



Dear Ladies: I am so honored to serve as you Chair for the next 2 years. A lot of you know me and my years of musical theater, acting and film. singing in a band and also as a dancer. So now it is my time to bring awareness and opportunities on how we can promote the Arts state wide and how we can incorporate the Arts to benefit people with special needs in our President's project.

This year will be very challenging to attend films theater concerts music and museums in person but with breakdowns comes Breakthroughs. I want you to think outside the box in our new virtual zoom digital world.

Here are some ideas:

- There are many Virtual museum tours and art classes online. Why don't you coordinate a museum tour by zoom as a group? Even in another country.
<https://www.travelandleisure.com/attractions/museums-galleries/museums-with-virtual-tours>
- What about attending a free Broadway show? yes there are free Broadway shows online that you can watch together. www.filmedonstage.com
- Facebook has this new feature now called ROOM - you can create a room and have a live video class speaker etc. and of course we have zoom.
- You can also contact your local college film school and talk to them about their student Thesis films and see if they can collaborate with you in showing them virtual with a zoom question and answer with the student - These are our future filmmakers of Hollywood.
- What about encouraging creativity and holding a contest in your city for a short 5-minute film that has to be filmed during these Virus times? Select Judges from your community or I will be happy to be a judge or find judges for you.
- Has your club made masks? these can be a great Craft project to report -
- Is anyone in your club a music teacher or singing teacher or Arts teacher? what about offering a virtual class to an underprivileged school for free??
- Our partner is the organization Arts4all I am attaching a flyer as a result of my conversation with the State director for some collaboration ideas.
- Also stay tune as I will be coordinating a zoom showing of one of the movies which I was in for your chance to see the film and ask questions about independent film making to the director producer Cinematography - costume actors etc. (behind the scene in film making)

Now that virtual meetings are held including District meetings, I am happy to attend your meetings and offer suggestions for future projects in the Arts and Culture Dept - I am excited to discuss possible projects with you so don't hesitate to reach out to be by any platform.

