

Amended: Truro Concert Committee Meeting Minutes, Nov. 13, 2023

Submitted by Charlo Maurer (up to “Programming”) and Michael Holt (the rest)
Present: Carl, Charlo, Tim, Michael, Ken, Anne, Pat, Nancy, Jim Bisceglia

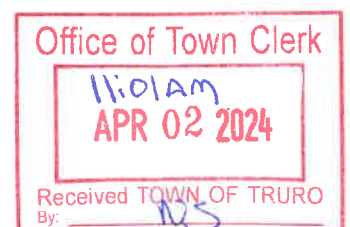
Last minutes (Oct 23)

- Approved

Our membership

- Pat will distribute the resignation forms and Ken will pass them out
- Jim Bisceglia is interested in joining
- Brief dialogue: should we welcome anyone who wants to join, or have criteria for membership?

Finance report



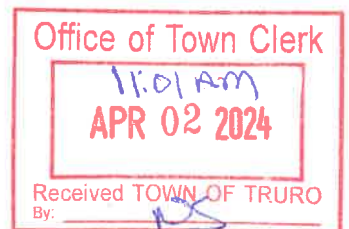
- Tricia is trying to find out what it means that she's now Fiscal Agent for library.
- Supposed to get fiscal reports but not getting them.
- No Truro Treasures allocation this year
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John Dundas' suggestion to have local up-and-coming musicians as opening acts

- In past, we had High School students as opening acts without pay, then ran out of interested students.
- Tim will organize acoustic acts performing 1-3 songs at 6:15 on the side.

Programming for 2024 season

- Need to pick two new acts; seven will return from previous seasons.
- We listen to a bit of each act on our list of possibles.
- Some conversation about considerations



such as fullness of sound, social diversity, money, and whether or not it's good to have an act like Red Hawk Singers & Dancers who teach from the stage rather than just performing.

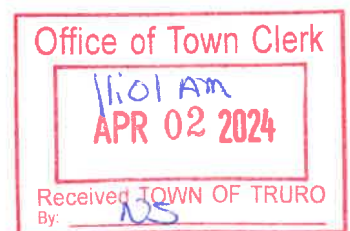
- We'll invite Dirty Water Dance Band and Tianna Esperanza. If they're not available or don't agree to our fee, we'll invite Sarah Burrill and/or Lucy Kaplansky (in that order).
- Ken will contact all the acts we've decided upon.

Budget

- We'll offer each act \$200 per member, up to \$800. Some solo or duo acts may be offered more than \$200 per member, subject to committee approval.

Gobo

- It would cost about \$270 for the projector



and \$80 for the gobo with one design for the whole season.

- We authorize Tim to purchase the Gobo up to \$300. We'll decide on the artwork later.

