



FEDERATION OF CANADIAN ARTISTS

Central Okanagan Chapter



MINUTES FCA Monthly meeting

Date: March 2, 2015

Location: Rotary Centre of Arts, painting room

Attendance: There were 36 members and 3 guests, Jackson, Jan and Renata

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm

Minutes of February monthly meeting were read by Lynn Tribe, accepted by Elizabeth Christie and seconded by Kit Bell

Treasurers report by Karen Remple, Opening balance of \$11,816.18 , deposits for OASIS, the City Grant and workshops left balance at Feb 28, \$18,009.38 the workshop by Barry Rafuse showed a profit of \$485. Treasurer report accepted by Don Cosman, Seconded by Angie Kischner

Memberships - Kit Bell, 74 members have paid for 2015 dues,

Painting of the Month- Karen Remple "Dancing in the night". Kit explained how the painting of the month process works. Linda Lovisa brought in her painting from January Painting of the month

Workshops - Marilyn Bury - Barry Rafuse workshop was enjoyed by all , Ingrid Christianson for one day, Make it glow, a workshop on colour, oil, on July 26th. Suzanne Northcott will be in October 2, 3 &4 at COSBA. Only a few spots left in these workshops.

Lynn mentioned that Brent Lynch has agreed to hold two one day workshops after Oasis.

Exhibitions: Diana Palmer -

Peachland gallery in the old school house in the summer, the month of July, FCA can show there and extend through the August long weekend. Open 7 days a week, 10-4 in summer. asked to be a juried show by our own internal jurying. Must be a member of Peachland Art Gallery, for 10.00 to hang in the show and a 20 % commission. No rental fee to FCA. Max pieces of 3 entries.

OASIS Barb spoke about the status - Lynn announced that the Rotary Club of Kelowna will give the first prize of \$1,000.00 for the Art Show. Barb requested a marketing person to help raise funds - Elizabeth Christie will contact the college marketing class. Looking for skills to advertise on the radio and on the internet. Once a week, do not talk about the show while it is

up. Ideas for invites to chamber month, downtown business, other ideas from the floor were Women in Business. Elizabeth Christie volunteered to help. Karen has volunteered to do the posters. Brochures for OASIS were handed out.

Rod McIntyre asked for a nominating person to find a Vice President, asked for them to contact Rod.

Anyone at the meeting who wants to be a member should speak to Kit Bell. Thanks given to Michelle Green for making the coffee for our monthly meetings.

meeting was adjourned at 7:45 pm

Denis Weber critique followed the meeting, of the painting challenge completed at 9 pm.