

Hopkinsville Art Guild

Minutes

May 9, 2013

Guild Gallery

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

Members Present: Betty Liles, Henrietta Kemp, Leoma Howery, Janice Cayce, Tanya Ezell, Jeff Ezell, Jim Mason, Betty Vinson, Margaret Prim, and Reisa Peters.

Minutes: April 11, 2013 minutes were reviewed and approved as presented.

Financial Report: Treasurer Janice Cayce presented the financial report for April. She reported we have a bank balance of \$2,337.82 as of March 29, 2013. We had expenses in April of \$1,586.6674 and income of \$556.76. A motion to approve the report was made by Betty Vinson and seconded by Tanya Ezell. Motion carried. We have a second checking account with a balance of \$250.00 for use in the payment of our of our annual Sales tax and CAM bills.

Committee Reports:

Membership: Betty Liles reported we currently have 101 members.

Gallery/Studio Committee:

No report

Facility oversight committee:

Publicity: The Guild Hosted the Leadership Hopkinsville at the Guild Gallery on April 19. It was well received. The Guild members who assisted with the painting project were Betty Liles, Betty Vinson, Ana Traceski, Eunice Kern and Henrietta Kemp. We received two thank you notes from the group of 21 adults that attended the event. In the review of the day for the Leadership Class, our activity received high marks as being a meaningful and worthwhile project. The completed mosaic painting is a picture of the Pennyroyal Area Museum building with 21- 8X10 sections. It was donated to the Museum for display there.

Workshops: 2012-2013 Workshop/Class Schedule

Guild Sponsored Workshops (1 free to members/year, after that \$25.00/workshop
Non members pay \$40.00/workshop) **Workshop Attendance Policy adopted:** Those registered for free workshops and do not attend and do not cancel 24 hours in advance will be counted as their one free workshop.

1. August 5 – Abstract watercolor painting – Marcie Roe
2. November 11 – Betty Liles landscape painting workshop
3. February 16 – Drawing workshop Betty Liles leading
4. (Unable to offer any more free this year) –

Classes Paid to presenter (Not free to members)

- May 16, 17, & 18 – Bill Fletcher “Plein Air” Landscape Painting in Oil
- June 2 - Barbara Gardner – Knife Painting Workshop,\$35.00 with 40% of that fee going to Guild
- June 8, 15, 22, & 29 from 9:00-12:00 - Drawing Class, led by Betty Liles
- June 8, 15, 22, & 29 from 1:00-4:00 - Still Life Painting in Oils, led by Betty Liles

Old Business:

- “Get Focused” Juried Photo Contest – Entries accepted April 15 –May 15, Awards presented June 28th at Reception at the Guild Gallery (members will need to bring food). If there are not at least 50 entries in the photo contest it will be cancelled and those submitting entries will be refunded their money.
- Summer Art Camp for children planned – Cathy Ankeny and Amanda McNeal will lead the camps July 8 -12 and July 15-19.
- A motion was made and passed to pay the Chamber of Commerce dues this year by requesting members make donations to the Guild and not take the cost from the treasurer. It was suggested we have bake sales at the gallery during events at the Mall in order to help raise the money.

New Business:

- Paint – N- Party plans –Anyone wishing to schedule a painting party should notify Carolyn Self. She will organize the event.
- A motion was made to participate in a fundraiser in partnership with the Pennyroyal Arts Council by generating an alphabet book about Hopkinsville designed for children. A motion was made by Margaret Prim and seconded by Jim Mason. Motion passed. A Guild subcommittee made up of Carolyn Self, Betty Vinson and Henrietta Kemp will meet with PACI representatives to begin developing the framework for the process which will hopefully be completed by November 15, 2013. Guild members will be given an opportunity to develop paintings, photographs or other illustrations of area attractions included in the book. These art pieces will be sold in a silent auction with a portion of the proceeds to go to the artist as another way to raise money for the joint venture.
- A nominating committee will be put into place by the President for the nomination of new officers who will be voted on in June and begin office July 1, 2013. Lynn Shepherd has been working on that committee.

The next meeting will be Thursday, June13, 2013, at 12:00pm at Senor Lopez Restaurant. This will be considered as our annual meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Henrietta Kemp, Secretary