

Local Clay – Board Meeting

2-20-2024, 7:30 pm, via Zoom

In attendance: Ziggy Blum, Windy Adoretti, iphonenancy, Robin Sanchez, Emily Bellehumeur, RitaB, Samantha Bullis, Cathy McGrath, Faith Rahill, Frank Gosar, Laura Wikane, Lee Dwyer, Megan Anderson

Agenda:

Elections & Budget

Budget:

Last year we budgeted \$3,440 – (including \$2500 for clay in ED) \$11K in the bank

Spent 1,668.50 last year

Memberships brought in \$2400 last year

Laura proposed a similar budget this year plus \$400 for programs.

Lee Dwyer motion to approve

Laura Wilkane second

Motion approved.

\$4,390 = new top line # (includes \$2500 to Clay in Ed, \$400 for programs)

Motion passed

Elections:

Ziggy Blum – Wants to step down from being President. Any volunteers? Need an acting president until someone can be recruited.

Samantha Bullis – Volunteer for LC Programs Chair

Emily Bellehumeur – Volunteer for LC Secretary, meeting minutes & any LC events/newsletters

Laura Wikane – Willing to help recruit members for the open roles. Also Clay Fest Chair

Robin - Willing to be treasurer for one more year.

Webmaster – Windy Adoretti (joint position for Local Clay & Clay Fest)

Outreach – vacant?

President - vacant

Clay in Education – vacant?

Slate approved as listed above

Other discussion:

Need a programs chair. Do a picnic again? In the past spent \$\$ on workshops. These always lost money.

Hold more meetings in person going forward. Need to meet three times per year.

What is the best way to send out emails to members? (The list comes out of square based on who has paid for the year.)

Need a clear mission and purpose. Celebrate local potters. Put on Clay Fest show.

Hold an outdoor even in the summer.

Next meeting after April (after showcase)

Motion to adjourn & seconded. 8:05