

Nassau County Historical Society

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September 2016

For our annual meeting this year we will be returning to Davenport Press Restaurant in Mineola for our luncheon on **Sunday, October 16th**. Originally a bank, the 1862 building later became a printing company and was the official county printer for many years. A restaurant since 1976, it is decorated with many antiques and historic photographs.

Our speaker will be Kerriann Flanagan Brosky whose talk will be “Historic Haunts of Long Island: Ghosts and Legends from the Gold Coast to Montauk Point.” Her ghostly journey through Long Island history promises to be a captivating glimpse into her recent book on the topic (she’ll have her *Historic Haunts* book available for sale and signing).

We will have a choice of five entrees (selections made at the table): oven roasted salmon; chicken francaise; sliced London broil with mushroom sauce; eggplant parmigiana; or rigatoni a la vodka. The meal includes tossed salad, vegetables, potatoes, dessert, soda or iced tea, and coffee or tea (cash bar). The luncheon is scheduled from 1 to 4 pm; our room will be available from 12:30. The luncheon is \$44 and we will have open seating. We can guarantee good food, an interesting program, and an enjoyable afternoon.

Please make your check payable to: Nassau County Historical Society, cut off the reservation form at the bottom, and return with your check to the luncheon chairperson, Richard Althaus, 50 Arcadia Lane, Hicksville, NY 11801 (a pre-addressed envelope is enclosed). If you have any questions, call Rich at (516) 509-7738. Early reservations are appreciated (note the higher price for reservations after Oct. 7th). We cannot promise space will be available if you come without a reservation.

Davenport Press is located at 70 Main Street (between Willis Ave. and Mineola Blvd.) in the heart of Mineola—two blocks north of Old Country Rd. Because of one-way streets, we suggest taking Roslyn Rd. from the north (or Washington Ave. from the south), and turning west onto Old Country Road. Turn right (north) on Main St. and the restaurant is on the right, north of Front St. and just before the LIRR tracks (south of 2nd St.). A parking lot is on the south side of the restaurant or park on the street (meters are free on Sunday).

Remember: Sun. Sept. 18: Jennifer Garland, “History of Coney Island.” 2 pm in E. Williston

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Name(s) _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Please reserve _____ ticket(s) at \$44 each; _____ \$50 for checks postmarked after Fri.. Oct. 7th.

I am unable to attend, but am enclosing a tax-deductible contribution to the Society of \$ _____ (our luncheon is not a fundraiser, but we welcome your donations to the Society).

Mail to: Richard Althaus, 50 Arcadia Lane, Hicksville, NY 11801. Total enclosed \$ _____