WAA MEMBERS MEETING
03/20/24

CALLED TO ORDER: The meeting was Called to order by **Bonnie McIver- President 10:30** am
Reading of the Minutes by Tony Francisco
TREASURER/Membership Reports: Read by: Bonnie (Vic not present)
In February our income was $1700, primarily from workshop fees. Expenses were $1950
Mainly from instructor fees and space rental. The money market and CDs totaled $23,096. Membership is currently at 103.

Committee Reports:
WORKSHOPS: Alex Wowk
Workshops have gone well. Janice Castiglione's class went well. There are 3 more workshops left. Signups numbers could be better. Beth Olson's class on pastels is coming up and we need more signups. Beth's class only 2 so far. Terry Harrison only six or seven signups so far for her color mixing class. Bobbie Egan is coming in June 6,7. She is a New York painter. June 6 she is going to do a class on pet portraits in any medium. June 7 she will be doing a still life class. Demos are also coming. Gayle Baker will be doing a talk about Norman Rockwell. Members are encouraged to do demos on subjects of interest.

WEBSITE: Becky Steele still recovering and there is no new information right now
SHOW: Janet Payeski (Nancy was not present)
Nancy has secured a $1000 dollar in sponsorships so far. We need everybody's help soliciting. Sign up sheets are on the bulletin board notices of the show are up front please help in posting these in local businesses wherever there is a bulletin board. Bring in your 5x7 for the raffle.

Georgi Dalzell ; The Rourke Library in Shallotte is giving us their display case for the month of April This can be used for PR for the show. Please give us artwork that we can display there to let them know a little bit about us.
SCHOLARSHIPS: Betsy Cooper in the process of recruiting student candidates
Grants: checks have been written and funds will be available

PUBLICITY: Georgia Dalzell- there will be an article in 3 different newspapers about the raffle and the scholarship
Nominations: Anna Anderson - We need to come up with candidates for Board positions. Janet Payesky explained the treasurer position. Bonnie led a discussion of the positions. Bonnie will be available to help the next president.
Brunswick Library – Susan Bernard- there's lots of space there for pieces of art. Members are encouraged to use this space for their artwork, it's even an opportunity to sell pieces.
PIRATE BALL: Susan Bernard October 26 at St James Plantation. You can dress up there will be music, food, and activities

BY-LAW CHANGES: Dues will be due January 1st a and paid by January 31st. Officers to serve a 1 year term beginning in June with the exception of the treasurer whose term will be September 1st to August 31st to coincide with the fiscal year of the organization.
BROOKGREEN GARDENS: to have an Art Deco Exhibit now through April 21st

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