

Human Relations Commission

Wednesday, January 23, 2019 – 7:00 p.m.

A meeting of the Doylestown Borough Human Relations Commission was held on the above date with the following members in attendance: Chairperson Fred Stanczak, Vice Chairperson, Linda Quinn, Secretary, Doreen Stratton, and Nancy Reilly. Also in attendance were Borough Manager, John Davis and Mayor Ron Strouse. Absent were John Fraser and Maxine Katz.

1. **Approval of Minutes:** The minutes from the November 24, 2018 Human Relations Commission Meeting were approved. (Nancy Reilly and Linda Quinn)
2. **Pride Month Update:**

Doylestown Pride has established a monthly meeting schedule. (February 2 & 19 and March 6 & 19) The first annual Doylestown Pride begins on Thursday, June 20 through Sunday June 23, 2019. A tentative schedule of events is as follows:

Thursday June 20, 2019

 - A cocktail reception followed by a premier film at the County Theater with an event to follow possibly at the Mercer Museum

Saturday, June 22, 2019

 - A youth matinee at the County Theater
 - A street festival on East State Street near the County Theater
 - A possible youth "prom"

Sunday, June 23, 2019

 - Panel discussion of the 50th anniversary of the Stonewall Uprising and a film at the County Theater.

Information for these events will be distributed at the Human Relations Commission table at the Farmer's Market. Suggested dates are May 4 and 11 and June 1 and 8. New Hope Pride is scheduled for the third week in May and they have agreed to promote the Doylestown celebration. Pride Month will set up a website, Facebook and Intstagram sites.
3. **Window Sticker:**

Linda Quinn and Kris Boger from Discover Doylestown worked on several designs and messages and will bring samples to the next meeting.
4. **Training:**

Linda Quinn will continue to discuss training services with Christa Tinari of *PeacePraxis*. Christa's website <http://www.peacepraxis.com> describes her services.
5. **Adjournment:**

The next Human Relations Commission meeting is Wednesday, February 27, 2019

Submitted by Doreen Stratton