

A regular meeting of the Arts Council Sub-Committee was held at City Hall 200 S. Main St., Eaton Rapids, MI 48827 on Tuesday, April 4, 2023.

Chair Sebastian called the meeting to order at 6:01 P.M.

Present were Sub-Committee Members Carmody, Hansen, Schrader, Hemingway, Coffelt and Board Chair Sebastian.

Absent was Board Member Schrader & Alternate #2 O'Connell.

Also present was Director of Parks, Recreation & Events, Cagle.

Board Member Hemingway moved to approve the agenda of April 4, 2023, regular meeting be approved as printed; seconded by Board Member Coffelt, passed unanimously.

Board Member Hansen moved to approve the minutes of March 14, 2023, regular meeting be approved as written; seconded by Board Member Hemmingway, passed unanimously.

Public Comments

Theresa Hurd Attended the meeting – She spoke to the group about the possibility of putting together a theater group in Eaton Rapids. Hurd informed the group of a Murder Mystery Fundraiser at the Senior Center coming up. Director Cagle and members of the board discussed the possibility of small, family friendly plays for the 4th of July.

Unfinished Business

5.1 Director Cagle updated the group on the current schedule for In-person/virtual classes. Open Mic Night is the next upcoming event on Saturday, 5/27/23 from 6-9PM at Mill Pointe Park. The May Meeting will fall on the date of the event.

5.2 Chair Sebastian, Board Member Hemmingway and Carmody gave a brief update on the Human Foosball Mural planning. Board Member Hemmingway will be submitting a Bridge Builders Grant in effort to fund the project.

5.3 Director Cagle led the group in a discussion of possible craft ideas for Art in the Park. Kelly Hume will be joining us for Art in the Park, hosting a Craft Show on Hamlin St from 10:00AM-4:00PM. Wayne Ash from Parks & Rec will be leading a Youth Fishing Event in conjunction with Free Fishing Weekend from 9:00AM-2:00PM.

5.4 Board Member Hemmingway has updated the group that the Kiln and some pottery supplies will be going to the Schools.

New Business

None.

Public Comments

None.

Correspondence

Next Meeting is scheduled for May 27, 2023 at 5:00PM

Adjournment

Board Member Hansen moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:23 P.M.; seconded by board member Coffelt, passed unanimously.