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Central Kentucky Art Guild

The Guild News

November Meeting—Our Place

Monday, November 17, 2014, at 6:30 p.m. at Our Place, 790 North Dixie Suite 900, Elizabethtown, Kentucky

Theme: Limited palette, 3 colors

Program: Joyce Lupresto will set up a Christmas theme with various ornaments. You will draw the arrangement and take home to finish it in any medium, but no larger than 11x14 matted watercolor or pastel. Bring back the finished painting in December. We will put our names in a drawing for a painting (a nice Christmas gift).

OFFICERS/CHAIRS	
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Programs	Joyce Lupresto, Elsie Hall
Publicity	Debra Beyerlein
Website	Theresa Shelton
Workshops	Betty O'Rear

Artist of the Month-October 2014

	GENERAL	GENERAL TOTAL
1st Place	Betty O'Rear	8-Betty O'Rear 5-Jo Friel
2nd Place	Charlotte Brammer	3-Charlotte Brammer
3rd Place	Phyllis Blakeman and ?	1-Elsie Hall, Phyllis Blakeman

2013-2014 Artist of the Year—Joyce Lupresto

Minutes of October Meeting

The October 20, 2014, meeting of CKAG was held at the usual time and site with 14 members present. They welcomed visitor, Fran Hodges of Cecilia. Fran works for the local extension service and is interested in exploring and learning more about several art media.

Committee reports were given as follows:
Budget/Finance: The Treasury account has a balance of $3,259.00.

Membership: Membership dues of $30 were due in September. Please forward any unpaid dues ASAP to Juanita McCoy, 790 North Dixie Suite 800, Elizabethtown, KY 42701.

Business Exhibits: Business exhibits are in place for the present quarter. Consider signing up for the next quarter.

Workshops/Programs: Betty O'Rear reported contacting two well known and qualified prospects to lead future workshops. They are Indiana artists, Mary Ann Davis, who works in pastel and oil, and Wyatt LeGrand, who paints in oil. These are planned for the spring of 2015. Other program and workshop plans were discussed and put in place. It was decided that a Life Drawing Class be set for the first Saturday of each month from 9-12 a.m. and will begin in March 2015. The usual Monday morning painting group rescheduled for afternoons from 2-5 p.m. on the third Monday meeting date.

Other Business: Debbye Hassell suggested the Guild establish a link to Preston Art Center's website. A limit of $20 per month was set should there be any fee for access. A vote taken was passed. Also Charlotte Brammer stated a need for a pencil sharpener for the Guild and had researched prices. All members agreed a need existed and voted to authorize Charlotte to purchase a Bostitch pencil sharpener at approximately $20. Janet Gebler expressed concern for sealing the large downtown mural painted a few years ago by Wes Kendall, Ron Frye, and Charlotte Brammer. She further stated that the city would reimburse the cost of materials to do the 2-step application. Materials have arrived and a volunteer, William Blair, is to apply the sealant.

Members were reminded that the December meeting will be a Christmas potluck meal.
Business concluded and was followed by voting for Artist of the Month and refreshments.

Respectfully submitted,
Elizabeth Parks, substituting for Marilyn Matthews

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PROGRAM:
The topic was memory drawing. A still life was set up and participants were given a minute to concentrate on the objects displayed. The set up was removed from view, and members made a drawing from memory.

CKAG Financial Statements

October 1-October 31, 2014	
Cash Balance on 10-1-2014	**$ 3,259.00**
INCOME	
Membership dues	180.00
EXPENSES	
Newsletter	50.00
Cash Balance on 10-31-2014	**$ 3,389.00**

Happy Birthday wishes to Marilyn Mathews on November 14.

Monday Morning Painters

Several of our artists are meeting at Our Place on Monday mornings to paint together. We have painted still lifes and are currently working on watercolor portraits. Everyone is welcome. The session usually runs from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

The Business Exhibits will need to be changed around our meeting date on December 15. I would like for everyone to be thinking where they would be able to hang from December until March. This time period is one month longer than usual and thus gives the artist good exposure. Some of you who are recently juried or do not attend meetings regularly, think about showing your work and possibly selling. You may call Mary Lou Hall as shown below and indicate a preference as to where you would like to exhibit.

Business Exhibits-Mary Lou Hall, 270-307-7156, or 270-765-7156, marylouhall@windstream.net

	Radcliff-Ft Knox Tourism Center, 562 N Dixie Ave, Radcliff ,Ky 270-352-1204 Mon-Fri 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Closed Sat & Sun 4 paintings	**Hardin County Public Library,** 100 Jim Owen Drive, Elizabethtown, Ky 270-769-6337, library hours apply 1 large 4 small —Use existing nails	**The Cecilian Bank-Oaklawn Branch** 1808 N Dixie Ave, Elizabethtown, Ky 270-737-1593 Mon-Thurs 9 a.m.-4 pm Fri 9 a.m.-6 p.m. 6 large paintings or 6-12 smaller	**Cobbler's Café,** 125 E Dixie Ave, Elizabethtown, Ky 270-982-2233 Mon-Fri 7 a.m.-3 p.m. Sat 7 a.m.– 2 p.m. 9 paintings (could be shared by two artists)
Sept 15-Dec 15	Elsie Hall	Joyce Lupresto	Carl McKinley	Jo Friel, Elizabeth Parks

Hardin County Habitat for Humanity®

"A hand up, Not a hand out"

October 30, 2014

Central Kentucky Art Guild
Building 790 Dixie Hwy.
Suite 900
Elizabethtown, KY 42701

Dear Habitat Friend,

We would like to take this time to "Thank You" for your willingness to support our fundraising event on September 11, 2014. Hardin County Habitat for Humanity was able to raise over $54,000 that evening, and your generous contribution of the painted birdhouses played a great role towards that end. We are grateful to have community partners like you who support us in so many different ways.

Since 1994, we have built 51 homes in Hardin County that house well over 100 children and their families. Many of these families were living in dire circumstances, when they partnered with us and they now have decent homes with a bright future. We have made this small, but important, impact on the families of Hardin County through the support of many donors, like you. The need is still great and we will continue to work at providing simple, decent homes for God's people in need with your help.

Your donation creates a minor miracle. We use it to build a house, which we then sell to a partner family. The partner family then pays their house payment to us and we re-invest their dollars in the next house. Every dollar that you give continues to cycle through our system adding to another house every time it comes around, as long as we are around. The result is that this year one-fourth of our construction cost will be financed those recycling dollars.

God Bless you for being part of this ministry.

Vanessa Swisher

Vanessa M. Swisher

Chairman
Family Mentor Program
Hardin County Habitat for Humanity

Artist of the Month Themes

November 2014	Limited palette, 3 colors
March 2015	Metal or glass objects
May 2015	Children
July 2015	Windows or doors
September 2015	Shoes or hats
Every other month is Open—Any subject	

CKAG MEMBERSHIP DUES were due and payable September 1 for the coming year. Please complete the form below, cut out and either bring to the next meeting or mail as indicated on the form. If dues are not paid in December, you will be dropped from the membership roster.

CENTRAL KENTUCKY ART GUILD

Dues Statement----Sept 1, 2014 through Aug 31, 2015

Please Circle Membership Type: Regular $30 Patron $50 Associate $10

NAME_____

STREET ADDRESS_____

CITY_____STATE_____ZIP_____

HOME PHONE_____CELL PHONE_____EMAIL_____

Make check payable to Central Kentucky Art Guild and mail to:
CKAG, c/o Juanita McCoy, 790 North Dixie Suite 800, Elizabethtown, KY 42701

Office Use Only: Date_____Amount $_____Check #_____

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