

Notes from Artist meeting 1-29-20

Artists Present: Mona Cliff, Astrid Teran, Mike & Kent, Smith Kate Dineen, Mary Leek-Stoltz, Marlo Angell, James Moreno, Charlotte Pemberton, Kelly Hunt, Kim Murphrey

Alex, Lane, KT, Mandy

Mandy -Youth Corps selection. Jahnava is doing a dance piece at the Lawrence Arts Center. Jude Black is doing a recycled plastic sculpture of Phoenix. LK Ultra is doing an EP and doing a concert in East Lawrence. Hang12 is doing an artbox trade installation. Central Middle School is doing a history bus bench.

Alex - payments. Start working on getting your invoices ready for payment when you need it. Pay periods are 15th and the last day of the month. So if you need a check by a certain date get the invoice to Alex by the 10th of the month or the 20th. Send an invoice to Alex via email for your payment and she will make a check request for you. Also, checks are available at the LAC front desk (unless requested to be mailed).

KT -The Haskell Welcome Back Powwow is February 8th. Mona will take pictures of people at the powwow for her projections. Lane talked about newsletters – due date is Feb 14th to be in the ELNA newsletter. Mary Jo Mucullah – created the Crockpot and made a shit ton of money. She then ran for mayor and then opened a theater that people of color could go to. Ghost stories in EL...

Kelly Hunt – they have a workshop for 20 people signed up to participate in at the end of February. Caryn is doing interviews. Kim reached out to the elders about getting oral histories. They will submit to the next newsletter.

Kent and Mike – they are trying to get their surveys out about their sculpture. You can do it digitally or manually. They only have a week or two left to collect these and then they need to get started on their sculpture. They got some cool feedback! There will be surveys at the Arts Center on the flier wall – Alex will put out a mailbox for a receptacle for the surveys.

Charlotte Pemberton (for Matt Lord) – They went to the Chili Feed and the Sunrise project dinner. They have a lot of people on the sign up sheet and confirming their participation. Final Friday they will have examples of portraits displayed at Art Emergency. Showcasing the artwork and the artists as well. Party will be April Final Friday they will unveil of all of the portraits.

New York Elementary - Since September they have been working with the kids and talked about what sculpture. Sycamore on the east side of the school is important. They have two designs – and posted them for people to vote on the one they like. Next step is going through the comments.

James Moreno – Performance at the Amtrak Station about Mexican railroad workers. This will happen Saturday April 25th. Performance will be shown in the KU UDC performance on April 3 & 4. Working with a movement and voice instructor and working with students on speaking. Meeting with Judy Romero and her friends to get their feedback. Then they will do a gathering of local folks and non-dancers who are interested in performing. This gathering will be the end of March. Not sure how long it will be. Wants feedback about what time it should be held – maybe a later time will be better for projections.

Natives Now – 1st projection will be this final Friday at A1 Automotive at 8pm. They will be doing 2 projections per month. Powwow will get more portraits for projections and input for the mural. Mid-Feb through March they will be working on the murals. She is working on getting materials for the benches and trees as well. They will be at Art Emergency for the next two months for collecting portraits as well. The mural will be on the Dragon's Hoard building, but it has to be temporary.

The Wishing Bench Movie – Marlo is editing the film and it is taking a lot longer than she thought. She will be projecting on Hoopla and on Turnhalle. During the screening of the movie VanGo will supply seating. Marlo wants to ask the resident specialists to be on benches. The actors of the film will be seated as well. Projections on May 29th in the evening. Then she will screen the movie twice at 7 or 8 at the wishing bench.