

**ARTS COUNCIL MEETING
THURSDAY, JUNE, 9, 2011; 3:00 PM
KIAWAH ISLAND MUNICIPAL CENTER
COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

MINUTES

- I. Call to Order:** Mr. Lipuma called the meeting to order at 3:00PM.
- II. FOIA:** Notice of this meeting has been published and posted in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act and the requirements of the Town of Kiawah Island.

III. Roll Call:

Present: Charles Lipuma, Chair
Mary Johnson
Becky Hilstad
Robert Hill
Linda Morganstein

Absent: Arie deZanger
Bill Blizard
Judy Chitwood

Also Present: Stephanie Braswell, Administrative Assistant
John Labriola

IV. Approval of Minutes:

Mrs. Johnson motioned to approve the minutes of May 5, 2011. Mr. Hill seconded the motion.

V. Old Business:

A. 2010-2011 Season Planning

The committee discussed the 2010/2011 season scheduling and is as follows:

JUNE 2011

HARPER (Didgeridoo) is scheduled for Wednesday, June 29th at 6:30pm at Night Heron Park. This event will be in conjunction with the Sundown festival. This event is budgeted at \$4,000. No Tickets required.

VI. New Business:

A. 2011/2012 Planning Meeting Breakdown

SEPTEMBER

The Jimmy Keys (comedian) event is scheduled for Thursday, September 8th at 7:30pm at Turtle Point. The budget is \$3,000.

OCTOBER

The first Piano Bar Series will take place on two consecutive Wednesdays in October at 5:00pm at the Sandcastle. Dates are TBD. The budget is \$250 per event totaling \$500.

The Charleston Musical Heritage Production performance of “The Sound of Charleston” will take place on Sunday, October 16th at 4:00pm at Holy Spirit Catholic Church. The budget is as follow: Artist cost \$3,200; Piano tuning \$185; totaling \$3,385.

Michelle Amato Quintet will take place on Thursday, October 20th at 7:30pm at Turtle Point. The budget is as follow: Artist cost \$2,750; 2 villas accommodations plus food \$450; totaling \$3,200.

The PURE Theater performance “Superior Donuts” will take place on Sunday, October 30th at 4:00pm at Turtlepoint. The budget is as follow: Artist cost \$7,000; Food Supplies \$500 totaling \$7,500.

NOVEMBER

The Charleston Symphony Orchestra concert is set for Saturday, November 5th at 5:00pm at Freshfields Village Green. The concert will follow the CSOL annual house tour and will be funded by ATAX (\$25,000). The event will be managed by the Arts Council.

Eugenia Zuckerman (flutist) event will take place on Tuesday, November 11th at 7:30pm at Church of our Saviour. The budget is as follows: Artist cost \$2,500; 2 villa accommodations for 2 nights \$150; Piano rental \$ 800; totaling \$3,450.

DECEMBER

The American Chamber Players will perform Sunday, December 4th at 4:00pm at Church of Our Saviour. The budget is as follows: Artist \$5,000; Piano rental \$ 800; two villas \$150; totaling \$5,950.

Taylor Music Group “Celtic Christmas” will take place Thursday, December 11th at 4:00pm at Holy Spirit Catholic Church. The budget is as follows: Artist \$3,000; piano tuning \$185 totaling \$3,185

JANUARY

“Ladies night out with the blues” featuring Wanda Johnson and Beverly “Guitar” Watkins will take place Friday, January 6th at 7:30pm at either East Beach or Seabrook Island House. The budget is \$4,500.

The Charleston Ballet Theatre performance #1 will take place Sunday, January 15th at 4:00pm at East Beach Conference Center. The budget is funded by ATAX at \$10,000 including a \$500 room fee paid to the resort.

Robert Lewis and the College of Charleston Jazz Ensemble will take place Thursday, January 19th at 7:30pm at Turtle Point. The budget is as follows: Artist \$1,800 Keyboard rental \$300 totaling \$2,100.

Charles Wadsworth (pianist) performance will be on Monday, January 23rd at 7:30pm at Holy Spirit Catholic Church. The budget is as follows: Artist \$7,500; Piano tuning \$185; totaling \$7,685.

Ashu, saxophonist and Kuang-Hao, pianist will perform on Sunday, January 29th at 4:00pm at Church of Our Saviour. The budget is as follows: Artist \$ 2,500; Piano rental \$800; Villa \$130; Page turner \$50 totaling \$3,480.

FEBRUARY

Planet D Nonet Big Band performance will be on Friday, February 10th at 7:30pm at the East Beach Conference Center. The budget is as follows: Artist \$4,000; food allowance \$100; totaling \$4,100.

The Brazilian and the Butterfly performance will be on Thursday, February 16th at 7:30pm at Turtle Point. The trio of performers is Laura Ball, Duda Lucena and Gino Castillo. The budget is \$2,250.

The Charleston Ballet Theatre performance #2 will be on Sunday, February 19th at 4:00pm at the East Beach Conference Center. The budget is funded by ATAX at \$10,000 including a \$500 room fee paid to the resort. The committee discussed having one classical performance and one modern dance performance.

Charlton Singleton Quartet will perform Thursday, February 23rd at 7:30pm at Turtle Point. The budget is as follows: Artist \$3900; food allowance \$100 totaling \$4,000.

Duel Pianos with Konstantin will take place Sunday, February 26th at 4:00pm at Church of Our Saviour. The budget is \$4,400.

Marc Regnier, classical guitar group will perform sometime in February at 7:30 at Turtle Point. The date is TBD. The budget is \$2,000.

MARCH

An evening of Duke Ellington with Ted Howe group will be on Sunday, March 11th at 7:30pm at the Seabrook Island House. The budget is as follows: Artist \$4,000; Piano rental \$ 800 totaling \$4,800.

The Charleston Symphony Orchestra classical music performance “Spring and Nature” will be on Sunday, March 18th at 4:00pm at Holy Spirit Catholic Church. The budget is as follows: Artist \$6,000; Piano tuning \$ 185 totaling \$6,185.

The Cello and Piano recital by Louise Dublin (cello) and Reiko Uchida (piano) will be on Thursday, March 29 at 7:30pm at Church of Our Saviour. The budget is as follows: Artist \$1500; Cello plane ticket \$ 200; Piano rental \$800; totaling \$ 2,500.

The second Piano bar series will take place on two consecutive Wednesdays in March at 5:00pm at the Sandcastle. Dates are TBD. The budget is \$250 per event totaling \$500.

APRIL

Piccolo Preview will take place on Sunday, April 29th at 4:00pm at Holy Spirit Catholic Church. This event will be funded by ATAX in the amount of \$5,000.

JUNE

Rick Godfrey Beach Music event will be on Wednesday, June 27th at 6:30pm at Night Heron Park in conjunction with the Sundown Festival. The budget is \$3,500. No tickets will be printed for this event.

PENDING

The four Art film dates are TBD. They will take place at 3:00pm at the Sandcastle. They are budgeted at \$125 each totaling \$500

Mr. DeZanger will develop the performance of the Citadel Cadets. Date, time and venue are TBD. The event is budgeted at \$500.

Off the Wall dance performance is still under development and the date and time are TBD. The venue will be East Beach Conference Center. The budget is \$15,000 funded by ATAX.

B. New Arts Council Member

Mr. Lipuma welcomed John Labriola to the Arts Council.

C. Licensing Requirements

Mr. Lipuma stated that if the Arts council wants to continue to show films they would have to take out a copy right license costing \$ 525 a year. This covers a majority of studios and movies, but not all. So the committee would have to show movies that that license covers.

Correspondence:

None

Committee Members' Comments:

Mr. Lipuma reminded members to make sure they have turned in evaluations from the 2010-2011 season. These will be used to create the annual report.

Mrs. Johnson stated that she has already set up the planning session for 2012. The date is February 6, 2012 at 8:00a.m.

Mrs. Johnson reviewed the Talk deadline schedule with the committee.

Citizens' Comments:

None

Adjournment

Mrs. Hilstad motioned to adjourn the meeting at 5:00PM. Mrs. Morganstein seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

**Submitted by: _____
Stephanie Braswell, Administrative Assistant**

Approved by: _____
Charles R. Lipuma, Chair

Date: _____