FirePony Creative Society Board Meeting February 20, 2018 7:00pm EST

Attendees: Millie, Gandhi, Patty, Ursula, Karnak, Boru

Current Board members: Patty, Gandhi, Karnak, Boru, Millie, Ursula

Quorum - 4 people

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Begin - 7pm EST

## Agenda:

## **General Board**

- Check-ins
- Review and Approve January 22, 2018 Minutes
  - Vote: 6-0 yes
- Mid-Atlantic Leadership Conference
  - o Still finalizing contact with venue, waiting on info from Burning Man
  - Ranger curriculum won't be complete by MALC, so won't be able to host a BRC qualifying training at that time. Could do training for Regionals. Launch of Mid-Atlantic Regional Ranger Council?
  - http://firepony.org/malc2018/
- Community Art Grant Application
  - o FIGMENT Baltimore
  - Needed: Updated W9 (one signed by David Koren is from 2013)
  - o Requested: \$1200 out of \$2300-ish budget.
  - o Carol Park, accessible
  - Changing date from last year to overlap with more sports in the park on a Saturday.
  - Starting in the Spring, will be doing park clean-ups.
  - FIGMENT does not historically offer art grants to artists.
  - We might see additional community art grant requests coming from FIGMENT
  - o artists.
  - Precedent of funding FIGMENT DC and Philly.
  - Vote: Millie abstaining 5-0 Yes.
- Playa del Fuego
  - Art Grants BOD or PC decision?

- Can authorize up to what's remaining in art grant rollover funds, \$23k
- PC can decide whether to spend it all this year or not.
- 10% of ticket sales of this year's event, plus rollover, for next year.
- New art team coordinator, working to get art grant applications open.
- Voting on in coming PC whether using 1099 process vs reimbursements.
- Not sure where old PDF art team rules came from, may adopt more of CB quidelines.
- PDF Coordinator updates
  - Sanctuary, DPW, and WWW needed
    - Sanctuary Boru will reach out to Jen
  - DPW Karnak still looking
- Safety Team update
  - Sphere lead roles and responsibilities doc
    - Gandhi submitted an initial version, will revisit in summer 2018
    - Common element of safety sphere across all FirePony events
  - Need more info about how Rangers will be run at PDF
    - Gandhi to comm with Rat
  - Working copy of Safety Plan Draft
    - Need lots of additional info to fill in details.
    - Need list of assets on site, what will be there.
- Code of Conduct one for all FirePony events (see below)
- Work Weekends
  - This weekend if possible, check weather for better day.
- Fire Art Logistics
  - Guidelines for burnable art are generally the same.
  - Considerations:
    - Access to water, resources, suppression assets
    - Location
    - Atmosphere
    - Local laws / government policies
- Bryan is reviewing local government to get fire permit.
- Conduct Committee updates
  - Ready to vote No Table for this meeting
  - Updated needed: Do we have pricing and training designed for CC members?
- FirePony Website Launch
  - Logo competition
  - o Website
  - Technology and IP needs
  - o Name of newsletter?

- Finance Proposal
  - Vote needed on proposal: All in favor 6-0
- Constellation 2018 Planning
  - o Recruitment update
  - o finished or still need work?
  - Start working on Regional Rangers organization during/immediately after PDF
  - o (and IP consolidation) Constellation website migration to DreamHost
- Zoom account
  - 2nd account needed for planning calls and coordinators?
  - o \$15/mo
  - Vote: All in favor 6-0
- Upcoming PC calls
  - o BOD members must attend to transfer host status and enable Zoom recording.
  - o Tuesday, February 27, 7:30 p.m.
  - o Saturday, March 10, 12:00 noon
  - o Tuesday, March 27, 7:30 p.m.
- Upcoming BOD Calls
  - o Tuesday, March 20, 8pm EST
  - o Monday, April 2, 7pm EST
  - o Monday, May 14, 8pm EST
  - o Tuesday, June 5, 7pm EST