



## Mar Vista Community Council



### AGENDA

Education, Arts & Culture Committee

<http://marvista.org/committees/edcultarts>

Tuesday, Dec 6th 2016, 6:00-7:30pm  
Mar Vista Library (12006 Venice Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90066)

1. Call to order 6:05pm
2. Introductions - WELCOME! Georgia, Rick, Rob, Robin, Lenore, Paola
3. Approval of 11/3/16 minutes (<http://marvista.org/committees/edcultarts>)

Motion: Robyn, 1st Lenore, 2nd Paola

4. Public Comment
5. Neighborhood Culture Report (Robin)

Mar Vista is becoming more cultured. More provocative.

6. Neighborhood Art Report (Lenore)

5TH Art walk was a huge success. 1500-2000 people! Big stack of passport assisted in collecting data in order to track walk-ability. By next Art Walk Bonin's Great Street pilot improvement project will be in play. Anticipating bigger audience with cross walks (5 within the length of the Art Walk). Increased budget to keep up with increase and traffic.

MV will be first community to implement murals onto pavement. 1st: Between post office on alley aprons and 2nd: across the street. 3rd: proposed sight on center of farmer's market. Other possible sights: Gateways of MV.

7. A: Discussion- Youth Inclusion Motion to come before E,A&C.

Next month Education, Arts and Culture Committee will open a Youth Representative to the EACC committee of the MVCC to be served by participation of young adults on the committee. It is important to encourage civic engagement for our youth. Two students, one from 8th grade to 10th grade, and 11th to 12th grade can offer an important and unique perspective that may not occur to adults. Young people need access to the MVCC concerning issues that come before the Education, Arts and Culture Committee. Therefore be it resolved that the Education, Arts and Culture Committee of the MVCC shall establish a youth representative as a leadership position within the Education, Arts and Culture Committee. EACC will write a letter of recommendation for youth member after their competition of a minimum of 7 meetings during their ten month school year.

Ideas: Allocation for a youth council for a youth member to provide incentive. Connect with other youth centered organizations. Rick and Paola volunteer to facilitate possible Youth committee if an when interest if there from Youth.

B. Update: Outreach of the local schools- Venice H.S.

Carolers from VHS.

C. NPG engagement: BOD has passed a budget which offers \$3,000 to MV neighborhood schools.

Schools will submit ideas created by their youth with a focus on any one of the following:

\*Community engagement or development

\*Public Safety (intolerance, sexual harrassment/assault, bullying {healthy relationships, etc.})

\*Community Bridge Building: General suggestions (youth/seniors, Immigration issues, LGBTQ issues, Homelessness, etc.)

-Teachers restate these options as age appropriate for your students.

Future Discussion: How are parents civically involved with the political environment and LAUSD and how can we support parents on becoming more so?

D. Discussion: Venice Swimming Pool: rehab and jurisdiction (LAUSD or LA City) issue the city has placed in writing they will pay 50% of the cost to rehab the Venice pool

as it is not included in the 65 -100 million dollar modernization project passed by LAUSD because the pool is part of a joint use land agreement between LAUSD and LA Recs and Parks

LA 24 new olympic committee will have the funds to create an olympic pool

Host a Del Rey/ Mar Vista/ Venice/ Palms forum: invite Zimmer and Bonin

we need a representative from Rec and Parks & LAUSD & Bonin

(mid- late feb) reach out to Len: VHS pool has come up as a persistent interest. Seeking a community meeting within the next quarter. When can Bonin make it happen?

## 9. Public Comment

Georgia: Mark Twain Holiday show 12/15 @ 1:30pm and 6pm. great influx of neighborhood students attending, thanks to parents of Friends of Walgrove, Beethoven, Coure-de- Alene. Great stories of connection and community.

## 10. Adjourn 7:38pm

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