

Lake Stevens Art Commission (LSAC)
Meeting Minutes: August 8, 2012
Location: Community Center - 1808 Main Street, Lake Stevens

Called to order at: 6:30 pm

Present: Gisela Hinchcliffe, Holly Forbis, Martin Reimers , Yevonne Noel, Jennifer Oldenburg,

Absent: Tina Kitburi

Guests: City Councilmember Todd Welch

Music on the Lake:

The ferry fare for the Navy Band has been paid and they will arrive around 3:45 pm on Thursday.

Last week's concert was a success.

The Lion's Club will be back with ice cream on Thursday.

One artist has expressed interest in coming and showing their artwork and we will waive the fee.

The Commission would like to set up vendors starting in the fall.

City workers are to open the restrooms.

The restrooms for the last concert were not opened and the Commission had trouble finding the keys.

There have been reports of ASCAP agents showing up at the concerts to document the performance of music covered by the ASCAP agreement.

The ASCAP fee is being paid out of the city general fund because of the Beer Garden, Oktoberfest, and Aquafest.

The Commission feels that banners are better than posters for advertising.

Blooms around the Lake:

There were six entries and six awards.

All awards were picked up from City Hall.

Commissioner Hinchcliffe was unable to find announcer at Aquafest.

The results were phoned into The Lake Stevens Journal, but the results were too late for the deadline.

Chalk it Up:

The Commission would like to thank Ms. Kelly Berg, Miss Aquafest for helping judge the entries.

The Commission sold 24 out the 27 squares available.

The art was fantastic, with a large range of artistic interpretations of "Got Lake", the Aquafest theme.

The Commission feels that for next year:

1. The rules were vague and need to be clarified.
2. The categories need to be expanded.
3. There needs to be a better division of age groups.
4. A banner not only for advertising, but so that check in would be found easier.
5. To be able to better communicate with Aquafest, to include:
 - a. Getting the write-up in the Aquafest guide up-dated.
6. A standard for criteria for judging.
7. Also the publication of the criteria for judging.
8. Ribbons, prizes for the youngest participants.

The Commission would like to inquire if the Chalk it Up supplies could be stored at Public Works.

Other Business:

The estimated money in the budget was estimated at \$100.00.

Time to start thinking about fundraisers and the possibility of a Fall Gala.

Meeting adjourned: 7:13 pm

Next meeting:

Date: August 22, 2012

Time: 6:30 pm

Location: The Community Center, 1808 Main Street, Lake Stevens

Respectfully submitted by Commissioner Forbis