

MAEA Board Meeting

February 5, 2009

(State Transportation Building – Boston)

Minutes taken by: June Krinsky-Rudder

Present: Greg Barry, Shirley Bloom, Helen Downey, Sarah Dugan, Eva Kearney, June Krinsky-Rudder, Tim O'Connor, Kristi Oliver, Liz Rudnick

Treasurer's Report: \$

Membership: 615 (January)

We really need to do a better job of communicating the benefits of membership/need to start advocating for the art programs.

Art All-State: Applications are in and things are going well. Getting ready for interviews, and looking for ways to save money, but still okay.

Art Educator Awards: Awards to be given for 2009-2010

Boston Globe Scholastic Art Awards:

Fall 2009 Conference: Switching to UMass. Dartmouth (Maureen will see if Site A is still interested for Fall 2010.)

Friday evening gallery walk?

1-day conference on a Saturday.

PDPs? Teach people how to recertify.

Link to MTA

Website: need to get up & running

Youth Art Month:

WAM – on track

Boston? – needs to get on the ball

Reception?

New Business:

MTA Advocacy meetings – to go out in email blast (cross pollination)

Nominating committee:

Must form nominating committee for MAEA offices.