

Contemporary Quilt and Fiber Artists
CQAFA
4/11/2022

The meeting was called to order at the Barn at 7:00 pm by Co-Pres. Judy Levy.

Three guests in attendance were Janet Neu, Betsy Gerrein, Diane Glos and Sally (last name not provided). Sheila Bopp joined as a new member.

Sunshine and Shadows updates were as follows:

Cris Fee announced that her piece "Fiona" has been accepted into the "Form Not Function" exhibit.

Sonia Martin shared another "big hair" piece she received which brings the count to 25.

Barb Stewart announced that she will have a number of pieces in the "Light Up With Art" show being held at Peterloon Estate in Indian Hill from May 18 thru May 22. This is a fundraiser for Lighthouse Youth Service.

Betsy Terrill informed the group that the individual convicted of murdering Ann Reed's daughter is up for parole. She asked if members would be willing to sign a petition that this should not happen.

Susan Austin informed the group her email was hacked and that members should be cautious about using this technology.

Cynthia Supe informed the group that donations for Crayons to Computers and Indigo Hippo can now be made.

Treasurer's Report: As Helen Stringer was on vacation, Barb Stewart provided the following report as of 3/31/22:

Starting Balance 02/28/2022 = \$4,875.08
Deposits = \$0
Expenses = \$4 (PNC service charge for 3/1 and 4/1)
Ending Balance 3/31/22 = \$4,871.08

March Minutes: Upon motion made by Cris Fee, the minutes of the March minutes were approved as posted on the website.

Old Business:

Advertisement Cards – Judy S. informed the group that these were approved by the Board. They are to be used for general use.

Studios Tours – 7 members have agreed to host a tour of their home studios. It was suggested that non-members could attend these as long as they are there with current members.

MAC Show – Cris fee reported that Kim and Betsy each sold a wall hanging, and that Kim sold approximately 30 cards. Demo Day is this Wednesday from 10:00 – 3:00. Take down is 5/6 at 9:00.

Barn Show – Sally reminded us that this will run from 6/1 through 6/13 with installation occurring on 6/1 from 10:00 to 12:00. Items can be picked up on 6/13. Members were reminded that the inventory sheet is available on the website. The labels inventory labels were

available at this meeting. Work should be brought to the May CQAFAs meeting on 5/9. We can come early to provide our work. Entry fee is \$10. Photos should be submitted so they can be used on the promotional materials. Artist reception is 6/5 from 2:00 to 4:00.

Workshop Committee – Carole Price reported that the committee is looking at having 4 workshops during the course of the year. They will be on jel, paint on fabric, beading and composition. The paint on fabric one will be held on 10/8 at the Barn, and will be taught by Jacqueline Sullivan. More info will be coming.

Basic Techniques Class Update – Linda Whittenburg reminded us that this will take place on May 28, from 9-4 at Kramer's Sew and Vac. She reviewed the topics that will be covered. A minimum of 8 people will be needed to have the class. A maximum of 15 can attend.

Logo – Three submissions were received. As it turned out, these could not be used because of technical requirements. Therefore, the committee members created one that satisfied the technicalities. By pulling from "hat" that had the 3 submissions, the award was provided to Cris. Judy S. revealed the committee-created logo. Those in attendance were asked to vote Yes or No for utilizing this logo.

Fiber Is Art Too – Barb Sferra reminded us that submissions for this show are due by 6/24.

New Business:

Point of contact for Future Shows – Lynn Ticotsky has agreed to have her name added to our website home page to be the contact for providing more information about show opportunities. She will also forward information to the membership about volunteer opportunities for potential future CQAFAs group show.

During the Break, the Social Committee conducted the Flower Power and Tools challenges. Sally Lloyd won the Flower Power. Donn Tron won the Tools. Cris Fee conducted a mini TOOT session about the best ways to store quilts.

Show and Share was conducted. The following members participated: Barb Stewart, Lynn Ticotsky, Robbie Porter, Betsy Gerrein, Nora MacFarlane, Sally Lloyd, Betsy Terrill, Carole Price, Linda Whittenburg, Judy Witt, Susan Austin and Nan Hatch.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15.

Respectfully Submitted,

Barbara Stewart