

**Yachats Arts Guild
General Membership Meeting
November 20, 2024**

The meeting was called to order at 11:10 am

In attendance: Ricki Peterson, Debbie Aken, Donna Bader, Daryl Baird, Beth Kattleman, Carol Cassidy, Lorrie Owens, Melinda Fellini

Minutes of the meeting were approved by Donna and seconded by Carol C

1) TREASURER'S REPORT

- Last month's report was approved by Donna and seconded by Ricki
- Bank account total as of Oct 30th \$8079.26
- Total Deposits \$0
- Expenses - rent & insurance \$327
- Cash box total \$125
- YAG Balance as of Nov 20 \$7877.26

2) MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

- no new members

3) WORKSHOP COMMITTEE

- Our workshops should be free as part of our community service. A small fee for special materials. We are under non-profit status of Polly Plumb.
- Lorrie got insurance to hold workshops at her home.

4) WEBSITE

- Misty reached out - everyone needs to use the shared Google Docs when advertising events or adding other content. You can also send her info via email, but Google docs is preferred. Lori Stevens volunteered to help members access and use it.

- Members are asked to take a look at the website and let us know if anything needs updating, adding, or eliminating.
- Please send Misty your bios and photos of artwork. Only a few of our members are represented on the website.

5) **PUBLICITY**

- Ginger, Carol, and Daryl volunteered to be on the committee. We need a couple more, especially a point person.

6) **MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND SHOW**

- We need to come up with a name for our show at our next meeting in January
- Donna booked rooms for us and for the Youth Art Show that will take place at the same time. Donna, Lynn Anderson (teacher), and Lori S are on the committee planning the Youth Show.
- The committee proposes that members come to the school once a month to talk about art to the students. More of this plan will be discussed at the next meeting.
- The committee also proposed that we offer mini workshops for the kids.
- The poster for the Youth Art Show will be created by the students.

7) **NEW BUSINESS**

- It was proposed that going forward our meetings will be 90 minutes long. The first 30 minutes will be a time to socialize, have coffee and treats, talk about our work, etc. The last hour will be devoted to guild business.

The meeting concluded at 12:03 pm.

The next meeting of the General Membership will be held in Carol Summers' studio at 11am on January 29, 2025.