

## New Marlborough Cultural Council Meeting Minutes-November 12, 2020

A telephonic board meeting of the New Marlborough Cultural Council was called to order at 4:15 by Nancy Barbe.

Present were Chairman Nancy Barbe, Treasurer Richard Long, Secretary Margie Shapiro, Linda Fass, Wendy Miller, Marjorie Robbins and Alice Fahs and guest Louise Yohalem.

The minutes were accepted with corrections.

Treasurer's report was submitted and accepted. At present there is a net fund balance of \$16,004.59.

A motion was made and passed unanimously to rescind the grant to Bad News Jazz Orchestra.

The application process has been moved back because the state has not yet adopted a budget. Our deadline for grant applications is December 14<sup>th</sup>. Our next board meeting on Thursday, January 14<sup>th</sup> will be grant award day.

It was decided after a brief discussion that our priorities for grant approval will remain as written but that we will ask applicants how they will accommodate Covid restrictions if they remain in effect when programs are scheduled.

NMCC solicitation letter will go out shortly. Nancy is bringing it to Kwik Print tomorrow, and she will also post the letter on Maggie's List with a link to donate button on our website.

Wendy was thanked for the enormous amount of time she spent updating the mailing list.

Respectfully submitted

Marjorie Shapiro