

MINUTES  
SAND CITY ARTS COMMITTEE  
June 16, 2004 - 7:00 p.m.

- I. Call to order at 7:00 p.m.
- II. ROLL CALL  
Present Todd Kruper, Greg Hawthorne, Deirdre Bascou, and Johnny Apodaca.  
Heinz Hubler was absent.
- III. ADDITIONS OR CHANGES TO THE AGENDA  
None
- IV. PREVIOUS MINUTES  
Motion to approve the Minutes of June 3, 2004 was made by Greg, seconded by Johnny.
- V. OLD BUSINESS
  - A. Pre-Planning for 2004 West End Event: An update was given by Johnny on the open studios revealed that 14 Sand City Artist Studios will be participating in this years West End Celebration. Johnny agreed to create a list for the Committee by the next meeting, and to take on the job of the group show at the Sanctuary Rock Gym on Friday night, August 6th.

Todd followed up with information on a meeting with the music promoter who would like to use a larger stage to give a better presence. The promoter liked the idea of using fresh bands, ones new to this area to keep this event different, more on the cutting edge. The larger stage also will cost more money so it was decided to see what the promoter could come up with to keep the quality of the music in line with the cost of the stage. Todd also announced that the program designer used last year was not available, but another designer has offered his help at a reduced cost for the Arts Committee. At this time the idea of t-shirts was tabled due to costs.

Deirdre reported that the search for food vendors was ongoing. She had conformation from Rick Brown to provide BBQ, and Hullabalooos is interested in a booze booth. No word back from the Health Department, and she was waiting for other contacts to return her calls.

The Chair presented business outreach cards and asked for recommendations on how the businesses could support local artists. By consensus by Committee agreed that some aspect of the Arts needs to be showcased by local non-art businesses. Greg agreed to speak to the Chamber of Commerce of Seaside/Sand City on what they would like to do for this event. Deirdre asked to contact Illusions of Grandeur to see if they would donate stage sets for the event. Todd will follow up on that issue.

Greg brought to the table the idea of a "wined down" event after the show on Saturday to be held at the Hawthorne Complex. He was to commutate with a nonprofit arts group to see who was interested to act as hosts. There will be an entrance fee and all profits would go to the nonprofit. Greg also asked if there was any interest in using an abandoned warehouse for some event purpose, but no contacts had been made and there seemed to be little interest by the Committee. Todd agreed to follow up on the public relations since he will be working with the designer for the event.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

VII. COMMITTEE MEMBER REPORTS/COMMENTS  
No reports made.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting is confirmed for 7:00 p.m. on June 29th. A motion for adjournment was made by Greg and seconded by Johnny. Motion carried and there was unanimous consensus to adjourn at 8:20 p.m.