Siskiyou Decorative Artists

Chapter Meeting Minutes – July 24, 2021

A meeting of Siskiyou Decorative Artists was held on Saturday, July 24, 2021, at the Live Oak Grange in Rogue River, Oregon. President Kellie Pomeroy called the meeting to order at 10:03 a.m. There were 14 members and no guests present.

Seminars – Kathy Prewitt

<u>Chris Thornton</u> – Kathy handed out prep instructions to those members who are registered for the seminar. She will have the wood pieces available for pick up at the August chapter meeting.

<u>Future Seminar Teachers</u> – Kathy contacted several teachers to find out their availability for April 2022 or either of our seminars in 2023. Here's what she found:

Chris Haughey – Her teaching fee is \$600 a day plus we would be required to purchase the paint, stencils, stamps, etc. from her. She teaches from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Marco Aguilar – His teaching fee is \$600 a day for 15 students.

Judy Ribitch and Linda Sharp are possible teachers for 2023. Kathy had samples of their work to share.

Paulette DeGesaire – She is available to teach in April 2022 and Kathy has booked her. Kathy also shared samples of Paulette's work.

Treasurer's Report - Judi Henshaw

Chapter funds:	Money Market account	\$7,444.48
	Checking account	2,520.93
	Savings account	6.47
	Total	\$9,971.88

Judi delivered all of our donated books and pattern packets to Georgia Magarell who has agreed to sell them on-line for us. We originally asked to receive \$2.00 a book, but Georgia may give us more depending on how much each book sells for.

Ways & Means - Julie Veronneau

Kellie reported for Julie that in August we will be making the final decision as to whether or not we will hold our Bunco fund raiser this year.

Kathy announced that she had wood pieces to be painted for Bunco door prizes and also Treasure Boxes to be painted. We didn't deliver any Treasure Boxes last year because Shriners Hospital was unable to accept them due to COVID. We're hoping to deliver them this year, but it is up to the hospital.

New Business

<u>COVID Update</u> – Kellie explained that we will be keeping our COVID procedures in place for now, and are asking each person to continue to bring her own table through the September seminar.

<u>August Board Meeting</u> – The board meeting for August will be re-scheduled. Kellie will let board members know of the new date and time as soon as it is determined.

<u>Disclaimer Forms</u> – Kellie explained that we are requiring each person to sign a disclaimer form that will be kept on file. Karen passed around the attendance sheet and gave disclaimer forms to those who had not yet signed one.

<u>Chapter Elections</u> – Kellie asked everyone to consider volunteering for a board position. All positions are open.

<u>SDP 50th Anniversary</u> – SDP's 50th Anniversary celebration will begin in January 2022. Among the activities planned is a retreat in Fredericksburg, Texas, and a painting convention in Las Vegas in August.

With there being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 10:50 a.m. and Geri Blake taught a faux leather project.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Damerow

Secretary