

**CULTURE & ARTS COMMISSION  
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES  
FLAHERTY CONFERENCE ROOM, SEYMOUR, CT 06483  
1 First Street, Seymour, CT 06483  
Tuesday November 11, 2025 - 7:00 P.M.**

**Members Present:** Judy Simpson, Priscilla Altorelli, Linda Bellavance, Crystal Richard, and Diane Ricciardi

**Members Absent:** Theresa Dunlop, Val D'Anna

**Call to Order:** Judy Simpson (7:00)

- **Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance**

J. Simpson called the meeting to order at 7:00

All present stood and recited to Pledge of Allegiance

- **Approval of October Minutes**

October minutes approved with corrections by P. Altorelli and second by L. Bellavance.

- **Treasurer's Report**

P. Altorelli reviewed the 2025-2026 budget to date with balance for Contracted Services \$21595.49 and Supplies balance \$240.45. Treasurer report approved by D. Ricciardi and second by L. Bellavance.

- **Fall Activates**

All Scarecrows will be removed by the Public Works Department and ready for storage as of 11/16.

- **Winter Activities**

Park, train station, Town Hall and adopt a spot-decorating will begin on 11/23

Santa's Seymour Visit-Dec. 6th Saturday, 4:30-7:30.

Santa will arrive at approx. 6:15 via train. Pictures with Santa at American Legion. Tree Lighting. Great Hill Firehouse will be serving free Coffee and Hot Choc. Citizen Firehouse will be cooking Hot Dogs. Free Bicycle raffle-offered by Seymour Lions Club. Basement Systems is sponsoring Petting Zoo and Pony Rides. Face Painting provided by Giggling Pig.(4:30-7:30). Pixie Party CT will also be available for hair tinsel. Letter writing to Santa will be done at the Town Hall and then mailed at the Post office.

Christmas Flyers were delivered to both schools on 11/17

- **Chairman's Report**

Senior concerts are all taken care of.

Schedule for 2026 summer concerts-7 concerts in total. Jun 6<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>, July 11<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>, August 8<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>, and Sept 5<sup>th</sup>. Concerts have all been booked and contracts are going out in Dec..

- **Adjournment**

J.Simpson requested a motion for meeting adjournment (8:20). D. Ricciardi made a motion and second by P. Altorelli.

Minutes: Respectfully submitted by Diane Ricciardi

SEYMOUR CULTURE & ARTS COMMISSION  
MEETING DATES 2026  
ALL MEETINGS AT 7:00 P.M.  
FLAHERTY CONFERENCE ROOM

January 13, 2026

February 10, 2026

March 10, 2026

April 14, 2026

May 12, 2026

June 9, 2026

July 14, 2026

August 11, 2026

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