



AENT

Agenda for Meeting Friday 10th December

4.30 pm at the Ski Club.

Attendees- Lucy Found, Mandy Rains, Sam Galletly, Alison Dowell, Veronica Hodges, Jane Kennedy.

Apologies- Korin Lesh

Minutes from the last meeting- Accepted

Agenda Items:

1. Festival of Teaching 28th Aug- Report back

- Good feedback about the workshops. Well attended and filled up fast.
- Key note speakers were excellent
- Some members not in schools didn't know about FOT, so may need to be better publicised or communicated.

2. Workshop Feedback

- **Zart Online Conference: Nurturing Creativity**
 - This workshop was excellent and valuable. Hoping there is another one next year.
 - Timely with changes to Aus. Curriculum First Nations Content.
 - Packs were excellent as were books and resources included.
 - Presenters and key note speakers were high quality
 - Lucy wrote an article about AENT experience with workshop to be published in ZART newsletter.
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- Weaving workshop.
 - Mixed reviews of workshop. Mainly valuable, but organiser was somewhat eccentric and a bit disorganised.
 - Learning and experience gained overall worthwhile.
- CDU Workshops
 - Great overall, especially the Winsome Jobling workshop. Shilo, Botanical watercolour (Anastasia?), Kaye Strange draw by touch, workshops and also

very good.

- Some could be longer, as 1.5 hrs not long enough to grasp some concepts and techniques

3. Workshops for 2022- Ideas?

- Winsome Jobling, Jasmine Jan, Paper bowl workshop at Tactile Arts Adrienne Wade's Icon workshop, Janey Andrews.
- Lucy may be doing a Photogravure (Similar to Solar etching) workshop at the Baldessin Press in Victoria with Sylvie Glatauer. Jane K has done this and it's brilliant. Would be great to reach out to this organisation.

4. Member's exhibition 2022

- DVA were pretty good overall after we figured their rules on hanging artwork.
- Jane K to contact Lynda at DVA RE: a date for next year. Proposals are now open.
- What dates could work for next year? Last year worked well, in May, one week before Mother's day?
- Matty Van Roden as a speaker was brilliant.
- Can we get the Jigsaw collective again. Always a hit!
- Last years' exhibition was very well received. Open was a great celebration of all that we do.

5. ACARA- Arts Curriculum Update- Jane

- Final Drafts have been reviewed and due to go live early next year, pending Education minister's approval.
- New website format looks good and easier to navigate. Better alignment.
- We have one year to implement. No huge changes, mainly adjustments needed to current curriculum plans.
- New First Nations Content Description.

6. Gallery partnerships- CDU and NCCA

- CDU what we get looks great with the membership. Is it value for money?
- We can get the funding if we want to do it.
- Korin- Recommend that we action. \$600. Agree.
- NCCA- Korin and Jane spoke to Petrit. He is enthusiastic about partnering with us and we will talk more about art educator preview nights and artist talks in the Gallery after hours.

7. Web Resources

- We will continue to develop resources for the website and will look to doing this next year.

8. Finances- Korin

- Thanks So much Korin for sending through to Jane.
- Our balance to date is \$6339.33
- Our total income this year to date is- \$18598.55
- Our workshop expenses to date are \$17194.96
- Covid Grant doesn't need to be acquitted.

9. Any other Business?

- **Exit Arts-** Lucy said it was a great experience
- What are our thoughts about the inclusion of COMsB students? The Coms B Student this year was very strong. Note the Exit Arts is judged on merit of the individual works. Is it excluding remote Indigenous students if we don't include?
- **Meetings and AGMs.** Constitution says 4 per year plus one AGM. We have had the required amount this year. Easier if we do one per term, easy to keep track of.

10. Christmas celebrations!

- Lovely to catch up before the end of the year. Merry Christmas!

