
Friends of Platteville Municipal Auditorium Meeting Minutes

Attendees:

Dorothy Genthe, Tony Hubl, JoAnne Schlicher, Doug Mackie, Kerry McCabe, Celeste Moore, Cheryl Schmieder, Patrice Steiner

Date: 10/05/11**Time:** 7:00 (Wednesday)**Place:** City Hall Council Chambers**Last Meeting Date:** 09/14/11**Next Meeting Date:** 11/16/11

Approval of Meeting Minutes from September 14, 2011 Meeting

Motion: Kerry McCabe

Second: Doug Mackie

Passed

Financial report - Doug Mackie

Treasurer Doug Mackie submitted a report of incoming funds. The total came to \$2087.00. It didn't include membership money already in the account. Doug doesn't have online access to the Auditorium account yet. He needs the account number. Doug and Dorothy Genthe will set up an appointment with Building Platteville Treasurer Mike Moran to get the relevant information and get the access set up. We'd also like to see if there is a more direct way to add and withdraw funds from the account. It was deemed that the relay of running money to the Chamber of Commerce to hold for Mike Moran was unnecessarily complicated.

Celeste Moore will need to change the address on the mail-in forms on the website and future programs once we have that information.

Dorothy Genthe made Halloween pins which she sold to benefit the auditorium. She raised \$8.00 in total. Doug didn't get it in time to put it in his report.

Pepsi Refresh Project update - Cheryl Schmieder

We finished the Pepsi Refresh Project for September 2011 around the 94-97th position. Perhaps we can try it again when we've had more time to collect caps ahead of time, maybe as soon as next year if power points come out again.

One Acts Update

Marilyn Gottschalk wasn't present to update us on whether or not we had enough people to perform the 3 one act comedies by Mike Willis. She is going to let people who auditioned know on Monday, October 10th if she was able to cast the plays. (There is a shortage of men for the roles.) Marilyn is out of town and will be unavailable until Monday.

The plays are 'Town Council', 'Good Sports' and 'The Service'. Performance dates are November 11-12 at 8:00 and November 13 at 2:00.

Discussed taking free-will donations rather than charging a set amount, as that was extremely successful for 'The Eleventh'.

Painting - JoAnne Schlicher

Mark Ihm has not had a chance to view the auditorium, much less estimate the amount of paint needed to paint it. We are wondering if we can interest Heiser Hardware in donating some of the paint.

Fund Raising Brainstorming - All

Kerry McCabe sent Cheryl Schmieder a list of people/organizations offering grants.

Garage Sale during City-Wide Garage Sale in May. Patrice Steiner is willing to organize it.

Dorothy Genthe can make more pins to sell.

Sell coffee at Farmer's Market on Saturday

Find country music on tour that can be slotted into the auditorium.

Spring Talent show

Host AACT-Fest again

Roundtable

The Chamber of Commerce sent us \$50.00. Need to send a thank you to them.

Decided to move our November meeting to November 16th so it won't interfere with the final rehearsals for the one acts.

Adjourn at 8:10

Motion: Kerry McCabe

Second: Tony Hubl

Passed.