

Austin Pastel Society

Meeting Minutes – April 24, 2016

Program Today – A Winning Perspective

OPENING REMARKS – President Rae Andrews called the meeting to order in the Norris Conference Center at 4:10 PM. The APS will continue to use this facility to the end of this year, 2016.

There were several repeat guests from the Bastrop area, with some joining by paying dues and one new member volunteering as the new membership chair.

President Rae Andrews encouraged members to take possession of their artistic new badges; take a friend's badge home for an easy delivery. New members can order one from Char Eppright.

TREASURER'S REPORT – Britta Herzog delivered the financial report as follows:

Beginning balance as of February 28, 2016	\$12,451.80
	Income
Demo	\$25.00
Workshop fees	\$462.50
Membership	\$30.00
Total	\$517.50
	Expenses
Demos	\$200.00
Workshop Fees	\$3,221.20
Meals	\$119.22
Video	\$65.00
Show Expenses	\$323.64
Best of Show	\$500.00
Hall Rental for 2017	\$375.00
PayPal Fees	\$5.66
Total	\$4,809.72
Balance as of April 23, 2016	\$8,159.58

Jane Frederick moved adoption of financial report and Joycelyn Schedler seconded; report was adopted.

Minutes of February 28, 2016 accepted.

NEW BUSINESS

Georgetown Library, Sunday, September 25, 2016, will be location for a mini-workshop of 3 hours followed by a regular business meeting of APS. Event will begin at noon continuing to 3:30 PM when meeting begins at 4PM

Also on the event schedule is the NW Hills Gallery for a non-juried show, with November 1st as date of delivery of paintings. November 6th – 28th is the duration of the show.

Char Eppright reviewed the process a high school artist can use to apply for the APS Scholarship that can be used at any COLLEGE WITH ARTS IN CURRICULUM for 2 years.

The fund amount is \$1,000 per year. Applications are due before the end of May 31st, 2016.

The Scholarship chair read a letter from the current award recipient who is studying at the Maryland Institute of Art. Courtney Banh appreciates what the award has done for her.

President Rae Andrews discussed APS' Facebook page that will be monitored by David Kordecki.

At 4:50 PM, the business part of the meeting concluded.

The Program, "A Winning Perspective" began. Janis Langley, Vice President and Program chair, introduced several Winners of the APS Juried Show held in the Corridor of Art. These talented artists individually talked about their inspirations and techniques: Enid Wood, Kathryn Holter, Tim Wolsey, Mike Etie, Bob Douglas, Rae Andrews and Maryneil Dance. Their comments were inspiring. Thank you for your personal stories.

President Rae Andrews announced that the next meeting will be about secrets of traveling pastel artists.

Respectfully submitted,

Geneva Johnson, Secretary