

June 12th, 2006 Friends of the Multi Arts Meeting

Ten people were present at the meeting:

Sherrill Lewis, Hannah Barbara Fulton, Judy Rudin, Helen Jordan, Lynn Schwartz, Claire Zevnik-Cline, Sue Baker, Karen Dean, Marjorie Hammer, and Debi Maehs.

The meeting was called to order by President Debi Maehs.

Minutes were not read because the copies had been accidentally left at work. Judy Rudin will e-mail them to members, and members should mail corrections to Debi.

The bank statement now shows a balance of \$1769.67.

There was discussion about the website-pros and cons.

Brochures have run out. There was a short discussion about printing new brochures.

There was discussion of a September membership dinner and drive.

Members voiced concern about e-mail only notification of meetings. Some members do not have e-mail. The importance of newsletters prior to meetings was pointed out. Or the board needs to put out some kind of hard copy notification of important meetings to come. Claire Zevnik-Cline called the question to a vote. Karen Dean made the motion to have 2 newsletters prior to big meetings. Sherrill seconded the motion. Lynn Schwartz abstained. The rest of the members voted in favor.

Hannah Barbara handed out copies of the proposed by-laws. All members read them and then there was discussion about each by-law. Needed changes were made. Karen Dean made the motion to accept the corrected by-laws. Lynn Schwartz seconded the motion. All present voted in favor of accepting the by-laws.

Jessica brought to everyone's attention the new sign for Multi Arts that is in front of the building on Duck Street. Notices can be posted and changed on the bottom of the sign.

Jessica said she had learned that donations to the Multi Arts can be tax deductible. She just need to send a thank you note to the contributor who takes this note to his/hers tax attorney.

The meeting was adjourned.