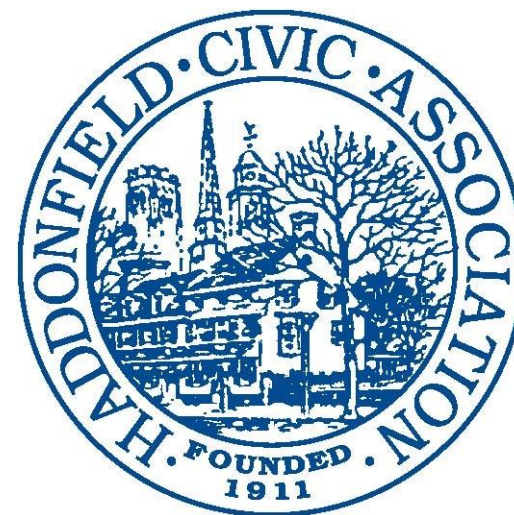


Alfred E. Driscoll Community Service Award

This is the 43rd consecutive year that the Haddonfield Civic Association is presenting the Alfred E. Driscoll Community Service Award honoring the late Governor Driscoll, a distinguished citizen of Haddonfield and the State of New Jersey. The award was renamed in 1975 to recognize uncommon effort on behalf of the community with the intention that those who receive it will inspire others, and that it will encourage broader participation in the activities of the Haddonfield community.

1931 Reverend Paul Hayne	1974 Herman F. Jannsen
1934 Haddonfield - Ye Olde Town	1975 Borough Commissioners, Past & Present
1937 The Indian King	1976 Martha and Louis Goettelmann
1938 Haddon Fire Company No. 1	1977 The Haddonfield Bicentennial Committee (1976)
1939 Free Public Library	1978 The Haddonfield Red Cross Blood Bank
1940 Haddonfield Friends Meeting House	1979 Walter Saladik
1941 Elizabeth Haddon Homestead	1980 Haddonfield 65 Club
1942 John Estaugh Hopkins House (Discontinued due to World War II)	1981 Kenneth G. Weaber
1946 Haddonfield Friends School	1982 Harry T. Kaufmann
1947 Birdwood & Dinosaur Hydrosaurus Foulki	1983 The Bancroft School
1948 The Guard House	1984 The Haddonfield Crime Watch
1949 The Historical Society of Haddonfield	1985 C. Carlton Read
1950 200th Anniversary of the Indian King & Governor Alfred E. Driscoll	1986 Haddonfield Friends School
1951 The Haddonfield National Bank & Kings Highway Beautification	1987 Dorothy McGlade
1952 Haddonfield Post 38, American Legion	1988 Tom Patton - Haddonfield Pick-up Band
1953 The Haddonfield Public Library	1989 Haddon Fire Company No. 1
1954 Haddon Fire Company No. 1 & Volunteer Police Reserve Assoc.	1990 Bob Schaeffer
1955 Adjustment & Planning Committee	1991 Haddonfield Garden Club
1956 Haddonfield Visiting Nurse Assoc. & Haddonfield Ambulance Assoc.	1992 Siddons Harper, Jr. & Harold Elliott
1957 Haddonfield Celebrations Assoc.	1993 Bill Reynolds
1958 Henry Bean, Past President, Haddonfield School Board & Robert B. Alleger, Pres., Haddonfield Little League	1994 Y's Men
1959 Haddonfield Council of Adult Education	1995 Haddonfield Rotary
1960 Historical Society of Haddonfield & Haddonfield Plays & Players	1996 Rev. Charles Sayres
1961 Haddonfield Visiting Nurse Assoc. & Women's Auxiliaries	1997 John J. Tarditi, Jr.
1962 Haddonfield Blood Bank & Foreign Exchange Students	1998 Interfaith Caregivers
1963 The 250th Anniversary Committee & Estaugh Mansion	1999 Haddonfield Lions' Club
1964 Dr. Ernest A. Farrington	2000 John H. Reisner III, Esquire
1965 "The Pageant" and "The Kings Road" (activities of the 250th celebration)	2001 Bob Parsons
1966 Haddonfield Public Library & Haddonfield Friends of The Library	2002 First Night
1967 Dr. Lawrence Litchfield Glover - "The Family Doctor"	2003 Gene Kain
1968 The Haddon Fortnightly	2004 HATCH
1969 The Community Concert Association	2005 John C. Connell
1970 The Delaware River Port Authority	2006 Joe Haro
1971 Mrs. Jesse G. Haydock	2007 Haddonfield Auxiliary Police
1972 Crows Woods Nature Center Assoc.	2008 Doug Rauschenberger and Kathy Tassini
1973 Haddonfield Planning Committee & Official Planning Board (created June, 1956)	2009 Linda and "Butch" Brees
	2010 Rosie Hymerling
	2011 American Legion Post 38
	2012 Lee Albright
	2013 Kim Custer
	2014 Jack O'Malley
	2015 Maureen Lynn Eyles
	2016 Mark Reifsnyder
	2017 Joe Murphy



Town Dinner

Thursday, April 26, 2018
at Tavistock Country Club

PROGRAM

SOCIAL HOUR

Music provided by

HMS Jazz Band
HMHS Jazz Band
HMHS Show Choir

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Master of Ceremonies

Mr. Jack O'Malley

INVOCATION

Reverend Bill Getman,
First Presbyterian Church

DINNER

ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF BOARD OF GOVERNORS MEMBERS

Dennis Tully, President

HCA SCHOLASHIPS

*Presented by Lisa Quanci, Dan Tompkins, Aimee Subramanian
HCA Education Committee*

HARRY TOWNSEND KAUFMANN AWARD

Bridget Finnegan

BRADSHAW ESSAY CONTEST AWARD

Gianna Cucinotta for
"08033"

QUANCI FINE ARTS AWARD

Maggie Plum for
"Uprooted"

ALFRED E. DRISCOLL COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

Presented by Jack O'Malley

Letitia "Tish" Colombi

ADJOURNMENT

Special Thank You for the centerpieces: Lisa Quanci, Tracy Bateman, Matthew Eyles and Knolltop Nursery

2017 - 2018 OFFICERS

President

Dennis Tully

Vice President

Eric Johnson

Corresponding Secretary

Jaime Groomett

Recording Secretary

Dan Tompkins

Treasurer

Julie Beddingfield

Immediate Past President

Bill Tourtellotte

CURRENT BOARD OF GOVERNORS

and

ACTIVE EX OFFICIO

2018 Shana Marshall, Joe Ehrhardt, Jack O'Malley

2019 Eric Johnson, Dan Genel

2020 Jaime Groomett, Joe Levine,

2021 David Stavetski, Linda Hochgertel, Aimee Subramanian,

Emeritus - Robin Potter

Active - John C. Connell

NEW NOMINATIONS FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS

2022 Julie Beddingfield, Lisa Quanci, Dan Tompkins

COMMITTEES

Education

Lisa Quanci, Dan Tompkins, Aimee Subramanian

Membership/Publicity

Linda Hochgertel, Jaime Groomett

Municipal Affairs

Joe Erhardt

Technology

Dan Genel

Nominations

Jack O'Malley

Throughout the course of history, there are certain individuals who lead exemplary lives. Elizabeth Haddon was a prime example of such a person. She was born with a sharp mind, a generous soul, and a strong personality, and she used these qualities throughout her life to shape the world around her. In a time when women were supposed to be submissive and obedient, Elizabeth Haddon forged her own path through life. Whether that meant moving to a wild and unknown land, or proposing to the man she loved, Elizabeth Haddon was unique. In Haddonfield, the person who best personifies her legacy is our Mayor Tish Colombi. Like Elizabeth Haddon, Mayor Colombi overcame the prejudices of society and made a positive impression on our community. With her kindness and strong leadership, she has become one of the best loved and most respected figures in our town.

Both of these great women came here from faraway lands, unsure how this new place would welcome them. Full of energy, ambition, and purpose they set out to bring change. As a mother, Mayor Colombi was an active member of the PTA, working hard to give her children the best education possible. In today's Haddonfield, Elizabeth Haddon would have been sitting right next to Mayor Colombi, fighting to help her own child and community. Their devotion to the people they care about was the key to their leadership simply because they care about everybody. From family members, to friends, to citizens of Haddonfield, to members of the human race, no person was too small to be noticed and cared for by these two women. There is a story told about Elizabeth Haddon in which, as a girl of six, she asked her mother to throw a party. When the guests arrived, they turned out to be six starving orphans whom the young Elizabeth Haddon had seen begging in the streets. Mayor Colombi too takes an active role in helping the less fortunate by finding time in her busy schedule to volunteer. She also supports groups such as Kid's Alley, Babe's Kids, and the Lions Club, groups that work hard to try and positively impact the lives of other people. To both of these women, selflessness was a key virtue that made them who they are.

Both Mayor Colombi and Elizabeth Haddon have a strong sense of community. This is evident by Mayor Colombi's organization of First Night and her constant presence at the town's events, ranging from Eagle Scout Courts of Honor to High School plays. A strong sense of community is something that is essential to a small town like Haddonfield, and a quality that was central to Elizabeth Haddon's Quaker faith. Personally, I can't remember the days before Mayor Colombi was mayor, showing up to the elementary school and speaking at the Memorial Day Parade. She has always been a strong leader who has cared about the people of her town. When Mayor Colombi leaves this year, Haddonfield will have lost a great mayor, but it will still have a wonderful citizen. For the past 17 years of my life, the woman who best exemplifies the virtues of Elizabeth Haddon is without doubt our own Mayor Colombi, and she will be sorely missed.