

## **Visual Arts Booster Minutes October 1, 2015**

**Attendees:** Cheryl Smith, Gep Pond, Joshua Cornwell, Sherry Meachum

**Treasurer's Report:** \$15,900 current bank balance, still some checks to deposit  
Gep sent out an updated class fees paid list for teachers

**VAB Executive Board:** Unanimous vote yes for Courtney BrownFish as VP

**Teacher Class Updates** - Rebecca Gill won 1st place CMS MS at the Fest in the Park

**Classroom needs:** VAB donating Keurig for art teachers, donations of coffee welcome

Print Washer needed for photography - range \$35 - \$650

Gep to order Mr Wilson's class order ASAP

New equipment for printmaking - pressure washer

ceramics/jewelry - sandblaster

Lighting Stands / Light box, 3D photos grey backdrop - purchase soon for Scholastics

Water heater for photography - looking for a more permanent solution

3D printer on Donors Choose, Mr Wilson and Mrs Slater working on this

Cheryl to check status of gallery in the auditorium

Place glass pedestals for display at school and have filled

**2016 Business Showcase March 16, 2016-** voted yes to contribute \$60

Mr Nagel is securing a booth at this exhibit for NWSA/all boosters asked to contribute

Possible slideshow, poster, photo album of Visual Arts

### **Calendar:**

MS Show - Dec 8 - Jan10 - Cheryl to create timeline

Scholastics - Dec-Jan

HS Show - April 2016 - SS MacMillan Gallery? - Cheryl to confirm

- possibly artwork for sale for fundraising - even if families purchase student work

AP Submissions- early May

**Visiting Artists/Field trips:**

Need dates for Spring - Paul Keysar is the artist - suggest Mid May

Mr Wilson planning to take AP students 12-15 to paint at Latta Plantation

Possibly borrow outdoor easels

Mr Cornwell planning fibers visiting artist

**Open House / Audition/Recruitment:** Conrad

**Portfolio Process:** Create new video for portfolio guidelines, new VAB poster

**Technology** - Digital class - Creative Cloud - 25 students \$6-7000 per year for software

Purchase laptops with wifi - need to find out details for classroom options

Trying to plan for next school year.

Use google drive to share Visual Arts photos

**Fundraising:** Need fundraiser for current year - possibly Mosaics

Painting bus lot fence to raise funds - need a volunteer to organize

Visual Arts Website [www.NWSAVAB.com](http://www.NWSAVAB.com)