



NEENAH
— *Arts* —
COUNCIL

AGENDA

Wednesday, November 13, 2019

4 p.m.

Neenah City Hall

Hauser Room

- I. Introductions
- II. Public appearances
- III. Approve minutes from October 9, 2019
- IV. **Celebrate the Season - Saturday, December 7 - Holiday Book Theme**
 - A. Location updates and plans
 - B. Book selections
 - C. Promotion
- V. Upcoming events in Neenah and announcements
- VI. Volunteer opportunities
- VII. Future agenda items
- VIII. Next meeting date - To be determined
- IX. Adjournment

Neenah Arts Council Mission ~ Promoting & Enhancing the Arts for All

Minutes of the Neenah Arts Council
Wednesday, October 9, 2019 - 4pm
Neenah City Hall
Hauser Room

Members Present: Chairman Tami Erickson, Pat Rosenak, Sean Keepers, Jane Lang, John Timmer, Laura Kemps, Nikki Hessel, Anne Marie Abderholden, Maegan Johnson

Non-Voting Committee Members Present: Jim Kluge, Gretchen Raab

The meeting was called to order at 4:00 pm

The minutes were approved for the September 11, 2019 Neenah Arts Council meeting.

Neenah Rocks - Sean Keepers and Tami Erickson gave an update on this event. Some locations indicated that they did not see as many participants as they had hoped. The social media and promotion for the event was reviewed. Opportunities to promote venues with live music were discussed.

Celebrate the Season - Saturday, Dec. 7 NEW HOURS 10 am - 1 pm - Holiday Book Theme. Each participant selected a holiday book to showcase. The Santa Float will be located across from City Hall during the event. The wagon rides will start at the Octagon House this year. Final plans will take place at the next meeting. An ad will be designed for the City of Neenah newsletter.

Upcoming events:

Bergstrom-Mahler Museum - Wisconsin Ideas, Global Influences - October 10, 2019 – February 22, 2020 This exhibition focuses on the wide-reaching impact Wisconsin glass artists have had on shaping the global landscape of contemporary studio glass during the past 70 years. Exploring the many qualities of the medium, these artists have developed meaningful, lasting works for new generations of audiences and collectors.

The Museum Holiday Open House - Saturday, November 9. 10 am - 4:30 pm Holiday novelties, home decor, jewelry, glass Christmas trees and more. Enjoy traditional homemade holiday treats while you shop.

Fox Cities 12th Annual 2019 Book Festival October 7 - 13. Each day a different Fox Cities community becomes the focus of the festival with all, or most of the events taking place in one location. Events at the Neenah Public Library will be featured on Oct. 10 and Oct. 12. Visit <https://foxcitiesbookfestival.org/events/> for a complete schedule of events.

Neenah High School Fall Musical “Seussical the Musical” - October 9 - 13. A musical perfect for the whole family, Seussical takes us into the world of Dr. Seuss, where we revisit beloved characters including The Cat in the Hat, Horton the Elephant, Gertrude McFuzz, Lazy Mayzie, and JoJo. Seussical weaves a story of friendship, loyalty, and love and teaches us the power of being unique, and the importance of fighting for your beliefs. Shows are at 7:00 pm on Oct. 9 - 12, and at 2 pm on Oct. 13.

Valley Academy of the Arts - October 18 -19 Open Rehearsal of the Nutcracker

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, November 13 at 4 pm at Neenah City Hall in the Hauser Room.

Respectfully submitted,
Tami Erickson
Neenah Arts Council Chairman

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