

HARRINGTON OPERA HOUSE SOCIETY
MINUTES
AUGUST 5, 2013

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Carol Giles at 7PM. In attendance were Billie & Gordon Herron, Bunny & Ed Haugan, Carol Giles, Bonnie Hardy, Cassandra Dick, Karen Robertson, Paul Charlton, Mark & Sheryl Stedman, Marge Womack and guest Tina Turner-Fisher. Sheryl read the minutes from the July meeting and Ed gave the treasurers report. Both reports were moved and seconded as given.

Tina Turner-Fisher showed some of her artwork. She will be having an art show in the Opera House Art room during the Fall Festival weekend. Set up will be Friday and Saturday Sept 28 will be the show. She gave the Opera House a couple of prints of her paintings to sell or auction off. A lot of her work is farm or aeronautical themes. She also is looking for a sight to paint an outdoor mural.

BUILDING: The stage lighting bar and lights are hung facing the stage and on the stage. We should have power to them soon. The next project is to hang the stage curtains. They will need to be cut, hemmed and cleaned. The bars that they will be hung from will need to be in place before any of the curtain measuring and cutting takes place. We received a bill for window in art room for \$863.51 with \$200 donated. Cleaning is needed soon in the auditorium; and with the scaffolding still up the wires on the stage can be removed. The drawings for the elevator are almost completely finished. Mark will get a quote for the sidewalk and ADA ramps from Midnight FinishingLLC, a concrete company. The Youth group did show up after all. Bonnie organized them into hauling a lot of stuff to the basement-thanks Bonnie and kids.

GRANTS: We received a \$2000 grant from US Bank to replace the Art room and Lobby doors. Billie needs in-kind forms ASAP to turn in for the Building for the Arts grant. The Lincoln County Rural Development grant is due the end of September.

EVENTS: The Grand Interlude with Steve and Becky Hardy will be Sept 22 in the afternoon. Dr. Wagner and Dr. Gray are on board again. Tina Turner-Fisher will have a show in the Art room on Sept28 during the day. Carol will not have a dog wash this fall. There was some talk about Peter Davenport presenting a UFO lecture in the Opera House soon.

Carol adjourned the meeting at 8:15. The next meeting will be September 9, 2013 at 7PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Sheryl Stedman, Secretary