The Kennett Underground Railroad Center announces

A Symposium on Current Research on the Underground Railroad in Southeastern Pennsylvania, Delaware, New Jersey, and New York

Saturday, May 23, 2015, 9:30 am-2:30 pm

London Grove Friends Meetinghouse 500 West Street Road (Rt 926) in London Grove, Chester County, Pennsylvania



Artist Terry Pyle

- 9:30 10:30 Opening Session: Introduction and Research Roundtable
- 10:30 10:45 Coffee Break
- 10:45 12:00 Morning Session
- 12:00 1:00 Lunch and Poster Sessions
- 1:00 2:30 Afternoon Session

Speakers/Panelists and Topics (there may be more)

- * Dr. Christopher P. Barton, "Archaeological Investigation of Timbuckto (NJ)"
- * Tom Calarco, "Secret Lives of the Underground Railroad in New York City."
- * Milt Diggins, "The Kidnapping of the Parker Sisters."
- * Dr. Cheryl Gooch, "What it Means to be Free: Uncovering the Undocumented History of Freedom-Seeking: African-Americans of Hinsonville, Chester Co, PA."
- * Nancy Webster, "The Landscape of the Underground Railroad."

After each presentation there will be a question and answer session.

• Admission to this event is free. Coffee, tea, and water will be provided. A lunch of hoagies, wraps, salad, and fruit will be available for \$6, payable by cash or check on the day of the symposium, catered by Triple Fresh Market, East Fallowfield. (Make checks out to KURC). You may of course bring your own lunch.

• If you plan to attend, <u>please respond by May 20</u> by email or phone to <u>tmaguire@wilmingtonfriends.org</u> or 302-475-0554. Let us know your name and if you will purchase lunch, so the caterer can prepare accordingly.