Boxford Cultural Council

Art & Blooms Festival Planning Meeting May 3, 2022 11:30 AM

Agenda

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- 1. Call to Order & Attendance
- 2. Update on Preparations for May 12-15 (Next Steps from April 12 Minutes)
 - Sue: Email artists & artisans a reminder to submit their Call for Entry forms ASAP. Attach Call for Entry form. Let artists know they can also drop off their paintings on Thursday. Progress:
 - Sue: Buy & prepare the Artwork Labels. Progress:
 - Steph: Order 200 more promo postcards. Progress: done
 - Steph: Provide promo cards for distribution. Progress: done
 - Caren: Arrange for large chalkboard sign for outside Lincoln Hall the week before the festival. Progress:
 - Steph: Follow-up with Police Chief about the Festiva. Progress:
 - Caren: Recruit a few volunteers for table & room set-up on <u>Thursday</u> 5/12) late afternoon, & the <u>breakdown of tables</u> after Market Closes & set-up of chairs for concert from 4-6pm on <u>Saturday</u> (5/14). <u>Progress:</u>
 - Steph: Make & email the Helping Tasks-Time Sign-up Sheet & encourage members to recruit a couple family/friends to help-out. Progress: done
 - All: Please check your email pick-up & distribute the promo postcards.
 - All: Please plan to make cookies/brownies for Friday & Saturday. Note: If you want to bring a cheese/cracker plate, grapes (tiny bunches on stem for hygiene) for the small reception, please let Carole know. Progress:

3. Status of Distribution of Promo Cards

General Plan: Listed below are places to hit with the postcards.

April 21st – 30th Initial Distribution

(see who signed-up below)

May 1st – 6th Second Wave – replenish - everyone

May 7th – 10th Final Push – replenish - everyone

- a. Community Kitchen Marya
- b. Library & Town Hall Marya
- c. Council on Aging Marya
- d. First Church Carole
- e. Second Church Carole
- f. West Boxford Provisions Caren
- g. **Benson's** Caren
- h. Other West Boxford Businesses Carole & Caren
- i. Boxford House of Pizza & others in that mall Carole
- j. Garden Club Sue
- k. Four Mile Village Sue
- I. Lincoln Hall Sue

Also at Lincoln Hall - The Chalk Board Sign - Caren

Some places may be best for the Larger Card only.

Decide **how many of small cards** to leave at high traffic places considering the replenishing plan. As you go around town – **please replenish** – especially at the **high traffic sites** in red. If you belong to First or Second Church – maybe the Festival could be plugged at Sunday services.

- 4. Review of Help Needed Sign-Up Chart
- 5. Misc. preparations
 - Flower arrangements
 - Bottles of water for Reception & for sale (?) on Saturday (amount?)
 - Recycling bin for plastic bottles
 - Command Strips & wall prep
 - Other?
- 6. Adjournment

Posted on Tuesday, April 26, 2022 at 4:03pm by Robin Phelan, Town Clerk