for your continuing support as a member of The King of Prussia Historical Society. We couldn't do what we do without you. Our operating budget comes almost entirely from the dues of our members - the cost of publishing and distributing the Gazette, hosting services for our website, and the acquisition and care of historical artifacts are all expenses paid for by your membership dues.

And if you are able, please consider making an extra gift to the King of Prussia Historical Society when you renew your membership. With your financial support, we will continue to preserve Upper Merion's heritage.

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