

## Centerville Arts Commission Meeting

June 4, 2014

Members Present: Marlene Orendorf, Acting Chair, Tom Bankston, Betty Lou Carney, Jim Collins, Walt Smucker, and Sierra Kelley

Also Present: Kristen Gopman, Assistant to the City Manager and John Palcher, City Council liaison

Meeting was called to order at 7:00pm by Marlene Orendorf, Acting Chair

Minutes from March 5, 2014 were presented and amended to add Tom Bankston as having attended that meeting. A motion was made by Jim and a second by Betty Lou, minutes were approved.

Staff Report: There will be no July Meeting. John reported that he and the Council wanted to thank all of the Arts Commission Members for all of their hard work. We have 7 openings any potential Arts Commission Members need to be from the City of Centerville. Two shows with Maureen have been taped one with Walt and Jim and the other with Walt and Kristen.

Art Gallery: The gallery calendar is now full. June's artist is Gregory Degroat (drawing and painting). There will not be a reception this month. There was a gap at the Art Gallery between May's artist removing their work and June's artist installing their work. Installation and take down are done at the convenience of the artists however; we try to keep any empty space to a minimum. We will be getting in touch with Mary to touch base with her about the gallery.

Classical Series: Dayton Mandolin Orchestra and the MVSO had both been contacted to ask about possible fall concerts. We did not participate in Original Night this year.

Art at the Trace: Marlene and Kristen reported that 2015 date will be February 7<sup>th</sup> and they will keep us posted about any further developments.

Summer Concert Series: Walt reported that our season kicks off on Sunday and any volunteers would be appreciated. Email Walt with any National Anthem singer information. Walt would like to continue keeping count at the concerts to judge if a group is liked/disliked and how we spend our budget on these groups. Food 2 Go had not submitted a request form for this year.

Photography: Digital Photo Contest will be August 1- August 28. Free workshops will be held on August 2: The Basics of Point and Shoot at 10am-12pm and Beyond Point and Shoot at 1:30pm-3:30pm at the Centerville Library. Photo judging will be September 10-16 and Winners will be notified by September 19. The Winners Award Ceremony will be October 26 2:30-3:30pm at the Centerville Police Department Art Gallery. Photo Contest Winners art will be displayed in the art gallery in November and December. (Flyer in our packet)

Poster Contest: We have a new poster with our new logo that Jennifer did for the Farmers Market. The winner was from Tower Heights but Magsig grades 6, 7, and 8 also submitted entries.

Cultural Day: Marlene and Kristen reported that Cultural Day will be held September 13 from 11a-2p at the Centerville Library. The country this year is Mexico. Those involved with Cultural Day: Full Sponsors:

Washington-Centerville Public Library, Centerville Arts Commission, and Centerville-Washington Diversity Council. Donations and/or Assistance: WSU Office of Latino Affairs, Dayton Hispanic Chamber, St. Leonard Center, Primerica, League of United Latin American Citizens, Missing Peace Art Space, and Friends of the Washington-Centerville Public Library.

Announcements: John reported that when he is signed up for a concert he could be a greeter as well. Marlene suggested getting community helpers/ those who need service hours for greeters at the concerts. John said he would pass this along to the Council for any ideas they may have for greeters as well as to the Key Clubs.

Meeting Adjourned: 7:30pm

Respectfully submitted by Sierra Kelley