PACA Minutes Wednesday February 14, 2024 1PM Turnbull Art Gallery

Host: Semiahmoo Arts Society; Notes: Shelley Eckstein (Thank you!!!)

Laurel welcomes the group.

Information sheet from the newsletter. History of PACA, thank you's.

Synopsis of SAS and PACA relationship

Networking opportunities

Same mission and mandate under the umbrella of Semiahmoo Arts Society as a grassroots organization.

In the spirit of nourishment having in guest speakers as part of the monthly meeting from different genres of the arts

Opportunity to participate in SAS call for artists

See newsletter for opportunities to share your event or participate in events. Benefits of being a member.

Redeveloping the website and much easier to navigate. Members will be able to sign in and network and contact.

A map of art spaces with a software called Story Map is presently being developed.

If you want to put anything into the newsletter or website you can send it to info@semiahmooarts.com

Derek: Demonstrated his new comic artwork and dates of showings at future Comicon shows

Winston with White Rock Singers:

Next Concert April 21 Peninsula United church

Highly recommends the White Rock Baptist Church for excellent sound quality auditorium.

Nicci Battilana:

Three dates at the White Rock Farmers Market July 14. 28 August 11 Launching own product line on March 26 <u>www.nicci.ca</u>

Release of 5th book in June Landmark Pop up in June

Jim Davidson: Started at series of 4 classes teaching acrylics at the White Rock community centre Next set April 11

Nina Mudry:

SAS programmer, teacher, outreach lead

Planning workshops. Working with White Rock to bring into their programming. Workshops for kids and families as well as adults trying other new mediums. Arts outreach with the Art Hive.

Colleen:

Naked Stage Readers Theatre No sets, no props, just great acting. Actors are seated on stools with the script present in place. Next end of February Hollywood Nebraska In April Bakersfield Mist See website for future events and workshops.

Susan:

SYTCO Youth Theatre In the 26th season Dear Albert Einstein play with a message about women's empowerment. A cast of 5. April 7 at Surrey Arts Centre Ages 8-10 new class **Ask** is for someone to create a locker for Einstein that would fit him for the show.

Michelle Partridge:

Confidence Coaching and does coaching online

Next speaking engagement International Women's day at Chopped Leaf Tuesday March 12 4pm.

City Info:

Ernie Klassen and Michelle co chair arts and culture advisory board. Much work is being done. The return of the torchlight festival plans have begun. See all the events on City of White Rock website

Landmark Pop up gallery hosting Black History month. Did you know that Canadian art is tax deductible?

We encourage you to join the Facebook group- PACA. After they are approved, they can post whatever they want. It's better to post in the group rather than the Facebook page as members are guaranteed to see it in their Facebook feed group rather than the page.

Michelle was in the show Hurry Hard with Peninsula Productions and had a great experience acting after several years. Two more shows added.

Michelle and Elaine are producing the Family Pride Day July 20, 2024 at Miramar Square. Please submit your table requests.

Elaine Cheung:

White Rock Elks have a new revised website, This is an available venue to rent with lots of space, there are four spaces to rent in the building with very reasonable rates. You are welcome to drop Michelle or Elaine's name if you want to rent from them. Mention also of Aspira, Amica and Oceana Parc all have theatres. Opportunities to perform for the seniors could be used here.

See Elaine's website if you need photography or video production. https://elainecheung.ca/

Shelley Eckstein: Piano teacher/pianist/performer. If you need a bartender for your event. Next meeting

Wednesday, March 13 at 1pm – space TBA

Wednesday, April 10 at 1pm – Landmark Pop-up Gallery

Adjournment at 1:50pm