

Hammonton, NJ August 23rd, 2015. The Historical Society of Hammonton invites the public to a community program to be held Thursday, September 3rd, 8:00 PM at the Canoe Club, Lake Park. Programs are free, provided as a service to the community. There is no requirement to be a member of HSH to attend. The program is videoed and a copy is placed in our archives so that now or future generations will be provided with a snapshot of Hammonton.

The Historical Society of Hammonton, will honor the 1949 Little League World Champions. A special invitation is extended to the officers and present day players of the Hammonton Little League.

In 1949, in Williamsport, Pennsylvania, in front of a cheering crowd of 10,000, Hammonton won the Little League World Championship.

A 20 minute film as narrated by team captain, Nuncie Sacco, will relive exciting highlights of the game and you will feel the moment of the downtown parade when two by two in the back of convertibles, team members, were saluted by thousands lining Bellevue Avenue. Following the movie, members of the team will recall their memories of that magical time, 66 years ago.

In addition the former champs will describe the thrill of being honored in Williamsport in 2009 for their 60th anniversary. Surviving members of the team are Nuncie Sacco, Captain, Oatha Crowder, Gayton Capelli, Al Marazzi, Bob Dewees, Ron DeMarco, John Tomasello and Sydney Norcross.

Following their presentation will be a time for audience participation. Bring your questions and meet the champs.

You will not want to miss what promises to be an historic and memorable evening.

About The Historical Society of Hammonton. The Historical Society of Hammonton was established to provide for generations to come a living collection relating to the rich and unique social, political, economic and cultural heritage of the Town of Hammonton, New Jersey. The mission of the society is to increase awareness of history relating to Hammonton, New Jersey environs and to establish public access to that history by collecting, conserving, studying, interpreting and promoting the history to the widest audience.