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Belmont Cultural Council
October 24, 2012 minutes

The meeting was called to order at 7:35

Present: Anne Quirk (chair), Jirair Hovsepian, Anne Levy, Ilyse Robbins Mohr, Ken Stalberg

Absent: Rebecca Richard, Christine Sandvik

The meeting began with a discussion of the minutes from the last meeting. The committee voted unanimously to accept them as revised.

Anne Quirk and Ken Stalberg each reported no luck in recruiting new committee members. Anne Levy, Ilyse Mohr, and Jirair Hovsepian, however, offered some ideas and will pursue them in the weeks to come.

Ken Stalberg continues to pursue the possibility of funding from the Belmont Savings Bank. Rebecca Richard was unable to attend this meeting so there is no word on whether the Belmont World Film festival is interested in a joint fund raising effort with the BCC.

The next two meetings of the committee have been fixed for Monday, November 5th and Monday, December 3rd.

The rest of the meeting was devoted to a proposal-by-proposal discussion of the 2013 grant application and their assignment to individual committee members.

The following proposals have no local partners. By unanimous vote of the committee, each has been rejected for funding:

#1	McNeaney	Brass Band concert
#3	Bouchard	Swing Orchestra
#4	Wirt	Blues Bros band
#9	REES	Film

The following proposals have been assigned to committee members for further review:

#2	Odaiko	Drumming concert	K. Stalberg
#5	Bates	Story and music presentation	A. Levy
#6	Audubon/Habitat	Nature Comes Inside	R. Richards
#7	Amdur	Mural project	R. Richards
#8	Powers	Faculty concerts	K. Stalberg
#10	Collins	Monologues	I. Mohr

#11	Wood	Concert	J. Hovsepian
#12	Marble Collection	Teen lit mag	K. Stalberg
#13	Wellington PTO	Rainforest Talk	A. Levt
#14	Belmont Gallery	Promotion of gallery	J. Hovsepian
#15	Belmont Women's	W. Homer exhibit	C. Sandvik
#16	Dance Caliente	Dance performance	I. Mohr
#17	Berney	Charles River talk	C. Sandvik
#18	Andrade	Solar Car Mini-Doc	C. Sandvik
#19	BHS Performing	Grease costumes	A. Levy
#20	Bel World Film	Family film rentals	J. Hovsepian

The meeting was adjourned at 8:40.

Submitted by Anne Quirk, Chair