

HUMAN RELATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING

TOWN OF SOUTH WINDSOR

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Library Seminar Room – South Windsor Public Library

1. Call Meeting to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

2. Roll Call

Members Present: Mary Etter
Charlie Margolis
Beena Pandit

Also Present: Elizabeth McGuire

3. Approval of Minutes

None

4. Annual Photo Contest

Review 2016/2017 – 58 photos (most ever), 21 photographers. Awards Ceremony attendance was 41. Theme 2017/2018 – a theme will need to be chosen for the next contest.

5. Poetry Day – April 9, 2017

Featured reader – Danielle Pieratti & SWHS students

Performers: Ross Novgard Jazz Trio

Poetry Month – Charlie has requested that Mayor Mirek consider issuing a proclamation in honor of Poetry Month.

Publicity – Karen Wagner will send a press release.

6. Art Bench Project

SWHA submission was approved.

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7. Miscellaneous

A discussion took place regarding "Civil Rights & Civility in the Post Election Era". Human Relations Commission will move forward with plans to hold a panel discussion at the time and place to be determined. Event will be conducted in accordance with Town Charter and FOI requirements.

Human Relations Commission members will received notice of special meeting.

8. Adjournment

At 8:38 p.m. the meeting was adjourned.