

**Brookfield Arts Commission
Meeting Minutes
September 29, 2015**

7:30, Room 209

In attendance: Betsy Scott, Ray Dori, Cathy Lasser, Mary Daniel, John Miller

Treasurer Report: same as August (\$4860) main acc't.

New Business:

- *Carmel requested the meeting night be changed to the last Monday of each month so that she may attend. A vote was taken and the change approved.
- *Ray reported on the Southbury Art Show at Heritage Village. There were approximately 130 entries.
- *Ray will contact Norma Schlager regarding the Nov./Dec. art exhibit of her work.
- *Ray and Dotti Dori would like for everyone to place vacation photos in an exhibit.
- *Betsy attended the Danbury Shorts and did not feel they were very exciting. BISGEICH, a German short was the best.
- *Ray would favor a repeat from four years ago, THE PARTY, as one short to consider.
- *Mary-Once we select our "shorts" week, SHORT AND TO THE POINT, do we have rights over the shows? RESTRICTIONS--be careful misusing "shorts"
- *Danna Phelan's(our featured artist) reception is Fri.- October 2 here at Town Hall from 7-8:00.
- *Cultural Alliance award attendees (Mary Daniel/Craft Center) will be at the Matrix Center on October 15 from 7:30-9:00AM
- *Ray has not heard any news from Mr.Tinsley about the Four Corner Rejuvenation
- *Mary is still in charge of the FOA.

Mary Daniel has suggested that the BAC partner with the CRAFT CENTER:

**Art Commission would contribute \$1500 to the Woodworking Turning Center after December 31, 2015. One idea is a carved/turned totem pole representing the town! The Craft Center is the major controller and contributor.

Mary also suggested filling the two seats designated for students 18 or older as a part of the commission.

Meeting adjourned.

Marian R. Miller, Secretary