Art & Culture Commission of Lemont Minutes from August 10, 2010

In attendance: Emily J. B. Christian Eric Hawrysz

Mona Parry S. M. Bruce

Barbara Tishuk

not in attendance - Dave# Walters, Ron Stapleton, and Meg Crowell

Old Business

The July minutes were reviewed and accepted by Eric and seconded by Emily. Finance report: Sue stated the expense account has balance of \$1158.66 and the contribution account has \$15025.85 for atotal of \$16184.51. Line items were reviewed.^

Mona will be purchasing the raffle tickets. The LCA committee meetings are holding weekly meetings and have obtained a nice variety of prizes including a generous necklace from Emily. Eric offered a magazine subscription from his employment. The ACC will donate the larger, marble panorama of the village.

The furniture from the old police station has not been moved to the center.

There has been no new information from Chris about the surveys. Mona will attempt again.

Committee Reports

Village Liaison - Ron Stapleton
No new information.

Community Liaison - Barb Tishuk

Barb is looking for topics for the quarterly newsletter. Discussion included Art Therapy, LCA classes, Grand Opening, The Value of Art. The swallow will be incorporated as our logo.

Business Liaison - Emily Christian

The brochures are being printed for the call for artists.

School Liaison - Dave Walters
No new information.

Art Organizations:

Visual Art Liaison - Mona Parry November 6th is the Guild show.

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Performing Art

Eric stated that *Rocky Horror Picture Show* is up coming in the fall. The winter and spring productions have not been determined. Night Blue is hosting a candlelight bowl in Orland Park at the end of September.

Grants And Fundraising - Meg Crowell

The drawing for the raffle items will be held at the end of the Fall Festival.

New Business

The sign for the center may be something temporary at this time. At a later date, a more impressive, but portable sign may be purchased/created. LCA still needs a refrigerator, bath cabinet, rug, installation of the hanging components, and the furniture from the station. The television has been mounted. The commissioners discussed future exhibits, classes, and future uses for the center including Night Blue using it for readings.

Mona is addressing the Rotary Club on 8-24. She may include a power point presentation.

MB Financial is hosting an event on August 20th from 1-7:00 p.m. and on the 21st from 10-3:00 p.m. Mona, Sue Emily, Barb, and Eric plan to participate. The marble project will be the activity. Sue mentioned that the construction paper worked best. The paints marbles, and box lids were found in the center.

The next meeting is scheduled for 9-14-2010 at 7:00 p.m. at the Lemont Center for the Arts.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m. Eric made the motion and Barb seconded it.

Respectfully submitted by S. M. Bruce