

Centerville Art Commission Meeting  
September 1, 2010

**Members:**

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| Mark Taylor      | Present | Sue Butler       | Present | Betty Lou Carney     | Absent  |
| Kera Estep       | Absent  | Marty Holzinger  | Absent  | Sierra Kelley        | Absent  |
| Jo Lease         | Absent  | Marlene Orendorf | Absent  | Walt Smucker         | Absent  |
| Ginny Strausburg | Present | Jim Teske        | Present | Bob Waker            | Present |
| Jill Wallace     | Absent  | Kay Wick         | Present | Open Commission Seat |         |

**Also present:**

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| Kristen Gopman,<br>Assistant to the City Manager | Present |
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| Agenda Item                | Discussion / Conclusion   | Action   |
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| <b>Approval of Minutes</b> |   | Approval deferred until the October meeting.                                     |
| <b>Staff Report</b>        | Golf outing will be held on October 5 at Yankee Trace for volunteers and board members of the city.<br>Sympathy card circulated for the loss of Jill Wallace's father.<br>A card was circulated for Kera who broke her foot.  |  |
| <b>Committee Reports</b>   |   |  |
| Art Gallery                | Current display will be down soon. September display is artwork promoting "A Day in India". October will be the winners of the photography contest on display.  |  |
| Classical Series           | We will only be involved in the CHS "Evening of Strings". Our other engagement at CHS was postponed by the school. There is an option of directing the funds available to acquiring ensembles of students for art gallery receptions.   |  |
| Summer Concert Series      | See the report submitted for numbers of attendance. Walking the crowd to collect the surveys has increased our feedback from the audiences. There was a suggestion to increase the number of fans and print fewer programs. Kristen shared that the commission was sent 2 tickets to review a potential act for next year. A further recommendation is to designate a smoking area for the concert with an ashtray. The Public Works Department is looking at expanding the handicapped pads in the amphitheater. Other concerns were raised about the children who run around in front of the performers and the dogs brought by patrons. Other ideas were discussed and will be included in the end of season evaluation for planning 2011 season.<br>Abby Williams, the stage manager has done a | The protocol for the American flag display is to be looked into for the concert. |



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|  | terrific job this season. The city attorney reviewed the issue of petitioners present at the entrance to the amphitheater. The advice was that there is little that we can do to remove them.  |   |
| Interactive / Library / Poster Contest | On September 25 there will be a "Day in India" at the Centerville Library. The photography contest had 112 entries. It closed on August 31. The "Flyer Crew" will meet Friday, September 3 from 1 – 3 PM in the Law Library to count and prep the flyers for distribution. | Commissioners are encouraged to commit to being there for an hour or so for assistance. Information will be sent regarding the online photography contest voting. |
| Marketing Committee                    | September 13 9 AM the Committee will go through the Scrapbook crew.<br><br>Walt is looking for assistance to sort and clean up the publication materials from potential and actual acts we have had or could have for the Concert Series.                                  |   |
| <b>New Business</b>                    |  |   |
| Diversity Council Request              | The Arts Commission has historically been represented on the Diversity Council.  | A Volunteer is being sought to fill this role. This will be added to next month's agenda.   |
| <b>Announcements</b>                   |  |   |

Respectfully submitted by Bob Waker