



Arts Education Committee Meeting Notes
Tuesday, May 16, 2017, 1-2pm
BCA Center, 3rd floor classroom

In Attendance: Rachel Kahn-Fogel, Lori Rowe, Melissa Steady, Dana vanderHeyden, Chris Vaughn, Michael Watson, Kiersten Williams (secretary) and Mary Zompetti

Discussion:

- BCA on the move! updates and timeline - may be delay in facility being ready for camps weeks 1 and 2 and we will know more in the next few weeks and the education **team is working on a "Plan B" scenario.**
- Winter/Spring '17 Classes - brought in what was projected, lower than last year due to less classes due to the studio move
- **Summer Camp '17** - 430 campers currently enrolled, down about 40 campers, to be expected with fewer camps offered the first couple of weeks due to move. Training brand new camp staff - Camp Coordinator, Camp Assistant, Aftercare Instructors
- Shared upcoming BCA Events and continuing education work - Early Arts, Art from the Heart, IAA residencies (photo project with reception & 5th grade legacy project), CAEC final party
- Discussion of the strengths and weaknesses of our offerings and future improvements
- **Introduced committee to Andrew Krebbs, BCA's new Communication Director**
- Committee value, activity and help

Upcoming BCA Education Events of note:

- "Eat Cake with CAEC" Teacher Networking event on Wednesday, May 17 from 5:30-7:30pm, Flynn Center
- IAA Family Photo Project reception, Tuesday, May 23 from 4-6pm, City Hall
- Camp Instructor and Staff Training, Tuesday, June 6 from 5:30-7:30pm, 3CR-BCA Center

Next Meeting:

- June 20, TIME + LOCATION TBD

Arts Education Committee

The Arts Education Committee includes 6 board and non-board members and meets 6 times annually. Members of the Arts Education Committee provide experience and expertise in various aspects of life-long learning and connect BCA programs to trends and themes in arts education. The committee evaluates, advises and guides the art education programs, which include education studios,

classes, camps and workshops, school artist-in-residence programs at IAA and with Head Start, afterschool programs and Art from the Heart at UVM Medical Center.