

Richfield Arts Commission Meeting Minutes

Thursday, November 4, 2010, 7 p.m. in the community center

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

Commission Members present: Judy Goebel, Kevin Klos, Jackie Mihalik, Ron Wilson, Deborah Caserotti, Willie Falwell, Ellen Stinger

City Liason present: MaryKaye Champa

Agenda Item	Presenter	Discussion	Action, if any
Approve October Minutes	Kevin Klos	Motion to approve minutes	Approved
Report from City Liaison	MaryKaye Champa	MaryKaye informed us that we made \$15.11 in donations from the pottery lottery during the October open house. We now have a total of \$103.53 for the year. The money does not carry over so we will need to spend it by the end of the year. After a brief discussion, we decided to use the money to buy RAC t-shirts, snacks to sell during the upcoming movie nights, and to buy a gift card to donate as an award to the Teen Art Show. MK talked to Pam Dmytrenko about the RAC getting display room in the new City Hall. The Heredia group and Richfield Historical Society also want display room. Pam is going to set up a meeting for all 3 groups to further discuss options. The new City Hall opens summer 2011. We also need to decide on a movie for the early 2011 RAC movie night so we can get it advertised in the community book.	Decide on the early 2011 RAC movie night feature.
Art Center Open House	Judy Goebel	The farmers market enjoyed our open houses and wants us back next year. Spin art, button-making, and pottery lottery were the most popular activities. The mural painting drew a lot of people from outside and so did recruiting from the playground. The main draw is that people like getting something for free that they can take home. Still no word on the missing tables from the Art Center, but MK told us they will be replaced in time for next spring. We will continue having the open house events on the 2 nd Saturday of each month on the following dates for 2011: May 14, June 11, July 9, August 13, September 10, October 8	
Teen Art Show	Kevin Klos	Kevin is waiting to hear back from Tom Rublien and the Optimists club about donating to help with participation awards. Judy, Ellen and Kevin volunteered to judge the art. The judging will take place on Saturday, December 4 at noon at the library. Kevin is going to contact John Evans about getting the Teen Art info up on the city website. Willie is going to contact the RMS teacher Steve Mills about setting up a pickup time for a volunteer to take the students art to the library. Kevin emailed Pete info on the Teen Art Show to give to the Holy Angels Art teacher. Ron and Ellen volunteered to pick up any artwork students want to enter from RMS and Holy Angels. Kevin asked if anyone knew how to get info up on the Lyndale Avenue sign. MK knows the contact to do so and will send to Kevin, as well as the contact that runs the Portland Avenue sign. Kevin is going to get in contact with Mayor Goettel about presenting at the Teen Art Show again this year. Kevin created a flyer for Willie and Pete to post in their schools to advertise for the teen art show. Kevin is going to contact the "Out and About in Richfield" show to see if we can get an episode previewing the Teen Art Show. Kevin will also submit the event to local online art calendars.	MK will send sign contact info to Kevin and Kevin will act on it. Willie will talk to Steve Mills about the Teen Art Show. Pete will talk to the Holy Angels Art teacher. Kevin will get in contact with the "Out and About in Richfield" crew, John Evans and the Mayor.
Remodeling Fair	Judy	We were unsure of the exact date of the remodeling fair. The	

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	Goebel	general consensus of the group was there was little benefit to having a booth at the Remodeling Fair due to low turn out and interest last year so we will table the idea for now.	
Movie Night	Judy Goebel	Ellen, Judy, Deborah, Jackie and MK have volunteered to run the November movie night. Ellen and MK will show up at 6pm, while the rest of the group will show up later. Pete will drop off the movie. MK let us know that Cornerstone has a popcorn maker that we can for free. The group decided buying bulk popcorn would be easier this time around. MK will buy a big bag of popcorn and bring it to movie night as well as plain M&Ms and bottled water for concessions. Kevin will post the event to Facebook and Twitter. Ellen suggested having the donation box out.	MK will buy concessions. Kevin will post event on Facebook/Twitter. Pete will bring in movie. MK and Ellen will show up at 6pm.
Recruiting for Arts Commission	Judy Goebel	Judy suggested that we do some recruiting for the RAC to bring in more members in the new year. Judy is going to write a letter to Sun Current.	Judy will write letter to Sun Current
Adjourn		The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 PM.	

Respectfully Submitted,
Kevin Klos, Secretary of the RAC