

The Guild News—August 2025

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AUGUST EVENTS

• **Meeting—August 18 at 6:30 p.m.**

CKAG will meet Monday, August 18 at 6:30 p.m. at 790 Events at 790 North Dixie Suite 900, Elizabethtown, Kentucky

Art Critique:

Artist of Month Theme: Open

Program: Theresa Shelton will show her gouache setup. We will learn about the advantages of working with this opaque watercolor.

ARTIST OF THE MONTH THEMES

September	Trees
November	Monochromatic
Every other month is Open	



“Do not finish your work too much. An impression is not sufficiently durable for it’s first freshness to survive a belated search for infinite detail—in this way you let the lava grow cool.”

Paul Gauguin

MINUTES OF MEETING— July 21, 2025

CKAG President, Paula Decker Haynes, called the meeting to order at 7:24 p.m., following the presentation/discussion of Examples of Composition by Debbye Hassell.

Membership/Attendance: Sixteen members were present . No change in membership.

Treasurer's Report: The balance at the end of June was \$1,314.31.

Website: Nothing to report at this time.

Business Exhibits: Exhibits will change in September. Members are encouraged to consider participation in hanging at the business locations.

Programs/Workshops: There are no workshops scheduled at this time. The program for August will be a presentation by Theresa Shelton about gouache. September a glass presentation by Rane Sessions. October will be basics of portraiture by G.A. Wells. November will be sketchbook sharing. December will be the Christmas gift exchange.

Old Business: The art-themed yard sale was discussed with the tentative time set for 10 a.m. to 12-noon on Saturday, September 27. The discussion involved the cost associated with the yard sale, pricing of items, and payment methods. The discussion will continue at the August meeting.

New Business: The All Member Show was discussed and a committee was formed consisting of Mary Lou Hall, Debbye Hassell and Rane Sessions. Art drop off will be September 2 with opening reception September 12.

Artist of the Month: 1st place: Rane Sessions, 2nd place: tie between Karen Hart and Elizabeth Parks, 3rd place: Rane Sessions.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Tina Perkins–Draper

Programs—Marilyn Matthews, Committee Chair

August: Theresa Shelton has volunteered to present the August program on “My Gouache Setup”. We will learn about the advantages of working in this opaque watercolor.

September: Rane Sessions will show and talk about her growing work in glass, “Getting Started in Glass”.

October: G.A. Wells will share “Basic Portraiture”

November: Members will share their recent work during “Inktober” or bring in sketchbooks or paint journals.

REMINDER:

Any CKAG member, who would like to receive input on one of their own works-in-progress, may plan to arrive early (6:10 or 6:15) to any monthly meeting. On these occasions, please call one of our key-carrying officers, Paula Decker Haynes (502-243-5683) or Debbye Hassell (270-307-7598) a few days in ADVANCE. This will assure you will be admitted to the space BEFORE the general meeting.

ARTIST OF THE MONTH		
	MONTHLY WINNERS	TOTALS
1st place	Rane Sessions	13-Elizabeth Parks 9-George Bauer 6-Michael Fudge, Theresa Shelton, Rane Sessions
2nd place	Karen Hart, Elizabeth Parks	3-Paula Decker-Haynes, Karen Hart, Marilyn Matthews
3rd place	Rane Sessions	1-Joyce Lupresto

FINANCIAL REPORT	
Beginning Balance 6-30-2025	\$1,314.31
INCOME	
Membership dues	
EXPENSES	
Newsletter	50.00
Rental fee 790 Events	25.00
Ending Balance 07-31-2025	\$1,239.31

Business Exhibits —Mary Lou Hall, POC

LOCATION	DETAILS	June 16-Sept 15	Sept 15-Dec 15
Hardin County Public Library 100 Jim Owen Dr, Elizabethtown, Ky 270-769-6337	Mon-Thurs 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Fri 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Sat 9 a.m.-3 p.m. 6 medium/large paintings (use existing nails)	Theresa Shelton	
The Cecilian Bank-Oaklawn Branch 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	George Bauer	Carl McKinley
Associates in Dermatology 1028 North Dixie Ste 140, Eliza- bethtown, 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	Paula Decker Haynes	
Home of Philanthropy, Central Ky Community Foundation (Call before going to make sure room is not being used) 200 Jim Owen Dr, Elizabethtown, Ky 270-737-8393	M-F 8:30 a.m.-4:30 a.m.	Michael Fudge (possibly)	
Grayson County Public Library 163 E Carrol Gibson Blvd, Leitch- field, Ky 270-259-5455	M-F 8 a.m.-6 p.m. CST (9-7 pm EST) Sat 8 a.m.-1 p.m. CST (9-2 p.m. EST) j Up to 5 large pieces , 2 are high	Marilyn Matthews	

AUGUST 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18 CKAG 6:30 pm	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

SEPTEMBER 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 AMS Art drop off	3	4	5	6
7	8 AMS opens	9	10	11	12 AMS Reception from 5-7 pm	13 2nd Sat Life Draw 10 am
14	15 CKAG 6:30 pm	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

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