

ORA Steering Committee Meeting March 11, 2015

Members: Eddy, Esther, Brauna, Diane F., Glenn, Sharon, Diane M.

Next meeting...April 8, 2015 at MJCC

We still don't have a date for COA

We are waiting to hear from Bethany about a date. Eddy to stay in contact with her and try to get a meeting with the new man in charge of the MJCC

PSU Capstone - Esther update

We have completed a full grant application and the students from PSU have done a great job. That is going in the mail today. A letter of interest is going to the Zydell Foundation. Now we wait. It will take a few months to hear a result.

Esther to send Diane F. the new mission statement.

Geezer Gallery update

We will have great representation. Many people have challenged themselves and created new art. It is very exciting.

Eddy talked about cross-connecting with other Jewish art groups around the country. The group in Florida is not a sales group. They span all the arts and get together to spark each other's creativity. Once a month Reb Goldie will unpack a bit of text and artists do a teaching. Reb Goldie is coming to Portland this fall and is willing to do a workshop/text study with us.

Checking in with our membership to see if people would do the COA if we did not have the Sat. night. Diane F. To send a simple e-mail and see who responds. We will call the people who don't reply.

August 23rd is the Bagel On at Kol Ami. Sharon will send it out to membership.

Trunk Show: We are waiting for a date from Laurie.
There is a motion for the \$50 sealing to be lifted. It passed. Each artist will bring what they want and price the way they want.

Storage space

We need a 5x5 storage space. Sharon will send a note to membership.

Event Space

Also we need to identify an east side event location. The acquisitions person to check

We can ask the capstone group to write a new grant that can help us rent a space on the east side.

April Meeting

Dedicate next meeting to craft how to get every member involved with something

Individual membership rolls

Plan our annual meeting

Jurying new artists