

# Central Kentucky Art Guild

## The Guild News—September 2024

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### Meeting—Monday, September 16, 2024

CKAG will meet Monday, September 16, 2024, at 6:30 p.m. at Our Place, 790 North Dixie Suite 900, Elizabethtown, Kentucky

**Art Critique:**

**Artist of Month Theme:** Historical

**Program:** Bring tools and/or techniques you use as art hacks

### 2024 ALL MEMBER SHOW Morrison Gallery-ECTC Elizabethtown, KY

- Sept 3 Show opens
- Sept 6 Opening reception & awards 5-7
- Oct 4 Show closes
- Oct 8 Pick up artwork at gallery 10-4:30

### AofM THEMES 2024

September	Historical (in the style of a famous deceased artist)
November	Texture

Every other month is Open



## MINUTES OF MEETING—August 19, 2024

CKAG President, Paula Haynes, opened the meeting at 6:30 p.m. Sixteen people were present with no visitors.

**TREASURY:** The current CKAG balance as of July 31, 2024, was \$1,853.22. Income was \$60 from membership dues and expenses of \$50 for the newsletter.

**WEBSITE:** Theresa Shelton reported the host website has changed. She is currently working on moving our website content to a host, which is less expensive. She is considering BlueHost or HostGator.

**BUSINESS EXHIBITS:** Business Exhibits are scheduled to change September 16. The following artists will have their work on display from Sept 16 to Dec 16.

EXHIBIT LOCATION	Sept 16-Dec 16
The Cecilian Bank	G.A. Wells
Associates in Dermatology	Michael Fudge
Home of Philanthropy	Mary Lou Hall

### PROGRAMS & WORKSHOPS:

September— Members are encouraged to bring tools and techniques they use as art hacks. These tools and techniques can be things that members use to help during the creation, transportation, and/or storage of their work that most people may not know or thought of.

October—Marilyn Matthews will present a program on ecoprinting

November— Members present their own Inktober drawings/art. Members are free to use any prompts or participate with some or all of the prompts found at <https://inktober.com>

December—CKAG Christmas dinner. Members/guests will share finger foods and a small art piece gift exchange.

### PUBLICITY:

Melinda Sieg is contacting The News Enterprise regarding the high school art show and last year's pictures, August Artist of the Month, and recruiting a rep from the paper to our All Member Show reception on Sept 6. The News Enterprise featured Theresa Shelton as last month's Artist of the Month winner.

Theresa commented that there is at least one non-member posting regularly on the CKAG Facebook page. The group agreed only members should be able to post, while followers can see the content. Debbye Hassell agreed to monitor the Facebook page and reach out to frequent non-member posters with an invitation to join the Guild with information about the new "only

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## **MINUTES OF MEETING** *(continued from page 2)*

member post policy” for the Guild Facebook page.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

High School Art Exhibit: The HSAE committee (Tina Perkins-Draper, Malinda Sieg, Paula Decker Haynes, and Kim Mann) will meet at 5:30 p.m. on September 17, prior to the meeting to discuss details. Anyone interested in being a part of the committee can attend.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

Historic Panel Committee: Cassandra Carroll has spoken to a representative about using space at the Extension Office to restore the historic panels in downtown Elizabethtown. The representative will need to ask the board before they can proceed further.

### **ALL MEMBER SHOW:**

A sign up sheet for refreshments was passed around.

Judy Mudd will be judging the show. Michael Fudge volunteered to escort her, document her decisions on 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 3 honorable mentions, as well as her reflections and feedback and overall breadth of the work exhibited.

Publicity: Malinda will create a flyer from the entry form and forward the information to The News Enterprise. She would like to get a representative from the paper to attend the reception. Members should drop off their entries (display ready) to the Morrison Gallery on August 26 from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Theresa will be there to receive the entries from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and G.A. Wells will be there from 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The reception is scheduled for Friday, September 6 from 5-7 p.m. Members signed up to bring refreshments. Mary Lou will have a painting on display of her late niece for members to view. An easel should be moved from Our Place to the gallery.

Winners will be announced at the reception. Please bring your family and friends to enjoy the exhibit!

Members are to pick up their artwork on October 8. Rane Sessions will be there from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Paula will be present from 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. to release the artwork.

### **RESTORATION OF DOWNTOWN ART PANELS:**

POC: Cassandra Carroll. Cassandra was not present at the meeting. Members discussed what needs to happen to restore the panels. G.A. Wells mentioned the wood part of the panels need to be refurbished but the art itself is hardly damaged. Mary Lou suggested using the empty space next to Our Place. She will check to see if it is open enough to use and Michael offered two large fans to help ventilate the space. Paula agreed to contact Cassandra to find out if she has any new information.

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**ARTIST of the MONTH:**

1st place—G.A. Wells

2nd place—Mary Lou Hall

3rd place—Theresa Shelton and Rane Sessions

The meeting was adjourned at 7:54 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Kim Mann

**PROGRAM:** Three members brought artwork to the meeting to be critiqued.

**2024 ALL MEMBER SHOW WINNERS**



**1st place—Paula Decker Haynes, “Harvest Table”**

Stunning values, beautiful use of color palette, composition is excellent. It was a tight call between 1st and 2nd place. What was noted on the overall deciding factor was the use of implied line, little details on the book and the white contrast that pulled the viewer’s eye, and the weathered look on the table. Very attentive to detail! It should also be noted that the ‘orange’ used to create the ‘mat look’ around the image completed and complemented the look of the fruit used on the table. Very inspiring by the artist.

**2nd place—Carl McKinley, “Festus & Dillon”**

Beautiful composition, the brush strokes complemented the image. Very subtle edges yet draws the eye. Loved the use of diagonal composition setup.

**3rd place—Theresa Shelton, “Star Struck”**

Described as a ‘low key’ work of art. Lots of atmosphere with an amazing use of composition. Soft feel all around with a dynamic use of color in the middle. Allows the viewer to participate in the image. You feel as if you are in the moment of spring walking through the field.

**HONORABLE MENTIONS:**

**Malinda Sieg, “My Funny Valentine”**

Subject matter is excellent. Gave the feeling of Norman Rockwell or something you would see in New York, New York. Amazing use of color. The pink was soft enough to allow the blues to complement one another. Implied line use of the sucker and the final topping was the eyes and how they drew attention to the image. Described as “cute”.

**Marilyn Matthews, “Night Into Day”**

Image appears spontaneous. Controlled, yet very loose. Felt as if you are free walking into the image. Excellent use of watercolors.

**Mary Lou Hall, “Crest ‘n Hollow”**

The board used to paint the image was an amazing choice. Foreground pulls you in and allows you to roam around the piece. Amazing use of color.



## PROGRAMS

**Sept 16**—Favorite Art Hacks. The idea is for members to share a way they achieve a goal by nonstandard means. For example: using an old credit card to spread paint.

**Oct** —Marilyn Matthews will present Eco-printing. She will show some supplies she uses and a few examples of eco-printed paper and fabric as well as a book on the subject.

At the last meeting, members decided to participate in what is known as “Inktober”, doing a daily drawing on a theme provided. Then in—

**Nov**—Members will show their “Inktober “drawings.

## MEMBER NEWS

Paula Decker Haynes received two 1st place and one 3rd place in the Grayson County Fair art show.



## ARTIST OF THE MONTH

	MONTHLY WINNERS	TOTAL POINTS FOR YEAR
<b>1st Place</b>	G.A. Wells  <b>(1st place needs to hang winning entry at The Cecilian Bank). *See Business Exhibit info</b>	31-G.A. Wells 10-Malinda Sieg 9-Paula Decker-Haynes 7-Rane Sessions 6-Theresa Shelton
<b>2nd Place</b>	Mary Lou Hall	4-Michael Fudge 3-Joyce Lupresto, Mary Lou Hall
<b>3rd Place</b>	Theresa Shelton, Rane Sessions	2-George Bauer 1-Elizabeth Parks

“Your ability to compose or design paintings is inseparably connected to your ability to see shapes. The shapes of the space around the objects you see are equally as important as the shapes of the objects themselves”. *Carl Purcell*

## Business Exhibits —Mary Lou Hall, POC

LOCATION	DETAILS	Sept 16-Dec 16	Dec 16-Mar 17
<b>Hardin County Public Library</b> 100 Jim Owen Dr, Elizabethtown, Ky 270-769-6337	Mon-Thurs 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Fri 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Sat 9 a.m.-3 p.m. 1 large 4 small (use existing nails)	<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>
<b>The Cecilian Bank-Oaklawn Branch</b> 1808 North Dixie, Elizabethtown, Ky 270-737-1593	Mon-Thurs 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Fri 10 a.m.-6 p.m. 6 large paintings or 6-12 smaller	G.A. Wells	
<b>Associates in Dermatology</b> 1028 North Dixie Ste 140, Elizabethtown, Ky 270-370-3600	M-W 7.a.m.-3:20 p.m., Tues 7-2:20 p.m., Thurs 7-3:30 p.m. Fri 7-12:20 p.m. 4 paintings on nails, any size	Michael Fudge	
<b>Home of Philanthropy, Central Ky Community Foundation</b> <b>(Call before going to make sure room is not being used)</b> 200 Jim Owen Dr, Elizabethtown, Ky 270-737-8393	M-F 8:30 a.m.-4:30 a.m.	Mary Lou Hall	

FINANCIAL REPORT	
<b>Beginning Balance 7-31-2024</b>	\$1,853.22
<b>INCOME</b>	
All Member entries	430.00
<b>EXPENSES</b>	
Newsletter	50.00
All Member judge	150.00
Web hosting fee	22.99
<b>Ending Balance 8-30-2024</b>	<b>\$2,060.23</b>

ALL MEMBER SHOW FINANCIAL REPORT	
Entry fees	\$ 470.00
Judge fee	150.00
Printing programs	55.97
Awards	380.00
Total Expenses	585.97
<b>Loss</b>	<b>-\$ 115.97</b>

# SEPTEMBER 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 AMS starts	4	5	6 AMS reception	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14 2nd Saturday
15	16 CKAG meeting	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

# OCTOBER 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4 AMS closes	5
6	7	8 Pick up artwork	9	10	11	12 2nd Saturday
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21 CKAG meeting	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

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