

**SEYMOUR CULTURE AND ARTS COMMISSION**

**SEPTEMBER 8, 2015 7:00 PM**

**SEYMOUR TOWN HALL**

Those in attendance; Judy Simpson Valerie D'Anna Kim Osgood Ann Conroy

Priscilla Altorelli Linda Bellavance Mary Barbin Crystal Heiden

**PUBLIC COMMENT;** Sculptor, Crystal Heiden, reported to the Committee that October 15, 2015 could be the completion date of the Oblisk. The location has now been moved to the Broad Street Park across from the Community Center. The sculpture should be placed over to the left of the park but back enough to be overlook the falls. Chairman Simpson will meet with Public Works and at least 1 member of the Park's Commission and Crystal Heiden to pick out the actual location. Chairman Simpson will arrange the date and contact those invited.

**MINUTES;** Motion to accept as presented for both May 2015 and June 2015 meetings made by Valerie D'Anna and second by Kim Osgood **VOTE: 5 YES 0 NO 0 ASTAINED**

**TREASURER'S REPORT;** \$1,358.90 2014-2015 CLOSE-OUT AMOUNT

\$19,392.05 Account balance to date. See attached.

**Ann Conroy ;** She distributed newspaper articles to Committee members with articles about family members dating back to the early 1980's. She also read a 1935 Graduation Poem and shared an 1898 graduation directory with many town names that committee members were familiar with.

**Advertisement;** Kim Osgood asked to get prices for repeating the mailer again next year.

**Concerts 2016:** June 4, 2016 Flashback July 16, 2016 Larry Ace  
June 18, 2016 Fools on the Hill Aug. 6, 2016 Bus Stop Annie  
July 2, 2016 Rubber City Aug. 20, 2016 Janice Dompke (?)  
Sept. 3, 2016 Flashback

Halloween Trick or Treat Day 2015 to be held Oct 31, 2015. Postcards and info distributed by Sept. 28, 2015; will ask for returned by October 15, 2015. Fliers have been approved by Central Office and will be distributed at Chatfield and Bungay on Friday, Oct 23, 2015.

Kim Osgood will deliver statues to the Derby Neck Library; she will also call Center Stage to see if they are interested.

Matthies Grant: Anti-bullying program to be held at SHS and SMS with funds rec'd. and one of the concerts for 2016 will be paid for.

Thank you to be sent to Kate Kerchaert V.P. Sr Philanthropic Relations Manager

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Chairman's Report: Chairman Simpson reported that members of the long-range planning comm. will attend our October meeting.

Halloween Concert to be held on October 24, 2015 at SMS, 7:00 pm

Train Station sign will be installed on the roof one day this week

Mary Barbin was asked to arrange 7 concerts for the seniors.

Linda Bellavance was asked to contact The Chordsmen to see if they could fill in time at our Middle School concerts. She will also contact Nu-Age design regarding purchasing a large back-drop to cover the front of the Kasten building where the concerts are held.

Old Business; None

New Business; None

October 13, 2015 next meeting Motion to adjourn meeting made at 8:25 by Valerie D'Anna

Second by Kim Osgood **VOTE: 6 YES 0 NO 0 ABSTAINED**

Respectfully submitted,

*Linda Bellavance*

EXPENDITURES SINCE JUNE 9, 2015 MEETING 2014-15 YEAR

\$1,500.00 P.O. 103050 Victoria Marsh (obelisk)  
\$1,500.00 P.O. 103051 Crystal Heiden (obelisk)  
\$74.25 P.O. 101154 Eversource (Elect. For Concerts)  
\$50.00 P.O. 101802 Judy Simpson (reimburse Dick Kasten  
for electric turn on)  
\$3,124.25

CURRENT BALANCE

\$1,078.50 Purchased Services  
\$280.40 Supplies  
\$1,358.90

**EXPENDITURES SINCE July 1, 2015 MEETING 2015-16 YEAR**

\$700.00 P.O. 20165 Naugatuck Community Musicians (Oct & Dec Concerts)

\$200.00 P.O. 20245 Eversource

\$300.00 P.O. 20318 Elaine Chez (Callahan House performance)

**\$1,200.00 Total**

**CURRENT BALANCE**

\$18,800.00 Purchased Services

\$592.05 Supplies

**\$19,392.05**