

BROOKFIELD ART COMMISSION

MINUTES---FEBRUARY 3, 2015

ATTENDANCE: Ray Dori, Ann Amorossi, Chris Aher, John Miler, Marian Miller

TREASURER'S REPORT: \$3,116.29

OLD BUSINESS:

ART EXHIBITS: Status of Gloria Laposka's paintings: *storage area on second floor of Brk. Town Hall a small area to be shared with other departments. Question of care and safety of art? Continue to investigate other suitable areas and less expensive.

Royal Scott: Art Reception-- February 4, 2015 from 7:00-8:00pm at Town Hall, first floor. Exhibit will run from January-March, 2015

Future Exhibits: (all dates and schedules are tentative) *Colin Harrison is willing to do a second photography show possibly March and April. He also wants to discuss a book of his work with the Board.

School District Showing of student work--May (Marian will verify the date)

Rachel Henderson--potential for a June exhibit of weddings and brides.....Marian will discuss this with this photographer.

Dottie Dori is another potential photographer for a future show.

BROOKFIELD FILM FESTIVAL:

IFC THEATER, New York City is open on Feb.17th. The commission members will plan to attend in order to see the OSCAR nominated shorts in planning for the BFF. There is a potential \$1000 fee unless "Neal" of Magnolia will negotiate. Hopefully M. Daniels will have success with the proposed negotiation.

MANHATTAN SHORTS: Ray Dori will send this to Chris Aher, who will get the link, permission, the fee (if any). Also he will find out how and when we can get the films.

SY-FI SHIFT \$500/4 showings, \$25/4 showings

SAVE THE DATE and BFF FLYERS-2015 are being generated.

SIGNS: much discussion on where to hang the banner and yard signs. The purchase of the yard signs was approved 2/15/15. The cost is (6) at \$30 each and are to be placed in strategic locations that the main stream of residents will/can observe. Examples are: the library, “four corners”, flag pole near the churches, etc.

TICKETS: Chris Aher will produce these.

LIQUOR LICENSE: \$25/day through the Liq. Comm.

VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE AND WORKERS: will ask those who helped in 2014 and fill in as needed. Names are appreciated.

TIME AND PLACE TO REVIEW SHORTS: We will look into reserving room 119/TH all one evening and do this as a group.

REVIEW OF THE CONTRACT FOR PRODUCTION: We, The Board, agreed to pay Chris Aher \$500 for use of equipment and services.

NEW BUSINESS:

WEBSITE UPDATE: Chris Aher will maintain and update the website as new information is given to him.

PUBLICATIONS: Area newspapers, THE DANBURY NEWS TIMES, NEWTOWN BEE, and THE PATCH (an on-line news paper) will be used for advertisement of the BFF.

FILM FESTIVAL VOLUNTEERS: The commission members will contact volunteers from previous shows for food and preparation.

Tickets: Chris Aher will print these

Signs: Ray Dori

Reservations and Flowers: Ann Amorossi

Food and Drinks: Betsy Scott and Marian Miller

Production, set up, chair rental John, Chris, Ray

MEETINGS: Monthly meetings will now be the last Tuesday of each month./Feb. 24.

RESPECTIVELY SUBMITTED:

Marian R. Miller