



Minutes,  
December 13, 2022

Attendance: All Members Present

Priscilla Jeffery, Thomasina Levy, Michele Murelli, Courtney Murray, Caylin Jensen, Ashley Picker Dubin

Meeting called to order: 6:12

Moved: Ashley

Seconded: Priscilla

**Grant Committee:** Received a \$10,000 from Scherr-Thoss Foundation. Website contract to Clara Huebenthal. Courtney will take point on contacting Clara.

We did not get the creative partnership grant.

On December 19th the awards from the Council on the Humanities will be announced.

**Social Media:** Facebook, Instagram, Twitter

We are prioritizing artists profiles while we create the social media strategy. The interviews will be posted online. The interview will be formalized with a series of questions so any member of the commission can do the interview.

We need a list of artists, NWCTArts Council is the source. Litchfield artists will have preference. Every member of the commission will be assigned monthly blog post.

**Report on the Mural Project:**

Danielle Mailer offered a group of runners, in her style, for the proposed mural attached to the outside alley wall of the Village Restaurant. It will be an interactive painting experience with community members helping with the painting.

\$10,000 - 15,000 is the proposed budget for Danielle Mailer.

Moving forward, we need to show the proposal to Denise, then go to the Historic District Commission for approval. Thomasina will contact the Hist.Comm. for the Jan. 19th meeting.

**MLK Mural Project: Rise Up**

Projected community mural project with the students and families of LHS...Priscilla & the Prevention Council, and LHS will all work together on this.

**Connecticut Ballet:**

The planning has begun for the summer program. the Company is also going to work on doing a performance for the students at LHS.

**New Calendar:**

**Jan 3, Special Meeting;** Feb 7, Mar 7, April 4, May 2, June 6, July 11, August 1, Sept 5, Oct 3, Nov 7, Dec 5. @ 6:00.

**Not meeting Dec. 27th.**

**Adjourn: 7:02**

**1st: Thomasina**

**2nd: Caylin**