 **Chewelah Arts Guild Minutes**

**September 19, 2017**

**Meeting called to order by President Kay Lupton at** 5:30 pm, Northeast Washington Health Conference Center.

**CORRESPONDENCE:**

Letter from 49° North with 10 tickets in support of Music on the Mountain.

**MINUTES:** August 15, 2017 minutes approved as written. MSP.

**TREASURER’S REPORT:** Approved as printed. Balances: Checking - $37,372.93; Savings - $1,744.04, CD-$5,637.06. MSP.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**:

**Light Up the Park** shared events for Light Up the Park on October 28, 3-8 pm – Games, Food Vendors, Center Stage entertainment with music, Stagetime, Fire Dancer, Entrance flotilla Night at the Museum, Haunted House for kiddies, Flotilla, Pumpkin Line-Up.. Guinness application is still pending. Inquiry about sponsorship has been received from Safeway/Albertsons thanks to Terri Wicks, Chewelah Safeway Mgr.

Application for Commissioner’s Hotel /Motel Tax was sent. Signup sheet circulated.

**Pecha Kucha**: September 20, 7pm at Quartzite Brewery. Four PechaKucha Nights will occur in the coming year per contract with PechaKucha International.

Facebook Committee of Kay, Diane E., Susanne, & Rey will meet soon.

**PACA:** Tom reported there is a push to get facility ready for November presentations.

Civic Center Work: Work is completed at the civic center with the exception of some painting which is dependent on the special paint to arrive. Fifteen people participated in the work project.

**Music on the Mountain:** A complete written report was given by Robert Nien with discussion following re parking, risers (see attached).

**Art in the Schools:** Candy reported Art would be most advantageous to upper elementary, grades 4-6 on Thursdays from 3½-4 hours (4 classrooms). Pencil drawing would be good along with other media.

**Membership** is currently at 109 members.

**Branding:** Guidelines were sent out and article in newspaper previously. After discussion the branding committee will bring back a suggested process to the Guild.

**Calendar: Kay asked if the Guild wanted to place CAG events on Lions Club calendar. MSP to list Arts Guild meetings on calendar but not events.**

**Quilt Show** will be placed on October agenda for dialogue**.**

**No decision** on use of tickets from 49° North at this time.

**DATES TO REMEMBER:**

September 20 – Pecha Kucha

October 12 -Rainbow Grants

October 28 – Light Up the Park

December 3 – Joy to the World Concert

Meeting Adjourned at 7:00 pm.

Respectfully,

Judy Bean

**Members present:**

Kay Lupton; Tom Bristol; John Grumbach; Leslie Kristianson; Candy Kristovich; Dawn McClain; Bill Lupton; Robert Nien; Ed Broberg; Diane Evans; Susanne Griepp; Bonnie Cazier; Diane Kinzler; Judy Bean.

Music on the Mountain Survey Results, 2017

72 Surveys returned (91 last year)

Place of Residence on Survey

30 Chewelah

10 Colville

4 Deer Lake

3 Addy

3 Kettle Falls

3 Metaline/Ione

2 Blue Creek

2 Clayton

2 Deer Park

2 Grapevine, Texas

1 Houston, Texas

Onion Creek, Rice, Creek Rice, Summit Valley

San Antonio, Texas Scottsdale, Arizona

Loon Lake Spokane Whidbey Island Tri-Cities Buffalo, NY

22 More than 50 Miles away (# of people listed on survey)

16 Overnight stay 0 Motel or B&B stay

31 Number of nights stayed 18 Family or friends stay

How do you hear about Arts Guild Events?

44 Newspaper 7 Radio

40 People 4 Website

21 Flyers

Would also like to hear about CAG by:

9 Email

2 Facebook

2 Other social media

"How could MOM be improved comments: About event

Encore wouldn't hurt - end upbeat. Enjoyed, good sound.

An encore - didn't get one this time.

Serve beer/wine/snacks prior to event

Have the symphony play twice a year

Have it more than once a year

Do more than once a year

More oft

How about an operetta?

Teach a little about each instrument to educate the kids

Thank you! It's wonderful!

Great performance

It was wonderful!

It was excellent

It was lovely

Do it again!

It's perfect

It was tops today - very enjoyable It really is beyond fabulous!

About Parking

Maybe more parking

Since parking winds up on the road, perhaps a bus to being people Better Parking

Parking - other than that the event is always excellent better parking Parking Better parking

About seating and viewing

Is it possible to arrange seating sideways along the length of the hall, so we can better see the musicians?

More risers for the Symphony

Venue where tiered seating or raised performers were possible Have orchestra up just a bit (stage) Have orchestra raised up on a stage

Risers for the symphony so more people in audience could see musicians (New) Volunteers with contact info - 3

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Cynthia Dotson Sierlio dotsonmusic(q),vahoo.com Whatever is needed

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