

Notes from Arts Meeting: 8.13.2019

GREENHILL CENTER FOR NC ART

WELCOME/INTRODUCTION: Laura Way, ArtsGreensboro, President + CEO:

- Welcome Barbara Richter as the new executive director of GreenHill.
- About GreenHill: The mission of GreenHill is to promote the visual arts of North Carolina. Current exhibition is *Constant/Change*. www.greenhillinc.org

MENTORSHIP & COLLABORATION:

- How do we plan a festival that actually speaks to Greensboro? What do we need and what is the conversation we want to have?
- Idea of doing an “open streets” that is arts focused on the Greenway or we could extend our reach to integrate the arts in surrounding neighborhoods and showcase what makes each Greensboro neighborhood unique and authentic.
- City Stage was Greensboro. This model really brought the community together.
- We would need to partner with the City since streets would be blocked off. Can plan for 2021? Will need a dedicated group to plan and administer. Need community leaders in the room.
- Can involve the bike community. Health aspect is great! Authentically GSO.
- We need a group to work on a peer to peer counseling group for artists.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

United in Music Inc.: Paul Robeson tour at Well-Spring Theatre on August 24th. For more information visit paulrobeson.com or call (877) 342-1144.

Reconsidered Goods: Location on Patterson Street is expanding to the building next door for event space. 6,000 sq. ft. available to arts organizations as a venue for meetings, alternative performances, outlet for supplies or an outlet to congregate and explore the arts. Will open in October; TBD.

ArtsGreensboro: Development Peer Network Group will meet at the Center for Visual Arts on August 21st at 4:30pm. Development and Marketing staff are invited to attend for roundtable discussion.

Dance Project: 29th season of NC Dance Festival. On August 20, all are invited to attend the portrait unveiling of Jan Van Dyke at 5:30 PM.

Eastern Music Festival: Celebrating a successful season 58! EMF partnered with 25 organizations did a performance at every library in the community in addition to other public venues. Big thanks for the support; looking forward to season 59. The EMF fundraiser is Feb 29th!

Moore Music Company: Moore Music and April Harris (Gate City Live) for a discussion on arts and music education, diversity, inclusion, and accessibility within the city. Please reach out if you have any ideas for guests on the show. “Teach me how to play” studio

Triad Stage: 19th season. Sept. 8th – Sept. 29th showing *Who’s Afraid of Virginia Woolf*

ArtStock: On Oct. 12-13, 16 local artists will exhibit and sell their work at 10 different sites. Applications open TBA.

Royal Expressions: Professional company on hiatus to look for support. Striving to be a leader in the dance community. Performing at the African American Cultural Festival in Raleigh on Labor Day weekend.

Downtown Greenway: Freedom Cornerstone: Call to Artists for the design of a Public Art Cornerstone, including site design, for the downtown greenway. For information, visit downtowngreenway.org/freedom-cornerstone/

AG Grants – Grant programs are coming up: Regional Artist Project Grant (RAG) Applications are due in mid-September. For more information, visit www.artsgreensboro.org/rapg. Teacher Artist Grant (TAG) will post application in September. For more information, visit www.artsgreensboro.org/tag. For grant questions, please email Chip Berry at grants@artsgreensboro.org.

Bel Canto Company– Joyful Noise concert on Oct. 12 & 14. Collaborating and partnering with high school choirs. Looking at other opportunities to collaborate and connect with other neighborhoods and areas.

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NC Dance Festival: Saturday, October 19, 2019 in Durham

AG Calendar: The 336 e-blast is sent out on the 15th of every month. To make sure your event is on the 366 e-blast, be sure to submit your event listings and images to the ArtsGreensboro calendar by the 12th of every month. For more information about how to submit your event to the AG calendar, please contact Olivia Leaven at oleaven@artsgreensboro.org.