

**Hopkinsville Art Guild
Minutes**

August 11, 2011
Guild Art Studio

Meeting was called to order by President Carolyn Self at 1:00pm

Members Present: Betty Liles, Teresa Gemeinhardt, Carolyn Self, Henrietta Kemp, Melanie Halliman, Jeff Ezell, Tanya Ezell, Leoma Howery, Jim Mason, Betty Vinson, Janice Cayce, Gail Meyer, Guy Bozard, Reisa Peters, Barbara Gardner, and Linda Pierce.

Minutes: July 14, 2011, minutes were reviewed and approved as read.

Financial Report: A monthly summary of expense and income was presented as prepared by Treasurer Janice Cayce. The current checking account balance is \$7,049.22, with income of \$2,777.45 and expenses of \$2,264.34. A motion to approve the report was made by Melanie Halliman and seconded by Reisa Peters. Motion carried.

Membership: Betty Liles reported we currently have ____? members.

PACI report: No Report

Committee Reports:

Gallery/Studio Committee:

- Motion made by Betty Liles and seconded by Gail Meyer to accept books authored by members to be sold in the Gallery. Acceptance on an individual basis. Motion carried.
- **Facility oversight committee**– Thank you was offered to Susan Rochelle for making the curtain for the doorway in the Studio that was exposed. An electrician was used to work on the lights in the studio greatly improving the Studio lighting.

Publicity: Press releases will be sent for the Pennyroyal Juried Art Exhibition and reception. Updates on the Web Site have been made by Terry Fuqua and are greatly appreciated.

Workshops: 2011-2012 Workshop Schedule

- July 10 – 2:00- 5:30 Watercolor workshop led by Charlotte Nelms
- (Not free to members) October 29 – Eunice Kern – silk scarf painting workshop

Art Auction: Saturday, Nov.12, 2011, held at Guild Art Gallery and Guild Studio, Committee - Jim Mason, Chair, reported. Ticket price will be \$15.00 per person, \$30.00 per couple) Buffet Dinner provided. Nancy Stalls agreed to arrange for Food for the event. Betty Vinson will facilitate the Silent Auction (items will be collected by Nov. 5). She distributed a list of suggestions for Silent Auction items. Henrietta Kemp will assist with mailing invitations by October 12 and publicity. Melanie Halliman provided information about painting chairs that will be auctioned in the “Chair-ity Auction”.

It was decided to cancel the chair painting session, Sat., August 13, from 12:00 - 4:00 due to a lack of interest.

Old Business:

Guild Name tags – can be ordered by giving Henrietta Kemp \$5.50 to place order.

August 16,- 5:00 -9:00, “**Paint-N-Party**” Members are asked to promote the event with friends and come help the evening of the event.

Pennyroyal Juried Art Exhibition – Help is needed Saturday Sept. 3, from 12:00 -3:00 with the moving of artwork during the judging of the show.
Sunday, Sept. 4, - 2:00-4:00 with hanging the exhibition
Sunday Sept. 11- Reception 2:00 -4:00, food and assistance is needed.
Friday, Sept. 30 – 9:00 -12:00 – artwork pick up
Saturday, October 1 – 9:00 -12:00 artwork pick up

Next Gallery Quarterly Change – October 2 and 3

New Business:

North Drive Middle School teacher has requested assistance with an Art Club on a monthly basis. Tanya Ezell agreed to be of help in that effort.

Tanya Ezell suggested she would be willing to make and donate to the Guild publicity “window clings” that could be displayed on vehicles if members wanted to have them. It was agreed there was enough interest for her to proceed.

HCC Public Library Friends organization has requested supplies for making Masks. Ex paper bags, ribbon, jewels, buttons, etc. Members wishing to donate should bring them to the Gallery prior to October 10.

CCHS Band Director has requested information about possibly purchasing 5 of the Guild’s pillars which are in storage. It was agreed that they could be sold for \$150 if interested.

Copies of the revised Studio/Gallery policies which were adopted previously were distributed.

President Self shared information about a Chamber Gift Certificate program available if we wish to participate. Some questions were asked about cost and difficulty of use. President Self will get more information.

Copies of the Entry form for the John Hall Purchase Award Greeting Card contest were distributed. Deadline for entry is Sept. 30. The winner will be announced at the reception October 1st.

The next meeting will be Thursday, Sept. 8, at 1:00pm at the Guild Studio.

Respectfully submitted,

Henrietta Kemp, Secretary