

Arts Education Committee Meeting Notes Tuesday, November 14, 2017, 1:30-2:30pm BCA Studios, 405 Pine Street

**Education Committee 11.14.17** 

In Attendance: Dana vanderHeyden, Barbara Perry, Rachel Kahn-Fogel, Michael Metz, Mary Zompetti, Lori Rowe, Kiersten Williams (note taker), Alissa Faber, Rebecca Schwarz, Deb Wilkinson (AFTH volunteer), Kate McKernan

- Financial Portrait-Data! FY 17 had no clay or print studio, FY 18 looking positive, camp 17 went well, summer adult waitlist were large, projected well. Fall better than last year
- New space NOT bigger, lost seats, improve experience
- Welcome Kate McKernan- new Drawing, Painting & Print Program Assistant
- Opening studio access new for Drawing & Painting starting in January
- Print Studio Safety Concerns SDS Forms, safety training, first aid kits & best practices are part of our ongoing strive towards having safe and healthy studios
- BCA Studios focus on education and are not designed as production studios
- Melissa will be adding Studio Access Membership numbers to annual financial reports
- Farrell Vending business sold, studios need a custodial staff
- Help from Committee-High School Photo program needs used digital cameras, Mary will follow up with email
- Kiersten will email upcoming classes to committee for committee members to help with promotion of classes
- Art From The Heart -served 5000 patients last year

## Upcoming BCA Education Events of note:

## Next Meetings:

Tuesday, January 16, 2018, 1:30-2:30pm (Board Meeting: 3-5 pm at BCA Center) Tuesday, March 20, 2018, 1:30-2:30pm (Board Meeting: 3-5 pm at BCA Center) Tuesday, May 15, 2018, 1:30-2:30pm (Board Meeting: 3-5 pm at BCA Center) Tuesday, June 19, 2018, 1:30-2:30pm (Board Meeting: 3-5 pm at BCA Center)

## **Arts Education Committee**

The Arts Education Committee includes BCA board members 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.