

**Scituate Harbor Cultural District Meeting Minutes**  
**Wednesday, January 15, 2020**  
**Native 5:30 PM**

*In attendance:*

Marie Flaherty, Lynda Ferguson, Chris Zaremba, Steve Litchfield, Michele Wood  
Patrice Maye, Janet Cornacchio, Dave Ball, RJ Dwyer, Michele Seghezzi (recorder)

Meeting called to order at 5:35 PM.

Marie introduced Ken Swart from Friends of Scituate Music. Ken would like to help with booking bands for the summer bandstand series. The 2020 summer series dates were identified as follows: 7/2, 7/9, 7/23, 7/30, 8/6, 8/13, 8/20, 8/27

**Art Walk**

May 1<sup>st</sup>. Janet Cornacchio announced that during Art walk the Front St. Gallery will have a grand re-opening with the theme of “celebration”. Marie has put out a call to artists and submissions can be forwarded to [scituateharborba@gmail.com](mailto:scituateharborba@gmail.com).

April 1<sup>st</sup> (first Friday) will be the random acts of poetry throughout the harbor.

Bob Serino award – Patrice will revise the wording from last time and we will begin promoting in Mariner, face book, peachflyer.

**Fair Saturday**

The board felt it went well. The Front St. Gallery said they felt sales were higher that weekend. Native also felt they had a very good turnout at their demo.

**EDC Meeting recap**

Lynda Ferguson said she and Michele Wood presented to EDC to get their thoughts on helping to fund the plaques in sidewalks. This would be completely separate from the Heritage Trail but would be intertwined as the trail runs through the cultural district. The EDC was receptive but would like to see a map with more details. Lynda has talked to the Highway Department and we could find locations that are already slotted to be repaired in the spring. Lynda has a contact for the plaques and will work on obtaining quote. Next meeting we will have a list and prioritize which plaques we should start with.

Patrice noted that the Irish Heritage Trail is in the early phases and that we have a grant from the Irish Consulate to explore opportunities. There are 8 Towns from Plymouth up that we hope will participate.

**Other Business**

Annual Town Report – Patrice Maye will work on.

Poetry night is April 3<sup>rd</sup>. The Board would like to host an event at the Inn (former Dog Watch) and will look into obtaining a one day beer and wine license.

Move to approve the minutes from October 15, 2019 and November 6, 2019. Motion by Michele Wood, Second by Lynda Ferguson. Unanimous.

**Next meeting set for Wednesday, February 12, 2020 at 5 PM**

**Motion to adjourn at 6:20 PM.**