



FEDERATION OF CANADIAN ARTISTS

Central Okanagan Chapter



MINUTES FCA Monthly MEETING

Date: Sept 9, 2013

Location: Rotary Centre of Arts, painting room

Attendance: There were 19 members and 1 guest

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 7:10 pm

Minutes of last meeting in May were read by Lynn Tribe

Barb reported on Yuri's workshop and the benefits for taking good photos of paintings.

The FCA barbecue in June was a good time as well as Rod Charlesworth's demonstration was appreciated.

Treasurer's Report: Sheila Tansey , Opening Balance 17,811.44

Deposits and credits in month and cheques cashed left a

Closing balance 15,159.52 at July 31st. Sheila also gave a financial report on workshops 2,552.11 revenue. Sheila moved to have her report approved. Jim Hayes seconded the treasurer's report

Memberships - Diana reported that dues are due in January.

Workshops - Marilyn Bury spoke about upcoming workshops:

Ingrid Christiansen's workshop in June was very popular and students want her to come back
Dennis Weber will be giving a Portrait Workshop October 19th with any media. 200.00 for two days. No more workshops until the new year.

Marilyn has been in contact with Lelita Hammill for a 2 day workshop on composition.

Jim Hayes spoke that we, the FCA need to focus on education and have brochures to show in the future. Our chapter is here to learn to improve our work for our members.

Marilyn request more input for workshops

NEW BUSINESS

Patti Feist has resigned as Vice President due to health reasons. Dennis spoke about the job of being president and encouraged members to consider the position.

We need an exhibition chairperson. Diana Palmer has been doing memberships for many years and is willing to move to exhibitions **if** someone will take over memberships. It will only take work in January and February to update the memberships.

We didn't get the grant from ArtVest for the Art Symposium. Michelle and Joan attended sessions on how to fill out the forms. Anita filled out the application. All were thanked for the effort.

The Art Symposium for May 10, 2014, the Rotary Centre has been booked. Panelists have been asked to come, and many well known artists are interested in attending as panalists.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:00

Members were encouraged to bring a piece of art and there will be a mini art show after coffee. Also Art Walk success will be discussed by Jim Hayes.

Next FCA Monthly Meeting will be in October on 7th.