Hopkinsville Art Guild Minutes

July 14, 2011 Guild Art Studio

Meeting was called to order by President Carolyn Self at 1:00pm

Members Present: Carolyn Self, Betty Liles, Henrietta Kemp, Melanie Halliman, Mark Halliman, Jeff Ezell, Tanya Ezell, Leoma Howery, Jim Mason, Betty Vinson, Janice Cayce, Charlotte Nelms, Linda Pierce, Barbara Gardner, Rachel Gardner, Portia?, Denise Veazey, Guy Bozard, and Teresa Gemeinhardt.

Minutes: June 21, 2011, minutes were reviewed and approved as read.

Financial Report: A monthly summary of expense and income was presented as prepared by Treasurer Carol Lewis. The current checking account balance is \$6,582.11.

Membership: Members were reminded renewal of dues by July 1st.

PACI report: No Report

Committee Reports:

Gallery/Studio Committee:

- Quarterly Art Exchange, Sun. June 26, Mon. June 27. Thanks to Jeff and Tanya Ezell for hanging the new exhibit.
- Sat. July 9, *Artists Demo Day* 1:00 6:00. The program drew publicity in the Kentucky New Era with a front page article on Monday. We had 28 members either attend, paint or bring food. We also got 6 new members at the event.
- Studio space usage Linda Pierce is using the small Studio for private use and paying \$40.00 for room usage. She will also be offering classes in the Studio space. She will develop a calendar for scheduling use of the Studio. It will be posted in the Studio and e-mailed to members. Griffin Blane used the Studio for her Children's Art Camp July 11-13. There will be an Open Studio painting group meeting on Tuesday mornings from 9:00 -12:00. This is free to members. The Paint-N- Party will be held August 16. This will be a fundraiser for the Guild. It was suggested we have a ½ price sale during the Christmas season in the Studio Space during the Christmas Bazzarr.
- Facility oversight committee— A big thank you was offered to Jack and Lynn Shepherd for their work in the new Studio space.
- **Publicity:** Updates on the Web Site will be made by Terry Fuqua with new pictures of the Demo Day and Art Camp.

Workshops: 2011-2012 Workshop Schedule

- July 10 2:00- 5:30 Watercolor workshop led by Charlotte Nelms
- October 29 Eunice Kern silk scarf painting workshop

Art Auction: Saturday, Nov.12, 2011, 6:00-8:30 held at Guild Art Gallery and Guild Studio, Committee - Jim Mason, Chair, reported. Ticket price will be \$15.00 per person, \$25.00 per couple) Buffet Dinner provided. Nancy Stalls agreed to arrange for Food for the event. Betty Vinson will facilitate the Silent Auction (items will be collected by Nov. 5). The items will be on display the week prior to the Auction. It was also suggested we put those live auction items on the web site for viewing prior to the event. Henrietta Kemp will assist with mailing invitations by October 12 and publicity. Melanie Halliman will facilitate the painted chairs that will be auctioned

in the "Chair-ity Auction". (chair painting session, Sat., August 13 from 12:00 - 4:00 in Studio, Information will be available at the August Guild meeting as well.

Old Business:

Guild Name tags - can be ordered by giving Henrietta Kemp \$5.50 to place order.

August 16th 5:00 -9:00, "Paint-N-Party" Members are asked to promote the event with friends.

New Business:

President Self thanked everyone for bringing delicious food for the Demo Day.

The next meeting will be Thursday, August 11, at 1:00pm at the Guild Studio.

Respectfully submitted,

Henrietta Kemp, Secretary