

Alexandria Community Remembrance Project
Steering Committee Meeting
August 6, 2024
5pm
Alexandria Black History Museum
902 Wythe Street
Meeting Notes

Present: Audrey Davis, Darrlynn Franklin, Mark Farkas, Tiffany Pache RaAlim Shabazz, David Spinrad, Sarah Whelan, Kennetra Woods.

1. Call to Order by Audrey Davis at 5:04 p.m.
2. Plans for Benjamin Thomas Remembrance Event 2024 discussed and approved by the committee.
3. Action Committees Proposal discussed and approved by the committee. The ideas was considered to be a good way to share the work and expand the reach of ACRP. It is a way to get more people involved and forwards the work into the community.
4. Remembrance Student Reboot & Pilgrimage to EJI 2025, the goal is for the students to go on a pilgrimage in March of 2025. September 23 will be the first meeting of Remembrance Students at ACHS. Discussion over how to raise money for a pilgrimage.
5. September ACRP Events
 - Hoping to debut the ACRP documentary film on September 21, 2024 with fundraising reception for ACRP's general account.
 - Interfaith Leaders are cosponsoring a courageous conversation with author Jim Wallis at the Virginia Theological Seminary on Sept. 26, 2024.
6. Tables of Conscience (ToC) for Fall 2024
 - We have three hosts for the Fall ToC fundraising dinners. We are awaiting book selections and dates and will begin advertising as soon

as these are completed. These funds will go toward the scholarships set up in Joseph McCoy and Benjamin Thomas names.

7. Adjournment was at 6 p.m.

Next Meeting is Tuesday, September 10 at 5 p.m. at Alexandria Black History Museum.