

**Elko County Art Club  
Meeting Minutes  
February 17, 2021**

The meeting was called to order by Vice President, Ariane Dehm at 2:09 p.m. Members in virtual attendance included Ariane Dehm, Tess King, Deborah Finley, Virginia Sheldon, Ralph Sacrison, Teri Agenbroad, Rondee Graham and Lynn Jasmine.

**2021 Board Members:**

1. 2021 Board Members are President - Tess King, Vice President - Ariane Dehm, Secretary - Lynn Jasmine and Treasurer - LeRay Reese.
2. The list of officers has been filed with the State and the Business License has been received.

**Rotating Art:**

Virginia Sheldon, Chair of the Rotating Art Program has the letters to businesses ready. She and Deborah Finley will send the letters to the businesses shortly.

**Scholarships:**

Ralph Sacrison has revised and updated the Scholarship letters. They have been sent out.

**Financial Report:**

1. No financial report was given due to LeRay Reese's absence.
2. Tess King has submitted the paperwork for The Nevada Gold Mines donation for both the club and Art in the Park. She is also working on getting donation forms to the hospital.
3. An easel at the hospital for Rotating Art was broken last year and the style is no longer available. Tess has priced new easels at Dick Blick and Cheap Joes. They have easels that the artwork can be fastened to ranging from \$40-80. The replacement cost would be up to \$250. After a brief discussion Ralph Sacrison moved, second by Lynn Jasmine, to purchase new easels for the hospital Rotating Art display. Motion carried.

**Art in the Park:**

1. Ariane reported that we are still looking for a new Art in the Park coordinator. This is a paid position. Please help find someone in the club or community who might be interested.
2. We have some applications for workers, but have not held any interviews yet. LeRay is working on a salary schedule.
3. Currently 58 vendors have registered for the event. We usually have 70 or more vendors and will continue working on vendor promotion through Facebook.
  - a. Virginia asked about how vendors sign up for Art in the Park. At this time, vendors can visit the Elko County Art Club website and click on the Art in the

Park link. The link has all of the information regarding how to register. Any one interest can also contact Tess at 775-385-1626.

4. Rondee Graham volunteered to Chair the Scholarship Raffle for Art in the Park. That job includes selling and managing all the raffle tickets. Organizing raffle items and doing the drawing at the end of the event.
5. An Art in the Park meeting needs to be scheduled soon. Several dates were discussed. Scheduling was postponed, because Tess's zoom connection failed and she needs to be at the meeting.

**Comments:**

1. Classes can be started with 50% occupancy, which should be about 15.
2. There is a question about the demand for adult classes, since only 2 people came to the last class. There may be more demand for kid's classes.
3. Ariane will contact the City regarding classes.
4. Promotion might be needed. Rondee suggested posting artwork in the gallery on social media. Virginia suggested advertising classes with art from past classes.

**Next Meeting: March 17<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. both on Zoom and in the Gallery.**

The meeting was adjourned at 2:33 pm by Arian Dehm, Vice President.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lynn Jasmine  
Secretary