



Palmer Lake Art Group



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Next Meeting:

Saturday, February 9
at the
Mountain Community Mennonite Church
9:00 am for social gathering and snacks
9:30 am business agenda.

Agenda:

Welcome Members and Guests
Thanks to Those Who Provided Refreshments
Sunshine Committee Report
Approve Minutes from January
Treasurer's Report
Winter Show Wrap
Drawing Classes
Other Busines

Word from the President

Thanks to all you volunteers for making our winter show a success.
I'll be screening my art movie "Rarefied Air" with the Pillar Institute 3-13 1pm.
Must contact Pillar to sign up....Best to all in '19.

Your Prez,
Jim



Happy Birthday

Ethan Ahlstrom 2/23	Ed Gordon 2/14
Vicki Mynhier 2/12	Lynn Roth 2/14
Jim Sawatzki 2/17	Margarete Seagraves 2/27
Norman Smith 2/22	Bonnie Wendelburg 2/4



Reminder!

PLAG Annual Membership Fees were due in January.
\$25 for single member, \$35 for family membership.

Upcoming Events:

Tuesday, Feb 5 - Meet and Greet at Irimi's house, *not the studio*, from 6-8 pm.

Tuesday, Feb 19 - The Gallery Committee meeting has been moved to Tuesday, February 19 at 9am at Irimi's studio. All members are welcome.

Member News:

From John DeFrancesco

PLAG has an opportunity to obtain a generous donation from the Charles and Lou Marshall estate, which is to be used for the benefit of members and possibly for artists outside PLAG if appropriate. However, we must first submit ideas as to how we might apply the funds (which cannot be used for high school student scholarships or the general fund). Please email John DeFrancesco with your ideas prior to February 15 at jdefrancesco522@comcast.net.

AND

If you have any old art magazines you no longer need, we would like to donate them to the Senior Center in Colorado Springs. Please bring them to the February 9 meeting and John DeFrancesco will deliver them.

Minutes

PLAG Minutes

January 19, 2019

Officers present: Marci Edwards, Bonnie Sands, Carolyn Stolz and Jim Sawatzki . Linda Roberts was absent, excused.

There were 17 other members in attendance.

Welcome: Following a welcome by President, Jim Sawatzki, the Chairperson of the Sunshine Committee, John DeFrancesco, announced that a card has been sent on PLAG's behalf to Gloria Williams with sympathy on the recent death of her grandson.

Minutes:

A motion was made by Patricia Schmidt, seconded by Irmi Knoth to accept, as written, the minutes of November, 2018 as published electronically in the December, 2018 newsletter.

Old Business:

At the December 8, 2018 PLAG luncheon the following slate of officers for 2019 was presented by the Nominating Committee Chairperson, Margarete Seagraves: President- Jim Sawatzki, Vice President- Bonnie Sands, Treasurer- Carolyn Stolz, Recording Secretary- Linda Roberts and Corresponding Secretary- Marci Edwards. The vote was unanimous in accepting the slate of officers.

In addition, Vicki Mynhier volunteered to serve as Publicity Chairperson for 2019.

Treasurer's Report: Carolyn Stolz reported for the months of November, 2018 and December, 2018

Treasurer's Report NOVEMBER 2018

Savings Beginning Balance as of 11-1-18	25,974.80
*Deposit 11-20-18	2,250.00
Interest Credit 11-30-18	0.88
Ending Balance as of 11-30-18	28,225.68
2018 Scholarship = \$ 750.00 - Savings	\$24,475.68
2019 Scholarship =	\$3,000.00

*Transfer of Funds from Checking to Savings donated for 2019 Scholarship Awards.

Checking Beginning Balance as of 11-1-18	7,240.45
Deposits	-0-
Transfer of Funds to Savings	< 2,250.00>
Expenses	< 1,256.47>
Ending Balance as of 11-30-18	3,733.98
Certificate of Deposit as of 11-30-18	20,000.00

*Deposits: None

*Expenses: December Rent=\$100; Newsletter printing=\$4.97;Liability Ins. Pmt 1 of 2=\$384.50; Directors Ins.=\$589.00;Gazette-Craft Fair GO ad=\$178.00;

*Monthly detailed reports available upon request to Treasurer
Submitted by Carolyn Stolz, Treasurer

Treasurer's Report DECEMBER 2018

Savings Beginning Balance as of 12-1-18	28,225.68
Interest Credit 12-31-18	0.96
Ending Balance as of 12-31-18	28,226.64
2018 Scholarship = \$ 750.00 - Savings =	\$24,476.64
2019 Scholarship =	\$3,000.00
Checking Beginning Balance as of 12-1-18	3,733.98
Deposits	940.00
Expenses	< 833.46>
Ending Balance as of 12-31-18	3,840.52

Certificate of Deposit as of 12-31-18 20,000.00

*Deposits: \$60=donation/Charles Marshall memoriam; \$630 for Christmas luncheon; \$250 donation from Gerathy family.

*Expenses: January Rent=\$100; Winter show postcards printing=\$44.22; Winter show poster printing=\$12.60; Newsletters printing=\$4.64; Christmas Luncheon/Bella Panini=\$672

*Monthly detailed reports available upon request to Treasurer

Submitted by Carolyn Stolz, Treasurer

A motion was made by Margarete Seagraves, seconded by Patricia Schmidt to accept the Treasurer's Report as presented. Motion carried.

President's Report:

- PLAG members will continue to teach drawing classes at the Monument Library beginning in March.
- Member dues are due. \$25.00.
- PLAG will continue membership in the Chamber of Commerce
- Membership: New member Joanie Lang is a painter. Annette Campbell is a former member, now returning. Shaba Clerk, owner of Little Miss Marmalade is a potential member.
- Lou Marshall Donation: John DeFrancesco provided suggestions for the use of the funds from the donation in memory of Lou Marshall. Suggestions included:
 1. Scholarships for members to attend workshops
 2. Payment of fee to artists who conduct workshops for PLAG members
 3. Purchase of tickets for members to attend meaningful art exhibits (ie: Denver Art Museum)
 4. Cash awards for PLAG shows
 5. Paying fees to assist non-member senior citizens to take art classes at the Colorado Springs Senior Center

Members are asked to provide other ideas that will be compiled and presented to Mr. Marshall. E-mail John DeFrancesco with other ideas by February 16, 2019.

There will be a call for a 2-3 person committee to administer requests and disbursements.

The money from this donation will go into the PLAG savings account and will be labeled "Charles and Lou Memorial."

Committee Reports:

- Margarete Seagraves reported on the upcoming Winter Show:
 6. Entry forms are due Thursday January 24th and work dropped off on Saturday Jan. 26th
 7. Members were asked to volunteer for hanging the show and working in the kitchen.
 8. Susie Arnold will purchase some refreshments from Costco, and members are asked to bring an appetizer. Food needs to arrive by 5 PM on February 1st for setup.
- Assuming there is no snow storm, the Gallery Committee will meet on Feb. 12th at Irmi's Studio.
- The next "Meet and Greet" will be 6-8 PM Feb. 5th at Irmi's home (18260 Red Clover Lane in Woodmoor)

Announcements: Members were asked to bring any old art magazines to the next meeting and John De Francscso will take them to the Monument Senior Center.

A motion to adjourn was made at 10:30 by Patricia Schmidt, seconded by Irmi Knoth. Motion carried.

Following the business meeting Irmi Knoth presented a hands-on program on acrylic pouring. It was very well-received.