

# Richfield Arts Commission Meeting Minutes

**Thursday, July 1, 2010, 7p.m. in the community center**

<http://www.cityofrichfield.org/officials/Commissions/arts.htm>

**Commission Members present:** Judy Goebel, Kevin Klos, Ellen Stinger, Jackie Mihalik, Deborah Caserotti, Willie Falwell, Marilyn Anderson, Ron Wilson, Pete Dysart

**City Liason present:** MaryKaye Champa

**Guest:** Dan Mlynarek

<u>Agenda Item</u>	<u>Presenter</u>	<u>Discussion</u>	<u>Action, if any</u>
Approve June Minutes	Kevin Klos	Jackie motioned to approve minutes.	Approved
Report from City Liaison	MaryKaye Champa	The June Open House at the art center went well. It started a bit slow, so MK went onto the playground to let children and their parents know that there were free (keyword free) kid-friendly art activities inside the art center — this helped get a lot of families into the art center. There were activities that included face painting, spin art, button making, rubbings and a pottery lottery. The Art Center had a lot of traffic, and at times it was crowded.	
July Open House	Judy Goebel	Our next open house is July 10 <sup>th</sup> , 9am-12pm. Our main activity will be painting murals on large panels provided by Willie. We will have two different kinds of murals for kids to paint on: a “paint-by-number” style mural and a “free style” mural. RAC members can call Deb at the community center to schedule a room/time to get the paint-by-number murals ready. Ron will create a flower design, Deborah will create a crazy quilt design, Ellen, Willie, and Judy will also create a paint-by-number mural. MaryKaye will bring the mural panels over to the art center before the event. In the meantime the panels can be stored at the community center.	Volunteers will create paint-by-number murals, and MaryKaye will bring the panels to the art center.
All-Commission Meeting	Judy Goebel	The president Richfield Advisory Group of Health invited all chairs of the Richfield commissions to get together to network and see if some commissions can mutually help each other. Some good matches for the RAC could be with the Community Services Commission (since our art center is in a park), and the Health Advisory group (dance fits in with healthy activities). Molly Darson from the Human Rights Commission could help us find contacts to other ethnic groups within the community. Another topic discussed at this meeting was creating awareness marketing to get more people involved in Richfield commissions.	
Music in the Park	Ellen Stinger	Ellen and MaryKaye went shopping and bought snacks for a fundraiser. Before the concert, Ron handed out flyers and Willie went around and talked to people in the crowd about the RAC. Ellen walked around with the cooler and sold snacks. About 75 people showed up to the event. Bill the custodian helped set the band up. We sold \$17.50 worth of snacks, plus received \$8 worth of donations. We discussed ways to improve for next time and the main 2 ideas were: first, to create a large sign to have next to where we are selling food to let people know there is food for sale and that it is a fundraiser for the RAC. The second idea is to position the table by the parking lot, so people can get food as they come into the band area.	
Pot Luck	Judy Goebel	We will have a potluck on July 8 <sup>th</sup> at 5pm in the picnic shelter in Augsburg Park. Bring what you can, and wear your RAC shirt.	
Future Music in the Park events	Judy Goebel	We have added dates in August. We can still use some volunteers for the remaining dates. We passed around a sign up sheet, and members absent from our meeting can contact Kelli or use the	.

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		URL for the Doodle scheduling site to volunteer.	
Adjourn		The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 PM.	

Respectfully Submitted,  
**Kevin Klos, Secretary of the RAC**