

Community Outreach Meeting Minutes 7/9/2025 5:15-6:15pm

Present: Charlotte Solly, Robb Talbott, Andreas Nicolades, Ruth Lever, Robb Poutre, Sean Behm

Apologies: Amy Flint

Agenda:

1. Fourth of July, - This was considered to be a successful event. We popped 42 tubes of popcorn and gave out over 200 bags to people up and down 1st Avenue watching the parade. We also promoted the 'Independence Day' Movie on 7/5 and the Three Musketeers Summer Camp. \$48 was taken in donations, which will be matched by Ting, making this is broadly speaking a cost neutral event.

2. Downtown Sandpoint Business Association - Boat Show, Crazy Days, Robb T had approached the DSBA re sponsorship of a movie for 2026, it was felt that there was not enough time for the Panida to put something together for this year. We discussed the possibility of doing a tabling event on July 26th and will brainstorm by email what material we want at hand and the focus of this event.

The Boat Show is July 11th, fundraising is organizing the auction of the donated boat.

Thank you to Amy Flint and Ruth Lever for running this event. Information was given re upcoming events, the '\$5 to keep it live' fundraiser and also some Theater tours were given.

3. Farmers Market

Charlotte had contacted Kim Spencer regarding a non profit space to promote information. It was felt this may have a similar feel to the Crazy Days event.

4. Summer Series Back Up Venue

Robb T gave the committee a handout with sponsorship information.

Charlotte asked how logistics would be handled at short notice with regards to volunteers etc for concessions.

Action: It was decided not to pursue this event due to the last minute nature of the event and the potential staffing costs.

5. New Events

Fall Fest at Schweitzer

Museum, potentially look to see if the Panida can work to sponsor some of the Museum event

Next Meeting Wednesday August 12th 5:15-6:15pm Panida Conference Room