

Minutes of Arts Commission Meeting

August 05, 2015

Members present: Chairman Ginny Strausburg, Jim Collins, Betty Lou Carney, Sierra Kelley, and Kathy Jablinski.

Members absent: Marlene Orendorf , Mary Scott, Tom Bankston

Also present: Kristen Gopman, Asst. to the City Manager.

Minutes were approved for the June 03, 2015 meeting by Betty Lou Carney and seconded by Kathy Jablinski.

Staff Report:

Presented the 2015 budget for review and will submit the same for the 2016 budget.

Mentioned Cultural Day at the library and asked for any volunteers. Kathy said she could do face paintings.

Art Gallery:

There have been three photographers already assigned for 2016. Jim will send in the two he mentioned to Kristen so that she can send them out to everyone to review. Whenever a member finds an artist for the gallery, please submit their names to Kristen so that she can send the information out to all members on the commission.

Art at the Trace:

The event will be on Saturday, February 6, 2016 from 6:30-9 p.m. The food will be selected after the members of the committee sample the appetizers and agree on the choices. Pre-sale tickets are \$15 and \$20 at the door. The new price change was voted on and approved by the Art Commission. There will be a new revised check off list for all artists on instructions on setting up their art work.

There will be another meeting for the Art at the Trace to discuss food and the featured artist.

Summer Concert Series:

Jim Collins said all posted concerts have gone on as scheduled. He has had several comments, both good and bad. Kristen said we have collected \$500 in donations so far this summer. Betty Lou said all of the singers for the national anthem have showed up and done a great job.

Classical Series:

Sierra said 20 people attended the Photo Workshop. The Digital Photo Contest is ready and is set up to go forward.

If you have any ideas for the Classical Series for 2016 please send them to Sierra or Kristen.

Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Jim Collins