



August 5, 2024

## General Art Meeting Minutes

### Welcome

Karen O'Donnell led the meeting while Karen Falcon and Sigrid Wares prepared for the glass painting session following the meeting.

**Quote:** *Creativity is allowing yourself to make mistakes. Art is knowing which ones to keep.* Scott Adams

**Last month's meeting minutes** were approved by Nan Lamb and Christy Rappoport.

### Treasurer's Report

Joe announced we received \$124 this month, \$104 of which came from the Fareways show. Our balance is \$5718.

### Special Thanks to:

- Bill Mann for donating a painting of a bunny for the Childhelp auction/fundraiser
- Aura Aten for donating a beautiful hand-made quilt pillow of a desert scene to be auctioned at the LOW Ladies Golf mid-September fundraiser for St Jude's.

### Good news:

- Gary Close is on the cover of *The Front Porch* local paper along with an article!
- Catherine Hillis is having a solo show at FCCA this month.
- Karen O'Donnell and Pete Brown were juried into a show at FCCA. Karen received an Honorable mention on one of her pieces.

We have created a Nomination Committee: Jill Iglehart, Jen Heinz, and Gaylen Smoak. It is time to get new Club Officers in place and they will help identify candidates. Please consider taking on a role in this Club so we can continue the fun!

It's a rewarding job. Our Club will not run as well if we don't have a Board. If anyone is interested, please reach out to one of these individuals - even if you just want some information about the roles. Roles are posted on our website at: <https://lakeofthewoodsarts.com/member-page> Scroll down till you find it. LOTS of information can be found there as well as in the <member-only> section of our site.

## **FAREWAYS**

We are having the most successful show yet at Fareways. It is our 8<sup>th</sup> show and already we have collected \$2674 in sales. As we sell, the artist can replace it. This helps keep things fresh and new for returning shoppers.

Karen Weingartner just sent members a notice about the next show at Fareways. Please submit your files and photos of your work to her by 1 September. Earlier would be better! File structure for photos:

Lastname\_Firstname\_Name\_of\_Art.jpg

Drop off date for 2D art: Sept 14 9-10am Reception: Sept 21 2pm-4pm

3D setup 1pm for Show 2-4pm on Sept 21 only.

**Quilling workshop** coming up August 14 at 5pm COMMUNITY CENTER Room 2 (our usual meeting room). Free !! Members only. Everything will be provided. Wine, water, snacks, and quill kits! You may also bring snacks if you choose. Make sure you have signed up! We have a limited number of seats.

## **Fall Art show**

- Dee is asking for a few members to donate a piece of art worth \$100 or more for our Silent Bid.
- Eve says the Raffle baskets are almost done. A few items are still due to come in. Baskets will be assembled on 8/11. If you have a Large basket and want to donate it, we could use it!
- Linda Kadar and Jen Heinz will lead a hands-on art project during the show from 1-3 pm each day.

Our September meeting will be all about the show.

Our October meeting will be in the Community Center Lower Level again.

We will be holding a January meeting this year.

SEC - Maribeth Logan will be holding a workshop on framing. The timing is TBD.

Member introductions - Allita Irby and Karen Weingartner

Group Project - Members brought an item to paint. Karen Falcon and Sigrid Wares led the 'workshop' but it was really a 'funshop'! Everyone seemed to have a great time!