

Dutch Barn Preservation Society e-news, 30 November 2011

The Dutch Barn Preservation Society
invites you to
A Celebration of our 25th Anniversary

And a December Board Meeting
Sunday December 11, 12:00 noon-4:00 pm
At the Mabee Farm historic Site in Rotterdam Junction

Open to All Members and Past Members!

This fall, the Dutch Barn Preservation Society is 25 years old! We invite all current and past members to join us at our new home in the Franchere Education Center at the Mabee Farm Historic Site.



There will be a short Board Meeting at noon, followed by a showing of the new film by Brandt Bolding, “Building the Dutch Barn.” Funded by the National Barn Alliance, this is the instructional & promotional film that is sent to schools prior to the school’s raising of the Dutch Barn Model. After the meeting, tour the Center, see the exhibit, and share stories of the past 25 years.



On Display at the Franchere Education Center-
'A Journey through History'- the Works of Len Tantillo. The Exhibit features over 50 Tantillo paintings featuring many Dutch Colonial Buildings. (See link on www.schenectadyhistory.net/)



Here is a print of Schenectady ca. 1690, "Schenectady Town" by Len Tantillo, from his web site, http://www.lftantillo.com/shop/17th-Century/Schenectady-Town/prod_55.html



The Mynderse Kas, ca. 1720, recently acquired as part of the extensive Mynderse Family Collection of over 1,000 Schenectady and Albany Dutch Colonial artifacts, is also on view... [Shown above.]

Mabee Farm Historic Site

1100 Main St., Rt.5S, Rotterdam Junction, NY Thruway Exit 26

Directions- go to www.mabeefarm.org/ or call Keith (518) 438-8352

We hope to invite as many of our past Dutch Barn Society Board Members as we can. If you know any of their emails or addresses, could you please let Ned Pratt know? Nedpratt66@aol.com, 518-432-0220, or snail mail at 433 Central Ave, Albany NY 12206.

**And save the date for our Annual Meeting,
Saturday, January 7, 2012. Details to follow.**

