

Hastings Village Arts Commission

Monday, Sept. 18, 2023 - HVAC Minutes

Attending (Zoom):

Bruce Levy, Chair; Kit Demirdelen, Nancy DeNatale, Dan Markham, Chloe Sikirica, Susan Soriano, Sal Schiciano

Bruce called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm.

Current Programs and Events

I. Village Hall Gallery Update - 2023

October/Early-November 2023:

Annual RiverArts Studio Tour - Kit/Mary/Sal

Delivery: October 6.

Hang: October 7

Reception: October 15. Organized and managed by RiverArts.

Strike: November 8/9

November/December 2023 - Susan

Offered to and accepted by Madge Scott.

Studio Visit: Susan, Bruce, Dan, Mary, 10/12/2023

Hang: Thurs 11/16-Friday 11/17

Opening reception: Sunday, November 19, afternoon

Strike: January 15, 2024, with option to extend

Susan — project manager(s)

2024

January/February 2024

NOW OPEN

HVAC still seeking artist(s) to fill this slot.

Had previously been accepted by Constanza Mallol.

Chloe is working with Constanza for a new slot that works for her.

March/April/May 2024

Lindsey Dupont

Confirmed.

Chloe/Mary, project managers.

Mid-May - June 2024

River Arts Student Show

Note that this is separate from Clark project.

Hang: the week after Memorial Day

On view: through mid-June

Strike: TBD

Kit, project manager [is Dan Markham co-project manager?

June/July/August 2024

Student Exhibit - Clark Project

Potentially coordinated with Village's Clark Project. Hastings Schools.

Details TBD.

Kit, Project manager.

September/October 2024

"Big" Arts Commission/Hastings Historical Society/Clark Multi-Artist Exhibit

Working title: People, Race and Power — part of the Mamie and Kenneth Clark Project

HVAC subcommittee to reconvene in September or early October to continue planning open call

HVAC project members: Bruce, Daniel B., Dan M., Mary, Susan

II. New Program Planning

Mamie and Kenneth Clark Project:

See above. Subcommittee to meet in the fall on next steps

Catrin Perih/4 Women Artists Exhibit.

Will explore other dates with Catrin et al. (2024 or 2025)

Rotating Outdoor Sculpture Exhibitions (ROSE)

No news. Open for future discussion.

III. Administrative

Officer elections for Chairperson and Secretary to be held in November.

Village Hall Gallery Lighting Issues not discussed. Over the summer, Sal offered to look at the Juno fixtures. He will give suggestions on options for the fixtures that are beginning to fail.

Bruce will meet with Anthony to discuss funding for light fixture replacements.

Reimbursements: Bruce will discuss with Anthony.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, October 16 at 7:30 at Village Hall, with a virtual access option for those who cannot attend in person.

Respectfully submitted,
Bruce Levy and Susan Soriano