

Centerville Art Commission Meeting
September 3, 2008

Members Present: Carol Wasson, Nora Gessner, Mark Taylor, Jim Teske, Ginny Strausberg, Walt Smucker, Dianne Acosta, Bob Waker, Deb Dyer

Members Absent: (Excused) Francine Riley, Councilmember Belinda Kenley

Also present: Angie Tapogna, City Arts Coordinator

Agenda Item	Discussion / Conclusion	Action
Approval of Minutes	Minutes were approved and accepted.	
Coordinator's Report (see attached at end of minutes)		
Photography Contest and Workshop	Large posters will be placed at the two libraries and the Washington Township Recreation Center announcing Display Centerville Photo Contest. Sally Struthers to present a power point workshop on the designing of a good photograph. People are asked to bring in their photos for critique at the end.	Dianne to deliver the posters and large boxes to accept the CDs of photos. Info can be down loaded from the website. Ginny asked to have the posters sent to her electronically so she can distribute them at her work place.
Summer Concert Series Report	Carol Wasson informed us of some problems that arose at the last concert. These problems were dealt with by the Art Commissioners who were in attendance. Two Air Force Reserve members helped with parking. Even though we had 20 more handicapped parking spaces, we were still in need of more. It was pointed out that Stubbs Park is designed better than most outdoor venues for handicapped access.	Regarding the handicapped access, we want to review the needs and improve this aspect for next year's concert series. Bob, Carol and Jim will make a punch list of requirements by October. The smaller committee will discuss the number and types of bands to be hired for next year. We will limit the number of bands to 12. 2009 Summer Concert Series committee consists of Carol (Chair), Jim, Walt and Ginny.

Old Business	Code of Ethics. Belinda absent, so we will leave that for next time.	
New Business	<p>Mark would like to see a location that would hold Art Shows and be a gathering place for artists to take classes and be available for the residents of Centerville</p> <p>Jim brought up the Centerville Washington Foundation which works as a fiscal agent. It was established that you need to have a project first before asking for funds.</p> <p>Jim would like to make it possible to advise people with projects to present them to this foundation.</p>	<p>Deb Dyer brought up the Art Place behind the Centerville Washington township Recreation Center. Jim will look into it.</p> <p>Bob says that taking pictures at all of our events could be put into a log with the view of contribution to the community; A visual record of the crowds and events. Bob will look into how to save and preserve or archive these events. We need a place to store such as My Space.</p>

Respectfully submitted by Dianne Acosta