

Putnam Arts Council Meeting Monday, March 28, 2022 Meeting Minutes

1. Call to order 5:34pm
2. Members present were Karen Osbrey, David Sullivan, Laura Moorehead, Julie Reid, Beth Johnston, and Jamie Soroka with guests, David and Annie Joly and Jonathan Nadeau.
3. Approval of minutes- February 2022, motion by Jamie, 2nd by Beth, motion passes
4. Financials/Invoices - no report
5. Marketing-Website-Anthony was not in attendance so there was no report. However, other members are asking to become admins for our Facebook page. Karen will reach out to Anthony again. There was a suggestion to start an Instagram account too.
6. Communication with other groups
 - a. Trash cans – same as last month. Barrel #8 is almost finished and Barrel #9 is in the pipeline to be sanded.
 - b. MLK Mural- \$1000 check was presented to David to deliver to Rise Up. There will be another Community Paint Day on April 6th from 11am to 5pm at QVCC.
7. Public Art Projects
 - a. Municipal Complex Art Show – the current show is coming down April 1 and the Jolys' show will be installed on April 2. There are still a few things to work out with the video portion of the show. The Jolys would like an Artist Talk/Reception. Saturday, early afternoons are preferred. Laura is also researching a lock system.
 - b. Love Locks Project with QCC – Jen Brytowski is working on the website. Once that goes live, they will start selling locks.
 - c. Jonathan Nadeau made a presentation concerning Tournadeau, a Jazz & Blues concert scheduled for August 13 in Rotary Park. He is requesting help in finding 4 to 6 artists who would be willing to showcase and demonstrate their work during the concert. We agreed to help him identify these artists.
8. Old/New Business – Gallery name, brainstorming for future projects.
9. Public Comments – none
10. Adjourn – 7:04pm

Brainstorming ideas: Fine Arts and Crafts Market, Little Free Art Galleries, Movies at the Bradley, Art Scavenger Hunt, more posts on Facebook, Fundraising