

Stoughton Arts Council Minutes

January 15, 2019

In attendance

Nicki Dowland, Bill Brehm (Treas), Bill Amundson, Callie LaPoint, Kathryn Jones (Vice-Chair), Sarah Bukrey (Chair), Tim Erickson (Guest), Ann Kleckner (Guest)

Absent

Natalie Norlin

The meeting was called to order by Bukrey at 1:36 pm

Agenda items

1. Minutes approved from Oct 16th, 2018. Motion by Brehm, 2nd by Jones. Approved unanimously.
2. 1:37 pm - Communications
Wine Walk has been moved to Oct 17th by the Chamber.

The Chamber is also beginning planning for Victorian Holiday weekend on December 5th -8th.

Holiday banners are being taken down and Arts & Entertainment banners are going back up.

The Chamber has launched a new Visit Stoughton website which will have pages dedicated to promoting upcoming events around town. They have also launched new social media pages and other marketing materials are forthcoming.

The Library currently has a photography show on display. They are also organizing an Arts & Crafts club activities.

3. 1:48 pm – Art Walk Stoughton

There was a short recap of previous meeting discussion regarding the status of Art Walk Stoughton. Tim Erickson and Ann Kleckner addressed the council with an update from 14 South Artists. They proposed that 14 South become an organizer of Art Walk Stoughton in 2019 to the 14 South Board of Directors. The 14 South Board of Directors rejected the proposal for 2019, but discussed interest in taking the event on in 2020. Kleckner has agreed to help organize the event. Kleckner and Erickson exited the meeting following their presentation.

The Arts Council continued on the topic of Art Walk and whether the Arts Council would take on organizing the event. Bukrey motioned that Art Walk Stoughton become an official Arts Council event in 2019 pending involvement from some community members which expressed interest at the community forum on November 14th. Seconded by Brehm. The motion passed unanimously. Brehm then volunteered to be the coordinator of Art Walk Stoughton. The council agreed to a special meeting on Wednesday, Feb 6th at 3:30 pm to discuss Art Walk.

4. Next meeting: Tuesday, Feb 19th, 2018 at 1:30 pm

Motion to adjourn by Jones, seconded by Brehm, and was approved at 3:17 pm

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