

Exeter Arts Committee February 2012 Minutes
February 23, 2012

The meeting of the Exeter Arts Committee was called to order this 26th day of January in the year 2012 at the Exeter Town Hall Gallery at 6:30pm.

Present: Kathy, Karen S., Karen N., Jane, Francesca

Guests: Bob R., Christine Groleau (SST, Digital Communications) and Melody Fellows

- **January Minutes** were read and approved as written
- **Youth Art Month:** Jane has had responses from all schools that usually participate (except Seacoast Charter School). Dean Scott is coming to the rescue on Hanging on the 14th. Bob and Jane will also be there. Sitting sign-up sheet was passed around. Music has not been found yet. Jane will speak with Bev about scheduling grade school class 'visits' to the Gallery.
- **Buds & Blooms:** Coming along fine. Jane suggested contacting a local wine distributor about to see about a donation for opening of B&B. Melody offered to create a postcard for the show, waiting for new photos to be inserted.
- **Serendipity:** The store has done some remodeling and has uncovered a tin wall that they mentioned in their newsletter that they would like to use to show art. Jane thought, perhaps, the committee could suggest to Brie that it could take responsibility for furnishing said paintings. Kathy will go after the meeting, to the Thursday Ladies' night Open House to see if Brie is open to the idea.
- **Back to the Print Donated to EAC a couple of years ago:** Kathy had the print scanned in three different formats, anticipating its use as a postcard. Melody also mentioned that Bookmarks are a popular presentation. Kathy asked committee members to initial their favorite scan and she will look into pricing. Melody mentioned that Fed-Ex has good pricing for such things.
- **Policies and Procedures:** (see attached). Kathy presented some reworked ideas for policies and procedures. Kathy would like comments, and would like it 'ratified' at the March meeting. This final policy would be given to any group (other than EAC and SOS) who uses the Gallery.
- **Panel Update:** Molding for the panels will be stained before installation. Each panel will cost \$20 for the wood. Bob will talk with Bill about this, and will find out when this project will be completed. Bill has been paid \$1600 so far (from 2011's funds), but has stated that he will donate the rest of his time in partial compensation for the delay in completion.

Respectfully submitted, Karen Noonan, Scribe

EAC: Current Voting Members:

Kathy Lewis-Thompson, Chair; **Jane** Kiernan, Vice Chair; **Karen** Desrosiers, Treasurer;
Karen Noonan, Scribe; **Francesca** Fay, SOS Rep ☺; Is Bob Richardson 'approved' yet?