

WBAI LSB Outreach and Fundraising Taskforce Meeting Notes. The meeting was held on Monday July 10, 2023.

In attendance were:

Stanley Blackwell
Rachel Barr
Kay Williams
Joanie De Lorenzo
Bruce Greif
John Brinkley
Maat
Eleanor Elizabeth Forman

The meeting was called to order by John Brinkley at 7:19PM.

The Timekeeper was Bruce Grief as Hazel had a family issue.

Roll call was taken by Rache Barr for one minute.

There was a motion to approve the agenda which Bruce and Rachel supported. Agenda was accepted.

Rachel read out the minutes from the meeting held on June 26 as she was unable to share the screen. The minutes were accepted by Bruce.

1-International African Arts Festival:

Bruce purchased a banner and mailed it to Rachel. We could not get a table at the IAAF because there was no folding table or folding chairs that we would have needed so we will work on getting a folding table and 2 folding chairs. Rachel brought flyers and gave them out to vendors and attendees and talked to people about WBAI. Rachel mailed the banner she received from Bruce to 388. It arrived there on Wed July 12. Thank you, Bruce

Bartering: Bruce said that he needs to talk with the GM regarding bartering and get him to understand it and agree to it. It cost \$250 for a 15 SECOND PSA. Bruce raised communicating with the Queens Courier newspaper as well as the Brooklyn Eagle. The bartering needs to be explained to the GM and the PD -we need to get some people to do this Bruce will send a plan about this to John B and we can then discuss it

Good Search-Darryl was not present

Auction:

Bruce spoke to DeeDee Halleck, the Chair of the LSB She is in favor of the online auction and we need to try to contact the person who has been holding the works of art which were not sold at the last online art auction that was held. We need to make sure that WBAI is not paying for storage space for the unsold art work

Underwriting: Bruce stated that he would pay for the fee for the Atlantic Antic Street Fair which is happening on Sunday Oct 1, rain or shine.

Kay talked about donating a table and chairs as did Bruce.

Town Hall: Bruce brought up having a Town Hall Open Meeting with Producers, staff and the listeners -a hybrid member Town Hall to just talk and get together. Eleanor stated that it wasn't fair for only members to be invited.

Delivery of Items to 388-Bruce asked John B to speak to the GM re: which mail carriers have access to the building aside from the US Postal Service.

Kay stated that she will purchase the items needed for the Atlantic Antic and ensure that items are delivered as she has the building code.

Joanie stated that she likes Bruce's idea of the Town Hall and Meeting the Producers

Maat stated that she wants to be removed from the Town Hall that Jim Dingeman is talking about. She said that she wants to do a different type of Town Hall.

Maat also stated that she is glad that the main phone line at WBAI works because now people can make basic calls to the radio station.

The next two meetings of the WBAI LSB LOFT will be on Monday, July 24 at 7:00PM and Monday August 14 at 7:00PM.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:25PM.

Notes respectfully submitted by Rachel Barr on Thursday, July 13, 2023.