



MINUTES OF THE ARTS, RECREATION, CULTURE AND HERITAGE COMMITTEE

HELD IN THE CKF BOARDROOM
LANGLEY CITY HALL
20399 Douglas Crescent

TUESDAY, JULY 23, 2024 AT 7:00PM

Chair: Councillor Rosemary Wallace

Committee Members: Diane Gendron, Langley Arts Council Representative; Lin Maxwell, Member at Large; Andrew Palmer, Youth Rep; Sandra Reams, Seniors Rep; Michael Paylor, Member at Large

Staff: Kim Hilton, Director of Recreation, Culture and Community Services

Regrets: Councillor Leith White; Susan Magnusson, Langley Performing Arts Representative; Mandy Martens, Member at Large.

The land on which we gather is the traditional unceded territory of the Katzie, Kwantlen, Matsqui and Semiahmoo First Nations

1. **AGENDA**

Adoption of the June 25, 2024 agenda

Moved and seconded.

Carried.

2. **MINUTES**

Adoption of the minutes of the Arts, Recreation, Culture and Heritage Committee meeting held June 25, 2024

Moved and Seconded.

Carried.

3. **FOR DISCUSSION**

Discussion around the theme for the crime prevention mural included Langley City together; Get to Know Your Neighbour; tips on how to lock out auto crime; lift people up; restorative justice; belonging. Committee agreed on **Citizens joining together to create a safe community.**

The mural will be completed on plywood 4' x 8' in size and should be able to be moved. Artist fee: \$3500 which includes supplies. This is in line with the murals at Rotary Centennial Park. The call will close October 18, 2024. The committee will

review at the October 22, 2024 meeting. Invite the crime prevention committee to review the submissions.

4. **STANDING ITEMS – Update as needed**

- a) Rotary Centennial Park - road naming – no update.
- b) Rotary Park Tile Mural – Update – contract sent to Jessica, working with Mandy for first round of volunteer dates and times.
- c) Langley City Film Festival – Councillor Wallace spoke to the handouts provided at the meeting. Ongoing update. Task group to meet soon.
- d) Sir James Douglas Heritage Sign – meet with Mark to discuss. Meeting with Kyle and Kaz to discuss the markers.
- e) 2nd Annual Music and Art in City Park – July 19, 2024, 12 – 2pm Debrief – Committee Member Gendron thought it was wonderful; felt so good. Set up a kids area next year with paper, paint, felts etc. Committee Member Palmer thought it was great to connect with the committee members, gave him reason to leave the house. Committee Member Maxwell felt the music was amazing, the students' performance perfect. Councillor Wallace noted the event more than doubled in participation. How did people hear about it? 96 yr old resident saw it on a poster. Facebook. This should be an annual event with the music school. Nice location amongst the trees.

5. **FOR INFORMATION**

- a) 2024 ARCH Annual Work Plan add heritage markers onto the workplan.

6. **ROUNDTABLE**

- Add heritage houses etc to next meeting.
- Committee Member Gendron provided the Arts Council update – please see the handout.
- Committee Member Palmer is now starting to volunteer with the gifted children association of BC. Awareness for parents who have kids with giftedness.
- Committee Member Maxwell has been asked by Cozy Bean to do evening art painting classes in the fall.
- Committee Member Palmer suggested adding a pie eating contest to the youth week activities.
- Committee Member Paylor will be running weekly board games for youth in the fall and winter. Feel free to stop by. Committee Member Paylor is volunteering with the Men's shed, organization for isolated men older men. They meet at a weather proofing company donated space.
- Councillor Wallace reminded the committee of the upcoming Global Fest in Douglas Park.
- Committee Member Reams announced that the Senior's Resource Centre will have a re-opening event on July 31. Program Director position has been posted.

ADJOURNMENT

It was MOVED and SECONDED

That the meeting adjourn at 8:14pm.

CARRIED



CHAIR



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DIRECTOR OF RECREATION, CULTURE & COMMUNITY SERVICES

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