Orleans Cultural Council 19 School Road, Orleans, Massachusetts 02653

April 14,2008

Members Present: Wellesley Bergstrom, Meri Hartford, Ann Williams, Barbara Uhl, Joanna Keeley, and Alisa Gallazi

Members Absent: Jill Johnson, PJ Dunn

The meeting of the Cultural Council was called to order at 5:15 P. M.

Several people from the WMSC group came as guest speakers. They will be exhibiting a collection of maps in our gallery. We discussed hanging procedures. They will be using poster boards and clamps in their hanging method. The exhibition and hanging will begin the first week of July. Some Orleans Cultural Committee members will assist.

Next we discussed more about the banner being used for Main Street advertising the **Celebrate the Arts** event. Wellesley designed the banner. The arts event will take place on September 27th from 11:00-4:00PM. Musicians and artists will be invited to perform and exhibit.

The Minutes for the past two years had to be approved. The following Minute were voted and approved:

September 2006

September 2007

October 2006

November 2007

November 2006

December 2007

December 2006

March 2008

May 2006

Wellesley has a new idea for next year called **Arts Hour.** Everyone showed enthusiasm for her new idea. More discussion in the future on this new project. We don't want to get too far ahead of ourselves with "ideas".

Last of all we discussed the art gallery shows. Wellesley came out with a list of dates for shows. The adult exhibits are being reduced down to three shows a year and one children's exhibit. We need to put more effort with the gallery shows. Only two art pieces were submitted for this month. The three adult shows will extend two months. Titles of shows are **Traveling, Interior-Exterior, and Totally Abstract.**

Meeting was adjourned at 6:30

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Uhl

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