

MINUTES
JANUARY 21, 2021

The Walker Art Committee met on Thursday, January 21, 2021 at 4:00 p.m. in the art storeroom of the Garnett Pubic Library with the following present: Wanda Taylor, Tami Hiestand, Marcia Mader, Denise Scheibmeir, Jenelle Klehammer and Joyce Martin. Absent: Candy Hewes.

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A motion was made by Marcia, seconded by Denise to approve the minutes of November 19, 2020 as written. The motion was unanimously approved

TREASURER'S REPORT

Marcia reported a beginning and ending balance of \$4,397.01. There were no revenues or expenditures to report. After the meeting Marcia noted that there should have been two reports given. The beginning balance for the report ending November 30, 2020 was \$4,519.33. There was one expenditure for \$122.32 which covered repairs to some of the art. This leaves a balance of \$4,397.01.

CURATOR'S REPORT

In Candy's absence, Wanda announced that, due to health issues, Candy would be resigning from this committee. It was suggested that Nancy Foltz and the new high school music teacher be contacted to see if either would be interested in serving. This position is appointed by the Library Board and will end on 12/31/23.

OLD BUSINESS

High School counselor Janay Blome has been contacted to see if there are any applications for the Walker Art Scholarship. None have been received. The deadline is January 31, 2021. Janay said that students historically wait until the last minute but she anticipates that some applications will be received.

NEW BUSINESS

Wanda asked the members if they would be willing to help the library staff clean the gallery areas once the library board decides to reopen the two areas. Everyone agreed to help with this. Librarian Andrea Sobba will be advised of this.

As stated at the last meeting, this committee may be asked to help pay some of the insurance premium for the Garnett City Art Collection. Jenelle has contacted a NOTO representative and they are considering taking on consignment of selected art. Sonia Jones has been asked what percentage they should retain on each piece sold.

Nancy Richards sent some pictures of John Stewart Curry's home and the school he attended.

GALLERY DISPLAYS

The art list was reviewed and it is hoped that the galleries will reopen sometime this year.

The next meeting will be February 18, 2021.

Wanda adjourned the meeting at 4:30 p.m

Members stayed and numbered the art storage bins and labeled the art with a notation on what bin each belongs in. This will make it easier to put art away after it has been displayed in the West Wing Gallery.

Joyce E. Martin, Recording Secretary