

Westport Public Art Collection Committee Meeting
March 12, 2018

Attendees: Inna Agujen, Scott Springer, Jennifer Fridland, Randa Trivisono, Ive Covaci, Barbara Wang.

Minutes

1. Upcoming Events:

Lambdin Mural re-dedication: delayed due to storms... new date is April 5th 2:45 at SHS

2. Framing Situation:

Rockwell Framing: Randa called and spoke with Jay; they will match the prices we have from NJ, so we can go forward!

3. Accessions:

Loads of paperwork to be completed to be presented to Board of Ed. Inna looking for way to streamline the process.

Fairfield Museum has an OpenSource database system that we'd like to adopt and are reaching out to them to discuss.

Internship Program: either with SHS or college - great to have a spring intern to help with this sorting and paperwork. Need for database entry to help committee manage collection, documentation, and inventory.

Barbara will call SHS Guidance office to find out what procedure is for this

Ive says she would have time to manage someone this spring

4. Database news: Concern for running out of funds for Tiffany?

5. Location Reports:

Site updates:

KHS- Custodian is needed for hanging and that person is being non responsive. Have Dohanes Horses work and also Ann Chernow's Marching Band to hang. Works are also getting hung in Nurses office; And another Art Smart project is using the collection as a resource.

Coleytown MS- Looking to overhaul bit by bit as it desperately needs a change out.

LongLots -Looking for Camacho prints; Ive will email pcs that are up for "trade" as no room to hang at LL and no room in storage closet

BMS- have 2 pieces looking to change out either from closet or another location

Greens Farms- a lot of works that need to get hung

CES- see Pt#6; got things hanging in Nurses office and Main office that look great; need closet visit to select more pieces.

Best Sharing Ideas

Everyone pick pieces at their locations to volunteer to exchange in order to move pieces around... send out emails circulating opportunities

Another closet day is desperately needed: April 5th at 1pm

6. Update on CES Hanging System:

A. Still waiting on rails - Scott is emailing all the time....

B. Randa gave demonstration of the hanging clip system

7. Next Meeting is Monday April 16th, 9:30am.