Town of East Hampton Arts & Cultural Commission Meeting Minutes Thursday, June 21, 2012 Town Hall Meeting Room

Attendees: Monica Kangley, Kevin Gunning, Valerie Bozzi, Carol Lane, Melisssa Poinzio, Shirley Brooks.

Regrets: Rachel Mansfield, Steven Kelly, Elizabeth Sennett, Sheila Tomlinson.

The monthly meeting of EH Arts & Cultural Commission was called to order by Chairperson Monica Kangley at 6:30 p.m.

The minutes were read and accepted with a correction of the spelling of Rachel's name.

Public comment-Derek Johnsonon thanks the members for participating in the Commission. He suggests that we reach out to other groups and make them aware of our existence. He is also on the Council.

Old Business:emails and telephone numbers were corrected. Monica home # and Melissa Pionzio added her home #

Valeri e made a motion to change the time of meetings to 6:30 p.m. seconded by Melissa. Vote taken, passed.

Yearly calendar will extend for the entire year. Information from any group to be added to the calendar should be emailed to Monica and she will forward it to Cathy.

It was suggested we have a table at Old Home Day, no action was taken.

Sheila sent a letter to Wade Russo at Goodspeed asking him to lecture at the library and open to the public. This would depend on when he is available.

New Business: Melissa Poinzio will take minutes in July.

Suggestion on fund raising cruise on the river or lake.

Derek, we asked if there were funds available, we have to submit a budget by the end of this year for 2013-2014. We will work on it in the fall.

Valerie mentioned that the theater group in East Haddam is presenting Bye, Bye Birdie. She also mentioned that Podium Players is hiring a director to present Little Shop Of Horrors. We should give any info to Monica as soon as possible.

The question was asked if we could use Town Hall for copying if we wanted to send out fliers to groups in town.

Next meeting our goal will be to start on a budget.

People should be aware of the concerts at the schools, they are not well attended especially at the high school and they are very entertaining. We again addressed the social media subject.

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The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m. Shirley Brooks