



**ARTS & CULTURE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
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Thursday, February 6, 2020, 4:00 pm
Committee Room

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**ARTS & CULTURE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES**

Thursday, December 5, 2019
4:00 pm
Committee Room

- Present: F. Perkins, Chair
J. Grummett, Participant
S. Finamore, Member, Councilor
B. Hukezalie, Member
- Resources: K. Matuszewski, Co-ordinator Arts & Culture
D. Gagnon, CAO City of Elliot Lake
T. Dunlop, Director of Recreation & Culture, Acting Recording Secretary
- Regrets: R. Baird, Member
L. Finn, Vice Chair
D. Brandow, Recording Secretary
- Guests: T. Turner, Councilor
E. Ten Broek

1. ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 4:05pm.

2. DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST

None

3. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS

3.1 7 November 2019

Res#: 9/19

Moved By: J. Grummett

Seconded By: B. Hukezalie

That the minutes be accepted as read.

Carried

4. PUBLIC PRESENTATION

5. INTRODUCTION AND CONSIDERATION OF CORPORATE REPORTS

5.1 Coordinator of Arts & Culture Report

Christmas Concert

- 418 tickets sold
- 100+ cast & crew
- Challenging production
- ELATE donated backdrop
- Proceeds & food collected will be donated to the Foodbank

Civic Centre Tenants Christmas Tea on December 12th between 2-4pm

Gallery

- Will be closed for the winter months
- Only 9 members due to small space

Coffee House 31 January 2020

Arts & Culture Trade Show 22 February 2020

6. PRESENTATION OF COMMITTEE REPORTS

7. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

7.1 Cultural Plan

- One of many reasons for members to join the Arts & Culture Committee
- Small working group
- Demise of the Civic Centre put it on hold
- Work from the past could be used during a one-day session to update/formulate a new living document
- Chair requested a copy of Orillia's, Sault Ste. Marie's & Elliot Lake's cultural plan be sent to committee members
- A. Vlahovich with GIS project may be an avenue to pursue in 2020
- J. Ortise could assist with project

Cultural Plan Working Group meeting – 16 January 2020 9am to 4pm

7.2 Downtown Art

- Small working group met twice
- ARIEL has been asleep for a time, with the exception of the Gallery operation
- ARIEL has been approached to partner in the project
- Possible themes – Elliot Lake’s 65th anniversary and Mining History proposed on City property with a budget to approximately \$20,000 to be ready for spring or summer
- Instagram / Facebook project
- Next meeting – January

D. Gagnon suggested some historic photos of buildings in the 1950-1960s inside City Hall on staircase wall

Voyageur called D. Gagnon on details of the Downtown Art Project & is producing a story.

8. CORRESPONDENCE

9. PUBLIC QUESTION PERIOD

10. ADDENDUM

11. CLOSED SESSION

12. SCHEDULING OF NEXT MEETING

The next scheduled Arts & Culture Advisory Committee meeting is 6 February 2020.

13. ADJOURNMENT

Res#: 10/19

Moved By: S. Finamore

Seconded By: B. Hukezalie

That the meeting be adjourned at the hour of 5:10pm.

Carried



**DEPARTMENT
of
RECREATION & CULTURE
2019 YEAR END REPORT**

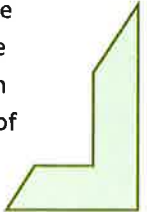
Prepared by
TERESA DUNLOP
Director of Recreation & Culture

January 2020





2019 was a year that was full of challenges; the roof collapse of the Civic Centre, the early closure of the Arena and the temporary closure of the Municipal Pool and Collins Hall. The Collins Hall has undergone some upgrades to accommodate the Performing Arts while continuing to host all the rentals and youth programs. The Recreation & Culture Department continued to deliver all the services that the citizens of Elliot Lake are accustomed to! Below are the year end statistics by facility.



Centennial Arena

512	hrs used for Minor Hockey
203	hrs used for Wildcats Hockey
149	hrs used for Public Skate and Shinny Hockey
70.5	hrs used by the Elliot Lake Skating Club
30	hrs used for Men's Hockey
55.5	hrs used for private rentals

Collins Hall

1596	"walkers" participated in the Walking Program
269	athletes participated in various youth sports
76	community rentals
19	private rentals

Welcome Centre / Civic Centre

4628 people visited the Welcome Centre sites, at the Civic Centre, and then at Collins Hall, as well as the summer trailer at Westview Trailer Park

Theatre

Civic Centre Theatre

The Civic Centre hosted 4 shows and 3 rehearsals with a total of 868 in attendance.

Collins Hall Theatre

The Theatre was moved to Collins Hall, which hosted 28 shows with a total of 6,433 audience members.

There was a total of **13** rehearsal dates for the above shows, with a total of **330** performers and a total of 18 hours of ELATE rehearsals.



Ruben Yli-Juuti Centre

30,233	total swimmers in the water!
4,727	paid admissions to the facility (including the fitness room)
283	memberships sold
18	community sponsored public swims
35	private rentals
12	school rentals
370	children enrolled in group swim lessons
172	children receiving private/semi-private swim lessons
7	participants in the Bronze Cross/Medallion course held in June
3	participants in the Bronze Cross/Medallion course held in September & October

Spruce and Spine Waterfronts opened on June 29th

Spine Beach saw **2614** people and Spruce Beach saw **7400!**

Museum

- 25 Admissions (Jan 1st - Feb 21st)
- 3 Participants for the Heritage Movie Marathon on Feb 22nd at the Library
- 32 Participants for the Diggers & Scoops Exhibit on Mar 11th at the Collins Hall

Decommissioned Mine Tours - June 25th & June 27th had **21 & 23** participants respectively

New location opened in December on Hillside – 30 people attended the open house event

Fire Tower Lookout and Ranger Heritage Centre

The Ranger Heritage Centre, located at the Fire Tower Lookout, stepped up to the plate to host some of our museum traffic. Visitors came from Arizona, Florida, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin, from Alberta, British Columbia, Manitoba, Nova Scotia, Quebec, Saskatchewan, all across Ontario and from Australia.

The Fire Tower Lookout recorded **6145** vehicles visiting the site.

Trailhead Information Centre

The traffic counter at the Trailhead recorded **6,849 vehicles**. 75% headed to Elliot Lake.



Westview Park and Trailer Park

30 park bookings
 220 campsite rentals

Most campers were very thankful for the later hours and convenience of having the Welcome Centre Trailer right at the park!

There was an average stay of 5 days at the trailer park.

Ball Fields

Baseball in this City is huge!

<u>Ball Fields</u>	<u>Total Hrs</u>
Parsons	314.25
Burley II	218.00
Burley I	17.50
Kiwanis	7.50
	<u>557.25</u>

Summer Day Camp

The Summer Day Camp was a blur! There was an overwhelming turnout and positive feedback from the parents. New this year was 2 different age groups; this enabled more age appropriate activities and therefore increased enjoyment!

A total of **113** kids took advantage of the program; with 55 children registered in the 5-7 age group and 58 in the 8-12 range.

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January 14, 2020

City Clerk
City of Elliot Lake
Hillside Drive N.
Elliot Lake . ON.

Dear Natalie,

It is with some regret that I must resign immediately from my position on the following city advisory committees:

Recreation Advisory Committee
Museum Board
Arts and Culture Advisory Committee

I have enjoyed my time on these committees and hope that my contribution to discussions and decisions has been useful.

My personal and family circumstances have changed so I am no longer able to give the time to these endeavours.

I wish the City well in all its future plans for the betterment of Elliot Lake.

Yours sincerely,

Fran Perkins