

Cottonwood Heights Arts Council Agenda

Date: Wed. April 27, 2011

Time: 5:30

Place: Committee Room 2rd Floor

Attending: Emmaree Josephson, Hazel, Bob Ithuralde, Maradon Nettleship, Rebecca Kitchen, Melissa Lowry, Rod Lewis, Amy Wadsworth, Brian Allen, and Nicole Omer.

Excused: Karen McCoy, and Becky Henriksen

News:

1. Members news :
2. New member on the Arts Council: Becky Henriksen was voted in a new member Tuesday April 26th at 10:00 P.M.
3. ZAP TAX Grant – Hazel and Emmaree : Applied for a 15,000.00 grant and received 5,143.81. (This was an increase of 143.81.)

Discussions:

Business Cards- update Amy: She will order 250 business cards. They will be free except for shipping.

Wizard of Oz- update Melissa: Performance dates are August 5,6,8,12 and 13th.

Brainstorming Session: Perhaps each night a group will be featured to perform ten minutes before the play starts such as the Brighton H.S. Improv Group. This would help get out more audience members. Other ideas are:

- have the city sponsor a night,
- include the DoJo Karate Studio in the cast.
- have Mayor Cullimore come in as Mayor of Munchkin Land one night.
- Arts council Grand Heights Club
- Tape the progression of the community theatre, capturing some of the back stage drama and perhaps put it on facebook. (Nicole will run this past legal)
- Have a donation for a prize (Nicole will run this past legal)
- look alike contests during intermission to encourage kids to dress up
- set up a table by the stage at Butlerville Days and pre-sell tickets.

Production Team: is filled except for a piano player. Maradon will be the Stage Manager

Auditions : May 20th and 21st.

Publicity: Fliers will be published May 1st and handed out to the schools

Sponsors: Brian Allen is heading up the Sponsors, Bob's neighbor makes signs.

Contract: The contract is being sent in to TMI today for \$1,570.

Sets: Dan Christensen is in charge, Bus Riley and Bob are willing to help with the design. Possible resources for borrowing are Alpine and Brighton H.S.

Costumes: Suzy West has started working on them

Miscellaneous: Music director will be Rich Smith who has worked on Broadway (Brian Allen's friend) He can add percussion instruments. Brighton will let you use the piano if you let them know.

What to do about the Art Expo for Butlerville Days –Emmaree:

- There is a shortage of space on the field this year.
- Amy says the Library is willing to co-op with the Arts Council on a craft or Art night. They can display art downstairs.
- Bob suggested in lieu of the Butlerville Day Art Expo, coordinate with the library in early fall for either an Art Fair or Arts and Craft Fair.

By-laws update-Nicole:

- The city has 3 finalists from which to choose a city events coordinator
- The city/school will be building a state of the art auditorium in the remodeled Butler Middle School.
- She reviewed the revisions of the by-laws: for example; each position in the council would have mandatory criteria for which a person would have to apply and attendance at $\frac{3}{4}$ of the meetings would be required by each member,

Discussions - would the council lose members or have difficulty in finding qualified members for a volunteer position such as treasurer, chair, secretary, etc.?

- The council can always appoint specialists.

Next Meeting: Date ?? Wednesday, May 25th at 5:30 PM