Lynnfield Cultural Council

Meeting Minutes

Wednesday May 9, 2018

Attendance: Vasundhra Ganju, Erin Howard, Katie Williams, Barbara White, Diana Ellis

1. Kim Gomez came to talk to the council about helping promote a potential fundraiser for Artworks which is an organization that helps promote local community artists. She had two local writers available and was hoping to include other local musicians and photographers/artists who could sell their work. She was hoping to plan the event for June, but after discussion the group recommended waiting until the fall/winter.

2. Kendal Inglese came to speak to the group about creating a town cultural plan as part of the town’s master plan. Some items she presented included

\*Changing the town symbol from Meeting House to something different, perhaps a Cider Mill

\*Preserving the authentic identity of Lynnfield in light of new development

\*Finding a place to keep and preserve historical artifacts so the public can view

\*Consider early release day art series for students

3. LCC to participate at Geranium Festival to help promote Multicultural Celebration

4. OK’d Rack cards

5. Erin Howard volunteered to update post card reminders for grant submission opening

6. Discussed increasing social media presence- including Twitter and Instagram, Barbara White can teach Diana Ellis how to connect these with Facebook and then we could take monthly turns updating town events.

7. Katie Williams offered to update address and email list of town departments/groups that may want to apply for grants- Diana Ellis will help with this