

Agenda
Sherwood Cultural Arts Commission
April 16, 2002, 7pm
Old School House

1. Adjustments to Agenda
2. Approval of minutes from March meeting
3. Historical Society presentation
4. Sounds of Summer Concert Updates
5. Saturday Market Update
6. Programs, classes and ideas
7. For the Good of the Order
8. Set next meeting
9. Adjourn

Minutes from Cultural Arts Commission Meeting

April 16, 2002

Approved

The meeting began at 7:00 pm, Present at the meeting were;

Sue Hall	Resident
Tara Jones	Resident

City Representatives present were;	
Kristen Carey	Staff
Sterling Fox	City Council

Others Present: From the Sherwood Historical Society, Clyde List and Colleen Reed on behalf of the Historical Society and the Sherwood Institute on Sustainability.

Meeting called to Order

Adjustments to Agenda-None

Approval of Minutes

Minutes could not be approved due to the lack of a quorum. Only two commission members were present. Approval of minutes to be addressed at the next meeting.

Sterling informed the group that the next SCAC meeting in May, date to be announced, will be a joint meeting with the Library Board and SURPAC (Sherwood Urban Renewal Policy Advisory Committee). Sue Hall suggested the meeting be held early in the month of May.

Historical Society Presentation

Colleen Reed began with informing the group of the \$5000 grant awarded to the Painted Plate for the creation of tiles that would be used to mark trailheads and paths in Stella Olsen Park and the Sherwood YMCA. The tiles will be created by approx. 500 Sherwood Middle School 5th grade students. The project is due to start at the end of May. The City Engineer and the Public Works department are in support of this project and will be working to create the base to set the tiles in.

Home Depot has also offered to assist with setting the tiles, at this time that cost has not yet been determined nor whom will be covering that cost.

Colleen Reed, on behalf of the Sherwood Historical Society, began with showing the group on a laptop a map of Sherwood Old Town area that is the beginning page of the website created by Clyde Burger: Clydeburger.org/map and Clydeburger.org/private

Colleen and Clyde List in an open discussion informed the group of a Bench project that the Historical Society is working on. Project information can be found on the above noted website (/private). The general idea of the benches would be to place them in historical locations throughout the City. The cost per bench is approx \$500.00. Sterling suggested placing an ad in the Gazette and City Pages, to solicit

sponsors for the benches. The Historical Society is looking to form a partnership with the SCAC on this project. It is unclear at this time the role SCAC is being asked to play.

The Historical Society also spoke of forming a committee to help decide on the bench model that would best suit Old town. Clyde List mentioned that he has lead a few tours of the Old Town area and is looking to speak with the Robin Hood Festival Assoc. about the Historical Society conducting tours during the festival.

Kristen to check with Soulayvahn and Karen Tasker on their ideas of providing support to the Historical Society.

Sue Hall suggested having the RHTA put on a production on the History of Sherwood. Kristen would speak with the RHTA about this suggestion. It was also suggested that the above information be passed onto the Blue Ribbon Committee.

Sounds of Summer Concert Updates

Kristen handed out the line up of performers for this years Music on the Green and gave a brief description on the type of music each group would perform.

Kristen also spoke of having the vendor booths again this year and asked for ideas from the group. The following suggestions were made:

- Beer & Wine booths – Manage the coordination differently to generate revenue.
- Nottingham's putting together picnic baskets. (The Caesar Salads they sold last year were a great success.)
- Lavender Tea House - putting together some type of meal or dessert.
- Boy Scouts - Hot Dog Cart. Sterling asked Kristen to speak with Ty Richards about a Hot Dog cart.
- Bento
- Farmer's Market - Sue suggested a booth with Strawberry Shortcake or something similar to promote the Farmer's Market.
- SCAC – Concession Booth promoting the SCAC. We have access to the Popcorn Machine and have a lot of candy left over from the closure of the theater that could be sold. Jack can possibly assist with the coordination of this booth.

Saturday Market Update

Saturday Market made their presentation to the City Council. Support from the Council came in the form of the City providing Port-a-Potty's and space within the City for the Market. Direct financial support was not approved.

Programs, classes and ideas

This idea was discussed of finding a way to offer classes to the community that would help keep cultural arts alive and well. The thought would be to offer a variety of classes at various locations around town. We can start off small and add where there is a need. Some ideas that were discussed include art, dance, informational seminars, yoga, and doll exhibits. The group felt confident that if this is something that the commission wants to do and we all reach out to those that are in our

community, we can find some very talented people to help teach these classes. The classes could be anything from one time lectures to an ongoing 8 week class. It was suggested that we first try to find volunteers before we get into paying instructors.

Kristen said that she was very excited about the idea but that it would take a commitment from the commission to try and help get this going. Both Tara and Sue said that they are ready to work and excited about the idea of receiving outside “assignments” from the meeting and doing what needs to be done to get this going. The goal is to gather ideas and names of instructors this spring and summer and hope to start something in the fall.

Each person on the commission is asked to come up with a list of people that they know that may be interested in teaching. If you don’t know anyone specifically, make a list of what type of classes you would like to see offered.

For the good of the Order

Nothing at this time.

Next meeting:

May 15th, 7:00pm at the Senior Center. The May meeting will consist of the Library Board, SURPAC (Sherwood Urban Renewal Policy Advisory Committee) and the Cultural Arts Commission. Discussion will include Urban Renewal, the Robin Hood Theater, and the Library plan.

Adjourn

Meeting was adjourned at 8:30pm.