

Minutes of Meeting, Mamaroneck Council of the Arts

Date: Tuesday, June 9, 2009

Place: Harbor Island

In Attendance: Phyllis Gutterman; Jane Dorian; Toni Ryan; Mary Louise Cox.

Absent: Shira Weinstein, Lizzette Soto, Shadia Sachedina

Guests: Sharon Latimer-Mosley, LMC-TV and Esther Neuringer (potential member)

Discussed:

1. Report of Harbor Fest: Some members felt that the event was kind of spread out and somewhat difficult to negotiate. For the future, Council members said they would like to have a juried art show to coincide with the Festival or possibly at another time.
2. Sharon Mosley spoke about doing a promo on LMC –TV about the Council. She could interview Phyllis and/or post pictures of past events. Sharon also discussed the possibility of future Sound Shore Artumentaries. One of her proposals was: Mamaroneck Library will have a DVD of artists for patrons to borrow.
3. Upcoming Events – Movie. Any private donations would help since the rental of equipment is approximately \$2,500, and rental rights for the film are approximately \$271. The movie will be shown at dusk on July 26th from 7 – 9 PM. Sharon Mosley will post the movie information on the LMC community billboard.
4. Discussed – the Artists’ Directory. We need to make it known and add artists for future events.
5. Discussed the need for Mamaroneck Council of Arts to have a calendar of events for the year.
6. Publicity – for Council events. Possibly the Westchester Arts Council monthly publication; display flyers at library and stores; and LMC-TV.
7. Emelin theatre update: The director is open to featuring local talent and the Council will try to schedule events there.
8. Vacant Council slots: one or more slots are available on the Council. Toni will check on the charter for the exact number of members required.
9. Next meeting is July 14.