Board of Directors Meeting Sooke Arts Council June 2, 2025

In attendance: Jennie Leveque, Susan Percival, Deb Schenk, Lynda Slater, Megan Evans, Laura Barker, Peter Jonassen, William Gordon Wallace, Sherry Robb

Absentees: Bonnie S., Carolyn H., Deb S., Gail S., Peter Jonassen, Deb Schenk

Call meeting to order: 6:04

Determine Chair of the meeting: Gord Wallace

Approval of the agenda: Unanimous

Approval of the MAY meeting minutes: Unanimous

Amber Academy: Youth Arts Festival – June 21 - Gord

Keli Dunn – Sooke Youth Arts Festival –

Revolution Dance Collective, Harmony Project, Amber Academy Improv troupe, choir (3 kids) scheduled to perform, 1-4 p.m. (set up at noon), museum has 6 footer tables, (one chair per table (3 craft tables), one table for facepainting, on grassy area by swing. Museum has 3 tents, 10x15, 10x10 facepainting, 10x10 info tables, Hot dog and Ice Cream trucks booked, (Snazaroo kits available at Michaels, disposable tablecloths, art and craft supplies)

(Children's Art Day – Saturday - June 21st at the Museum) – SAC requested to carry the project forward, SHL to do the concession, Amber Academy to organize entertainment I

DOS CED meeting June 2 - Gail - Gord to attend

Sooke Senior and Family Fair – Monday July 7th – Sherry July 7th -SRCHN hosting an intergenerational event 3-7 @ John Phillips Memorial . Set up at 2 p.m.

Upside to attend to promote a seniors center, SAC to represent with a table

Motion: Sherry/Lynda

Gallery Intake Guidelines: Susan – square footage approach supported Featured Artist Questionnaire – Susan – fill in as required not necessary for it all

September Show: Poetics declined – Susan "Collaboration" to be the replacement show for September Sherry to create poster and change out the website

Treasurers Report – Carolyn: Finance committee to be struck Acceptance of the report: NA

Committee Reports: (3 minutes each max)

Fundraising – Gord – donations of art for an auction from the community,

Need a Big hairy audacious annual goal of an event - Sherry

Volunteers – Lynda – Volunteer Manual- Beach art Sept.21st, flyer to be created by Sherry

Membership - Laura -

Bus Shelter/SEAPARC - Susan

Social Media/Website: -Megan

Gift Shop – Jenny– have edited old stock, looking to refresh with new works, confirmation emails will be sent to gift shop vendors to bring in their work.

Paper Dress Project: Jenny L – to be conducted

Music Festival - Sherry

Solo Shows in the Studio: Megan/Jennie – Feature artist show of members (Rebecca-April, Amber Academy-May, Susan P. – July, Sherry – August (June – Sheila Knox) Jenny – October – Weavers in September-Lynda) Laura – November

Featured artists to have access to both walls in the studio.

New Business:

Jazz Band to play June 7 1:30-3:00

DOS Council Presentation – Gord willing to conduct.

Rattle workshop request – Susan – will proceed

https://www.cognitoforms.com/RobprossWholeness/RattleMakingWorkshop

SAC presence at the Music Festival: Peter via Sherry – August 9th - one tent of activities

Adopt an Artist: SAC interested in the concept. Stickers, printing, resources. Ukrainian Cultural Society to be contacted, newsworthy

Next newsletter: Who will produce it - Sherry

Next meeting: July 14th 2025 at 6 p.m. at the Library

Adjourn meeting: 7:35 p.m.