

Central Texas Pastel Society

General Meeting Minutes

May 21, 2022

The Central Texas Pastel Society meeting was called to order at 9:30 Saturday, May 21, 2022 at 9:30 pm through Zoom by President, Jane Copeland.

Jane welcomed our members to our last meeting of the year. There were 19 members participating in the meeting through the Zoom connection.

TREASURER REPORT;

Treasurer, Debbie Been, reported that we during the last month we had expenses of \$180.00, no income, netting a balance of \$4,261.53.

FALL SHOW AND COMPETITION:

Exhibit Chair, Jan Frazier reported on our upcoming Fall Competition and Show at Artworks Gallery on Sixth Street in Austin. The prospectus is almost finished and will be out by the end of this month. The call for entries will be August 20th, deadline for submissions will be September 17th, delivery of accepted paintings to Artworks September 27 to October 1st. Show will open October 7. Awards and Reception will be November 19th and the show will close December 10. Artworks can show 50 paintings. Members may submit 2 paintings, but only 1 will be accepted. If show has not filled the 50 slots, then a second painting will be accepted.

There will be 2 categories of artists this year, Emerging Artists and Established Artists.

FALL WORKSHOP:

Julia Fletcher reported that Bruce Gomez will be holding our plein air workshop November 4-6. In case of inclement weather, the library has been reserved for use. Bruce will also be the judge for our fall show.

IAPS CONVENTION:

The IAPS convention will be held in Albuquerque, NM June 21-26. There are a number of our members attending this fun event.

ELECTION OF 2022-2023 BOARD MEMBERS:

The slate of candidates for election of the following officers was presented.

President: Jane Copeland

Treasurer: Debbie Pridgeon

Secretary: Cynthia Bsaibes

Membership Chair: Cynthia Bsaibes

Exhibit Chair: Jan Frazier

Workshop Chair: Julia Fletcher

Program Chair:Julia Fletcher
Webmaster:Therese McHugh
IAPS Representative:Esther Jones
Hospitality Chair:Julie Choate

The votes were unanimous for election of above board. They will begin their year September 1st.

It was decided to start our meetings at a new time of 10:00 am instead of 9:30 am.

Our Zoom demonstrator, Adrian Giuliani, gave a beautiful demonstration on a floral still life.

CHALLENGE PAINTINGS:

This month's challenge subject was "Put a Shine on it" or a painting with lots of sunshine.

Meeting ended at 12:00.

Respectfully submitted by,
Barbara Chenault