



NWACC Art Club Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, September 9, 2009

The Northwest Arkansas Community College Art Club met in a Meeting on Wednesday, September 9 of 2009 at 5:00pm in room 1075 in Burns Hall. The meeting was called to order at 5:00 pm by President Sarah Carson. 10 members were in attendance.

NWACC ART CLUB STORE

- Sarah Carson asked the group whether the store should be maintained due to lack of use, original design submissions, and the personal cost to Faculty Advisor Stephanie Lewis
- Sarah said we could have print jobs done by local merchants
- Stephanie said that the merchants would have to donate or have advertisers underwrite projects to make it economically feasible for the Club.
- Members present ultimately thought that alternative sites to CafePress should be researched—ones that have lower base prices and no site fees.
- Alex Garcia was assigned to research the sites and get back to President Carson in two weeks.

FALL 2009 EVENTS

- President Carson asked if the Club members present would like to do another Sidewalk Chalk event. Members agreed after hearing about last year's event. This event was tabled until later in the meeting.
- President Carson noted that we need volunteers for Art Rocks.
- Robert Andes will be our adjunct instructor guest lecturer this semester. A tentative date has been set for Thursday, September 24 at 7:00 pm. Stephanie noted that she is waiting on Barbara McBride to get back to her on the space available.
- The film "How to Draw a Bunny" will be shown Friday, November 13.

SIDEWALK CHALK EVENT

- The event will be on one day during the week of September 28—which leads into Art Rocks.
- Stephanie is going to fill out a purchase requisition for chalk and ask Barbara McBride if there is an event that week that brings a lot of activity to the campus, so that the Club can "piggyback" this event to draw as many interested people as possible.

NWACC FALL FESTIVAL

- Date is October 23
- Members present agreed that the NWACC Art Club should participate again this year with the same booth as last year.
- Debra Martens offered extra memory cards and her help for the event (retrieving movie posters).



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PHOTOGRAPHY CALENDAR

- The successful photo calendar fundraiser will not be initiated this year because Stephanie said she organized and designed the whole thing and didn't have time to do it by herself this year.

CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT FUNDRAISER

- Members present said they'd like to do it again this year.
- Stephanie suggested more variety of ornament shapes and designs for this year's event/sale.
- President Carson said she'd try to pin down a "workshop" date to have members work on designing ornaments.

EUREKA SPRINGS ARTISTS' STUDIO TOURS

- The Club will not participate in the tour this year due to lack of interest.

ART ROCKS

- Members present that volunteered to help at the event itself:
 - Debra Martens
 - Sarah LaReau
 - Kris Johnson
 - Jeremy (Sarah's husband)
 - Mike Eckels
- Members not present that volunteered
 - Jeremiah Dubbs
- It was agreed that members should currently focus on marketing the event and selling tickets.
- President Carson said that she will be hopefully selling tickets at Beef O'Brady's next Wednesday when Sucker Punch Railroad (one of Art Rocks' bands) performs.

THE MEETING ADJOURNED AT 5:54 PM.