MINUTES FCA Monthly meeting, November 2014

Date: Nov 3, 2014

Location: Rotary Centre of arts painting room Attendance: There were 28 present, 1 guest.

Call to Order: The meeting at 7:05

Minutes of October meeting were read by Lynn Tribe, lynn moved to have the minutes adopted as read, seconded by Anita McComas

Treasurer's Report: Bank Balance at Sept 30, was 11,233.66. In Sheila's absence, Lynn Tribe read the treasurers report

Memberships - Kit Bell, there are now 82 members in total Newsletters 210 on list.- if you have info to add let Kit know. Kit has offered to help with those members working towards AFCA. Poster for autumn gallery show is on the website.

Painting of the month - Karen Remple

Exhibitions: Diana Palmer

We have 50 entries for the November show and has 3 or more volunteers to help hang the show

Everyone was asked to Print the invites for the Autumn Gallery and give to your friends. Elizabeth doesn't have a winery to serve wine so we may only have cider. Executive to decide on whether to have wine or not.

Workshops - Marilyn Bury

Working on a workshop for 2015, Suzanne Northcott possibly in the fall. Marilyn is looking for suggestions and left a sign up sheet for instructors.

Heather Hollingsworth spoke about her entry to AIRS (Annual International Realistic Show) in Vancouver and announced that her painting won best landscape. Her painting will hang at Van City for a month of November.

Karen Remple has offered to be treasurer next year.

Ann Willisie spoke about the extension of deadlines and the difficulty that it can cause when it is extended, because she lost the opportunity to enter other shows. Anita McComas suggested combining a juried show with a society non juried show - Kit mentioned that the FCA Vancouver has also been extending the deadlines.

Christmas Party will be a potluck on December 1st at 6pm at Barb Hannington's home. Barb explained the small painting Christmas exchange and gave out the canvas panels for the exchange that are part of the party. Bring instruments. Barb will send out more info later.

Ann Willisie spoke about Peachland possible venue on the waterfront. Front part is information centre and could be good in summer.

Barb spoke a little about OASIS 2015 and is looking for a volunteer to help get business interest.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:50 PM

Demo in oils by Ann Willisie followed coffee break. Ann moved here from Gibsons this year.

Ann starts with an underpainting, first cover canvas with burnt sienna and cerulean blue thin coating

She paints from her memory or imagination. Oils start with thin and then thicker paint. Likes to start with darks and then finish with the lights and negative painting at end.

Palette - limited, makes her own greens. Cad Red, Cad Yellow pale, Alizarine Crimson, Burnt Sienna, Cerulean Blue, Ultramarine Blue and White.