

**BROOKFIELD ARTS COMMISSION
MEETING MINUTES 04/29/13**

PRESENT: Mary Daniel, Marian Miller, Carmel Fauci, Ann Amorossi, Chris Aher

TREASURER'S REPORT: \$1556.93

CORRESPONDENCE: Brookfield Schools Art Show - Reception is May 1, 5:30 - 7:00 pm at Town Hall. Please try to make it if you can.

OLD BUSINESS; FILM FESTIVAL - All present at meeting agreed that choosing Edmond Town Hall proved to be very successful. Some considerations to think about based on feedback from attendees - starting time should be 7:30 pm instead of 8:00 pm, shorter intermissions, and perhaps not showing John and Karen again! We should also consider "social media" for our publicity. We also discussed the possibility of not doing a Saturday afternoon showing since the attendance was low -- we should think about having two showings on Sunday instead. We should think about the dates for the next film festival and have some suggestions for our next meeting. Ray Dori was not at the meeting so we did not get into a discussion about the continuance of the workshop. Refreshments: we should rethink serving wine since we did not sell much and also it was suggested that we should sell water since it was so popular during the intermissions. Tickets: 359 tickets sold.

MURAL PROJECT: The first check was received from the state and Mary and Ann set up a new checking account to handle the funds. We should definitely address fund raising at our next meeting - Carmel volunteered her home for a fund raiser and Mary asked her to come up with available dates to discuss at our next meeting in May.

RECEPTION FOR JOEL SPECTOR: it went very well and we had at least 30 people attend. Marian is going to contact Colin Harrison for a show - do not have a definite date yet, perhaps. Sept, Oct and Nov. We need to have an artist lined up for June, July and August.

STUDENT AWARDS: We do not have a definite date yet but we will have enough funds for 1 or perhaps 2 awards. Details to follow.

Our next meeting will be Monday, May 20 instead of May 27.

Meeting adjourned at 8:55 pm.