Hopkinsville Art Guild

November 12, 2009 Guild Gallery, Bradford Square Mall

Meeting was called to order by President Nancy Stalls at 12:00.

Members Present: Nancy Stalls, Carolyn Self, Jeremy Easley, Eunice Kern, Betty Martyn, Betty Vinson, Shirea Mills, Denise Veazey, Carol Lewis, Jeff Ezell, Nada Fuqua, Henrietta Kemp, Judy Campbell and Betty Liles.

Minutes: Minutes from the Oct. 8 meeting were reviewed. Motion for approval made by Carolyn Self, seconded by Nada Fugua, motion passed.

Membership report – Betty Liles announced we currently have 68 members.

Treasurer's report – Treasurer Carol Lewis reported our income from Oct. 8 through Nov. 11, 2009 of \$972.00 and expenses of \$5,645.66. The main expense being the \$4,650.00 in prizes awarded for the Pennyroyal Juried Art Exhibition. We currently have a checking account balance of \$9,427.60. A motion for acceptance of the financial report was made by Betty Liles and seconded by Carolyn Self. Motion passed. Artists present were given their commission checks for the October sales.

L&N Depot Gallery Committee –Judy Campbell reported there are no artists scheduled for the Depot Gallery. The hanging system will be left at the Depot until needed in the future.

PACI report – No report.

Mall Gallery report – Stalls, Campbell and Kemp will meet with the mall manager to discuss mall policy manual which was just received. Due to the current policy of allowing all members to exhibit a limited number of pieces in the gallery it will not be possible to have a juried exhibition in the gallery until July, 2010. Carolyn Self and Nancy Stalls will investigate the purchase of a small used refrigerator for use in the kitchen. Judy Campbell reported 2 pieces of Guy Koehne artwork are being donated for sale at the gallery by Ann Mabry.

Guild Christmas Cards - Sales are going well. Sale locations are the Guild Gallery, Gracious Me!, Staton Art and Framing, L&N Depot, and the Chamber of Commerce. There are only a few boxes remaining.

Christmas Bazaar – Nov. 27 and 28 - Postcards will be mailed as soon as the reprinted cards are received. The exhibit will be left up until January 1. There are 9 tables reserved to date. Nada Fuqua and Carolyn Self will provide hot spiced tea and cookies for the event. A press release has been sent out and the Convention and Visitors Bureau has the information on their web site.

Free Member Workshop - December 5 – 9:00 -2:00, Jason Jackson will be leading. Topic – Still life painting using any medium, color theory. There are 5 currently registered. Limited to12. Register with Betty Liles at bettypliles@bellsouth.net if interested ASAP.

Gallery Children's Art Classes – Great Christmas gift idea!

- Second Saturday Kids Art at the Mall Sig Skundberg sigskundberg@yahoo.com teaching. \$10.00/person/hour, Starting Dec. 12
 10:00 11:00 Cartoon class age 7 -11
 12:00 1:00 Drawing and painting, 7 -11
 2:00 4:00 Teen class 11 and up
- Art for Kids at the Guild Art Gallery Griffin Blane <u>griffinblane@yahoo.com</u> teaching, \$10.00/person, Starting Tuesday, January 12 to Feb. 9 from 4:00 -5:30
 5 weeks with each day offering a different topic. For ages 5 to 10,

Art Auction – Scheduled for **Saturday**, **Feb. 6**, **2010**, 6:00 - 9:00 at the Mall Stage area. Please make plans to donate your work for sale, sell tickets and bring food. We need this event to help pay for the operation of the gallery.

Christmas, 2010 – Proposal was presented by Jeremy Easley and First United Methodist Church to have a Christmas Juried Art Exhibition of Sacred art work at the church from December 1, 2010 through January 6, 2011. Prizes will be awarded. A committee of Betty Liles, Jeremy Easley and Nancy Stalls will work on developing the guidelines for the event. Their first meeting will be Feb. 11, 2010 at 11:00 at the Gallery if other members would like to be involved.

The next regular meeting will be December 10 at 12:00 at the Guild Gallery at the Mall.

Respectfully Submitted,

Henrietta Kemp, Secretary