FARRAGUT ARTS COUNCIL MINUTES

Tuesday, May 1, 2018 – Farragut Town Hall

Attendees: Sandy Garber, Beverley Hammond, Nancy Wentz, Brittany Spencer (staff)
Absent: Jennifer Roche (on maternity leave)

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 4:00 PM by Sandy Garber, President.

Approval of the Minutes: The minutes were approved as presented.

Book Fest: Location was great for authors, as they were all in one concentrated space: take this into consideration for the layout at Founders Park next year. It was suggested to also investigate using the Common Area at Farragut High School as a fallback indoor location. Instead of doing hotdogs and popcorn next year, the possibility of inviting food trucks should be discussed. The craft supplies will probably need to be restocked for next year, and inventory of supplies was requested by all members. The author readings were also discussed: the conclusion was that this is a good addition to the event, but that we should consider 9 20-minute slots over three hours, or limit the number of authors that read by the order in which they sign up.

Pleasant Forest Cemetery Event: Brittany reported that eight of the nine parts have been cast, with one male part being played by a woman. Costumes are being accumulated; scripts are written. There will be an introduction given on the trolley en route to the cemetery. Trolley rides will be $5 a person; fee waived for under 5 years old; maximum charge for a family will be decided (either $15 or $20). Beverley will help out the passengers disembarking at the cemetery, as Nancy and Sandy will be unavailable. Hoping to enlist another ex-member to help. Brittany to supply duties of these persons.

Artist of the Month: Jill Crociata, our featured May/June Artist of the Month, has put her felt houses and paintings in the display cases.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 4:42 PM.

Respectfully submitted:
Nancy Wentz