



**CITY OF LYNNWOOD ARTS COMMISSION
AGENDA**

JUNE 16, 2026 6:30PM

PHYSICAL LOCATION: Lynnwood Senior Center

ONLINE: <https://v.ringcentral.com/join/616668943?pw=4fe0f66f34529eb1f29a5b89960f577e>

- 10. CALL TO ORDER / RECORDING (Announce date/time/AC meeting)
- 20. ROLL CALL

	Kalen Knowles	Nick Coelho, Council Liaison
	Tiffany Grunzel, Vice Chair	
	Katie Zeitler, Secretary	Fred Wong, Arts, Culture & Heritage Coord (ACH)
	Robert Gutcheck	Marielle Harrington, Healthy Communities Supervisor
	Rhiannon Kruse, Chair	
	Lynn Hanson	
	Raniere	

- 30. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – May 19, 2026
- 40. COMMISSIONER & AD HOC REPORTS
- 50. CITIZEN COMMENTS
- 60. STAFF REPORT
- 70. BUSINESS ITEMS
 - 70.1 Lynnwood Idol 2026 (recap & Celebrate) 5 min
 - 70.2 Soccer Balls Art project (Rec Center & reception) 5 min
 - 70.3 Lynnwood Artists Show (recap) 10 min
 - 70.4 “Lynnwood Coop” magazine (next issue & submission) 10 min
 - 70.5 Art of Food & Wine / Paint & Sip / Gingerbread event 10 min
 - 70.6 New Art projects: Mural / Signal Box / Trash Cans 10 min
 - 70.7 AC meeting (Date Change to August 26, Vote) 5 min
- 80. COUNCIL LIAISON REPORT / COMMENTS
- 90. FUTURE BUSINESS
- 100. ADJOURNMENT

Upcoming Meetings:

July 21, 2026, Lynnwood Senior Center & ONLINE, 6:30-8:30pm

The public is invited to attend. Parking and meeting rooms are accessible for persons with disabilities. Contact the City at 670-5502 with 24-hours advance notice for special accommodations.

Land Acknowledgement: “We acknowledge that the City of Lynnwood is located on the traditional lands of the Snohomish People and the confederation of Tulalip Tribes and their families. For generations, these Indigenous communities have lived on this land, and we recognize, support, and advocate alongside them.

We also acknowledge the forced removal of Indigenous communities from their Homelands as a result of the 1855 Treaty of Point Elliott. We understand that Land Acknowledgements are only the first step in our efforts to support Coast Salish tribes and educate non-Natives about their lived history. We strive to achieve this through building relationships with Indigenous communities, supporting Indigenous commerce, government-to-government partnerships, and lifting indigenous voices to create equity for all.

Through these actions, we hope to not only pay respect to the past but also collaborate in creating a sustainable future, hand in hand with the first protectors of our shared environment”.

Future Business Items and Events Calendar

Revised 6/11/2026

MEETING DATE (2026)	TIME	ITEM	LOCATION
June 16	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
July 21	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
August 18	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
September 15	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
October 20	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
November 17	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
December 15	6:30-8:30pm	Election of Officers	Lynnwood Senior Center
Thru June 22	9am-4pm M-F	Art Exhibit: "Flight Patterns"	Lynnwood Event Center
June 11	5:30-7pm	Lynnwood Artists Show, Reception	City Hall lobby
June 17, July 8, July 29	2-8pm vendors 6-8pm concert	Summer Sounds	The District Event Center
June 19	10AM - 3PM	Juneteenth	Cedar Valley Community School
June 26	6-9pm	Celebrate	Alderwood Mall
July 11	10am – 2pm	History & Heritage Day	Heritage Park
July 16, 23, 30	7-9pm	Shakespeare in the Park	Lynndale Park Amphitheater
September 12	10am – 2pm	Fair on 44th	
future		Art/Farmers Market	
2027 TBD		The Art of Food & Wine	
		LINKS TO MORE EVENTS	

Galleries schedules

City Hall	Monday, 9:30AM
Blaine Amidon	1/5/2026
J. Dario Pinto	1/5/2026
WA Chinese Painting and Calligraphy Art Research Association	2/9/2026
Gale Johansen	3/16/2026
Marcus Shriver	3/16/2026
Christopher Mitchell	4/20/2026
Laurie Miller	4/20/2026
Lynnwood Artists	6/1/2026
Melynda Hayes	7/13/2026
Susan Akers-Smith	7/13/2026
Cooper Miller	8/24/2026
JOSE CASTRO	8/24/2026
Brazen Bradazzle (Decorate Event at Library on 9/26)	9/28/2026
Elaine Woodhouse	11/2/2026
Mike Hipple	11/2/2026
Suze Woolf	12/7/2026
Tracy Wallschlaeger	12/7/2026

Rec Center	Monday, 9:30AM
Daniel Lee	1/12/2026
Sharan Grewal	2/23/2026
Wei Ning Huang	4/6/2026
Josephine Olivia Lohn-Thomas	5/18/2026
Amelia Wang	6/29/2026
Erin Li	8/10/2026
Kaylee Hu	9/21/2026
Cynthia Gao	11/16/2026

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10. CALL TO ORDER at 6:33pm

20. ROLL CALL

X	Kalen Knowles		Bryce Owings, Council Liaison
X	Tiffany Grunzel, Vice Chair		
X	Katie Zeitler, Secretary	X	Fred Wong, Arts, Cultural & Heritage Coordinator (ACHC)
X	Robert Gutcheck		
X	Rhiannon Kruse, Chair		
X	Lynn Hanson		
X	Raniere		

30. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

R Gutcheck motioned, T Grunzel seconded; April 21, 2026 minutes unanimously approved.

40. COMMISSIONER & AD HOC REPORTS

- L. Hanson shared about an art show in NY featuring work that had never been shown outside of Italy, and staying at a boutique hotel designed by Kit Kemp.
- K. Knowles announced they accepted a new full-time position as Operations Supervisor for the IMAX theater at the Space Needle, commuting via light rail and monorail.

50. CITIZEN COMMENTS - None

60. STAFF REPORT

- Volunteer dinner is this Thursday. Commissioners are encouraged to attend.
- Tour of Lynnwood jail scheduled for Thursday, May 21 at noon.
- City Center Park Open House on May 28 at the library. The park will be located where the Goodwill building currently stands.
- Lynnwood Idol Finals on May 31.
- City Pride event on June 6.
- Lynnwood Artist Show Reception on June 11.
- Summer Sounds at The District Event Center: June 17, July 8, and July 29 (Wednesdays). Vendors 2–8 PM, bands 6–8 PM. Vendors may apply.
- Public Art Archive (archive.org) – F. Wong suggested commissioners explore the site for potential submissions about our public art.

70. BUSINESS ITEM

70.1 Lynnwood Idol 2026 (Finals logistics)

- Group 1 (K-5th) includes an alternate contestant in case of a last-minute withdrawal.
- Last year K-5th winner Conor Sullivan will perform for both groups.
- R. Kruse will not be able to attend Celebrate (performing on a Disney cruise). T. Grunzel and Raniere will represent the Arts Commission.

70.2 Soccer Balls Art project (party date)

- Balls will be on display at City Hall from about June 6–July 19. Takedown is July 20–24.
- Party/Reception at City Hall set for July 28, 5:30–7:30 PM. K. Knowles is unavailable.

70.3 Lynnwood Artists Show (June 1 & 11)

- June 1: Gallery changeover. R. Gutcheck plans to arrive at 9 AM to assist.
- June 11: Reception at 5:30 PM. T. Grunzel available to assist set up at 5:00 PM.

70.4 “Lynnwood Coop” magazine (next issue)

- Assignments: Artist Spotlight/Craig van den Bosch (K. Zeitler); Lynnwood Idol Recap (R. Kruse); Artists Show Recap (T. Grunzel); Paper Field Trip (Raniere); DIY Project (K. Knowles).
- Future ideas: spotlight on muralists, feature on the jail/Community Justice Center art.
- Readership: approximately 75 downloads tracked so far (via city IT/Google Analytics).
- Distribution ideas: QR code mini-flyers for dog parks, Diamond Knot Brewing community board, Lynnwood Idol, Pride event, tabling events. F. Wong will provide printed flyers. Suggestion to create buttons with QR code.

70.5 City Pride (1-4, 6/6), Art of Food & Wine / Paint & Sip / Gingerbread event

- City Pride: LAC members plan to dress up, and make pennants/decorations.
- Paint & Sip: T. Grunzel is scoping out a family Paint & Sip at YMCA in Shoreline. Peace of Mind Brewery is a potential family-friendly venue; a local artist already teaches there.

70.6 New Art projects: Mural / Signal Box / Trash Cans

- Senior Center / Community Garden Mural – Artists Alex Nason and Tori Shao plan to paint on a panel (or another alternative) to attach to the bricks (e.g., panels).
- Bear-Proof Trash Cans – Three bear/human-proof trash cans have been installed at Lynndale, South Lynnwood, and Scriber Lake Parks. Wrap Ideas: monsters with mouths around the opening, the 3 bears, raccoons stealing trash, robots, piano keys, eyes/mouths, Wall-E-style design, natural/local wildlife themes.
- Signal Box – No new updates.

70.7 AC meeting (August Date Change)

- Regular August meeting rescheduled to Wednesday, August 26, 2026 at 6:30 PM.

80. COUNCIL LIAISON REPORT - None

90. FUTURE BUSINESS - None

100. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 7:43pm

Staff Report (Program & Project Updates)

DATE: June 11, 2026

TO: Arts Commission

FROM: Fred Wong, Community Programs Coordinator

Commission Member Recruitment

No vacancy. [Info and to apply here](#).

Art Exhibits

City Hall: Lynnwood Artists Show. Rec Center: Josephine Olivia Lohn-Thomas. Lynnwood Artists Show – reception is June 11.

Farmers/Art Market – Planning for 2025 and 2026 has stopped. Chamber is leading the way to host a market. They are looking to hire a market manager.

Artist Opportunities

Raising Cane.

Soccer – FIFA world cup art project

- Won grant to Economic Alliance Snohomish County for \$6,500. Balls were installed at Rec Center. Auction is getting set up. Reception is on July 28, 5:30-7:30pm

Lynnwood Idol

Finals were amazing. 20 performed. Judges chose 1, 2, 3 for each age group.

City Pride

- City on June 6 was wonderful. Thanks Kalen, Katie, Raniere, Tiffany.

LSC/Farmers Market - Mural

- Selected Tori Shao/Alex Nason. Ideas given to staff about painting ground.

City Budget

- Currently at 15% reduction. 2027-28 budget to begin soon.

Signal Box Wrap Project

- Snohomish Tribe Box: location at 168th and 44th is done. Big box wrap will be removed.
- Working on box about history of eggs/chicken/poultry/farms near Barnes & Noble.
- Future boxes: newspapers/radio stations, significant businesses, fairgrounds, rodeos, Edmonds College, Edmonds School District's sports Wall of Honors, homesteaders, South Lynnwood, Lund's Gulch. Working on eggs/chicken/poultry box.
- Trash Cans: Scriber Lake Park entrance at 53rd. South Lynnwood Park. Lynndale Park.

www.publicartarchive.org

Check it out. Submit our art projects.