

Warren Art League

March 3, 2016 minutes

Meeting called to order at 6:35 with Barb Kersey presiding. The minutes of the February meeting were read and approved by Deb Edling and Michelle Munksgard seconding them. Sign-up sheets were circulated for the Spring Show for May 16 art reception food, for scholarship committee, and lastly for judges for the HS art show in May.

Treasurer's Report – (Michelle) Opening Balance was \$3,633.61 with \$735. coming in the month of February for 2016 dues - a Bank fee \$5.00 with the closing balance of \$4,358.61.

Michelle is also compiling a members' booklet with contact information.

Spring Show - The league will display 2 banners at 2 locations one week on Market St. by the Crary and 2 weeks display on Ludlow St. Advertising in Spotlight section of paper Thursday will be arranged. Jon Silter is our contact as Diana Paddock is no longer with the Times-Observer. Sat. May 14 the show will be hung. Be there to deliver work and help hang at 10:00 AM.

Last year an art work remained unclaimed by a purchaser and lost. Marian Aranyos offered to call buyers to remind them to pick up purchased art May 28th.

Important – send Barb a list of your entries with Title, Medium, and price. Artists may enter up to 6 pieces for \$20 or \$5. each. If you enter, you are expected to proctor a shift.

Make sure work has secure hooks and wire for hanging. If a piece is sold, the check is to be made out to the artist. Artist is responsible for tax and the library gets a donation or percentage. Barb will check into tax ID number and confirm commission or donation.

May 2 is the week for the HS art show. We need judges that week. Set up a common date among those of you who offered to help.

Summer outings were discussed and put on the calendar.

June 15 – Wednesday - Rock City Park near Olean, NY. Meet at Budget Lodge lot at 10:00, and we will go toward Bradford on Rt 59. Bring Bag Lunch.

July 13 – Wednesday - Erie Art Museum and Painted Finch gallery and lunch. Meet at First Lutheran Church at 10:00 AM.

August 4- Thursday – Lunch and swim at Pat Orbanic's Noon. Bring a shared dish.

Aaron Pickens show opening at Crary Gallery Sat. March 11, 6-8 PM

Meeting adjourned at 7:35. Kara Winters who cancelled February did not show for this month's meeting.

Next meeting at April 7, 2016. A representative from Art Trail will speak.

Respectfully submitted,
Marian Aranyos (for Wilma Fleming)