

## **YAG General Membership Meeting Minutes**

**Date:** September 27, 2023

**Time:** 11:05 am

**Location:** Carol Summers' Studio

**Moderator:** Lorrie Owens

**Members present:** Colin, Cristy, Robin, Debbie, Donna, Chuck, Dave, Ginger, Lorrie0, Carol S, Jude, Lori S, Maeona, Phil, Melinda, Darryl.

**Approval of last month's minutes - Aug 30** Jude Proposed and Donna Second and all approved.

**Treasurer's Report:** August Report \$8, 324.47

### **Membership Reports -**

**Membership Committee:** Carol C.- New Members?

**Publicity Report:** Sherry

**Workshop Committee:** Debbie- is stepping down from workshop committee duties. We will need to fill this position. Someone to help rally the committee members to plan workshops with other artists, phone calls, publicity, calendar planning and organizing. This is a joint effort, not just one member's sole duty. no Fall Workshops are planned thus far.

**Website/Facebook:** Kara/Nancy -

**Mini Art Galleries:** Judy? - spring 2024 project

**Waldport Libraries:** contact Sue Benett at the library to display a few pieces of art there. We all can change out each month for exposure.

**Galleries:**

**Melinda/Jude- Runyan-** Oct 13 - Nov 26, Oct 13 4-7pm Reception

.Need a vote for more wine for the reception, 10 bottles <\$100.00 this was put in motion by Donna and second by Colin and all approved.

**Sue - Florence Events Center-**

**Sue/Ginger - Siuslaw Public Library-**

**Lori/Jude - City Hall-** the current displays will be taken down and next art group needs to be ready on Oct 9th.

**Phil? - Alsea Public Library**

**Historian:** Ginger,

**Fun Committee -** Gretchen

**Sunshine Chair:** Lorrie0 - please send healing vibes to Carol Cassidy

**OLD BUSINESS:**

- Watercolor Society of OR, April 2024, volunteers needed to help store and hang
- Donna's Children's Charity Art - Oct 21. What's next? She is fundraising for the cash prizes, art will hang in her gallery that Saturday and perhaps sunday-monday, then

winners will be hung possibly at Chill for a duration for more of the public to see. This event is a test to see how it goes and possibly continue as an annual event. Judges are Debbie and Lori S. Art hangers Colin and Phil.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- Yachats Banner Auction Oct 7th, 7pm. great food, meet the artists. Be ready to participate next year, if you haven't yet.
- **Members:** it is very important that we all pitch in and help with different events and committees. There always seems to be the same few folks who do everything for the entire group. Several have already hit burnout. Please be kind, pick a committee or two and ask what you can do. Especially if you can't make it to meetings. It can be as simple as making a few phone calls, passing out flyers to businesses while you are out and about, just brainstorming with other members for a particular event, and much more. This way everyone participates in his/her own capacity and does not become spent. And as always, please chime in to emails, meeting agendas, minutes, anytime you have a question, concern or comment. We want to hear from you! Your voice is important, you are part of a fun and caring group that all have one thing in common, Art!
- Lorrie0 requests from some of the original members (Kathy, Jowanna, Carol S, Dave, Nina, Claire, more?) to please give a bit of early history of our group, so that I can come up with material for a short speech and to keep for future needs. Thank you in advance, you can email me or call.

Next General Meeting is Oct 25. And again on Nov 29.

Next Steering Committee Meeting is Nov 15.

Having no further business, the meeting was adjourned at \_\_\_\_\_11:50am\_\_\_\_\_