

General meeting, June 28, 2017

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, Southampton, Ontario

Executive Present: President, Debbie James; Past President, Lorraine Boucher; Assistant /Secretary, Ilene Scott; Treasurer, Karen Stewart.

Members Present: 18

1. President, Debbie James welcomed everyone and called the meeting to order.

2. MOTION # 1: It was moved that the minutes of the general meeting May 31, 2017, be approved as read. Carried.

3. The treasurers report was given by Karen Stewart with a bank balance of \$7,785.19.

4. MOTION # 2: It was moved by Karen that the treasurers report be approved as given. Seconded by Kristina Maus, Carried.

5. STUDIO TOUR: July 8 and 9, 10 am – 4pm each day.

Kristina Maus reported that she gave a radio interview with Rogers on the 26/6/17. The brochures have been mailed. Lorraine still had some signs to be pick up and Brenda Elliott has placed a thank you for all the brochure sponsors in the local news paper. Lorraine Boucher will arrange to give an interview with the Owen Sound radio station.

6. ART ON THE FENCE: Saturday, August 5, 9 am – 4 pm, Chantry Breezes B and B, Southampton. Rain date (August 6)

Ilene Scott reported that all is a go for this event. Please remember your volunteer commitment.

7. SIGNATURE SHOW: Saturday, September 30th and October 1st, 9 am – 5 pm each day. Rotary Hall, The Plex, Port Elgin

Please send you application along with a \$50.00 entry fee to Jill Pratt, General Delivery, Sauble Beach, On, NOH 2G0. Take time to tell her how many gondola bases you have and the number of tables you require. So far there are only 9 applications received and we have room for 22 artists. The dead line is July 15th

so please consider this new venue.

Lorraine Boucher had 2 banners made for our events.

8. BURSARY: Lorraine Boucher explained the fund raiser for the Bursary. It will be a Canadian Flag made up of artistic sections each painted by the artists participating in the show. She explained that she is looking for sponsors the and selling of tickets to them.

This years Bursary was won by Lindsay Glover of the Kincardine District Secondary School. The judges were Sharon Barfoot and Joyce Carr. Debbie will send a note to congratulate Lindsay and will go to the presentation.

9. MEMBERSHIP: Kathy Guenkel sent the secretary a note stating she would be unavailable for this meeting. Please review you information on the membership list and let Kathy know if there are any changes to be made.

10. NEW BUISNESS:

-Vacant Position: Our organization needs a member to take the Vice President Position.

- Kristina Maus will be guest artists at the Southampton Art Gallery for the month of August.

-Southampton Art Centre: Gayle Slinger spoke about the Henderson exhibit and asked for volunteers..Please talk to her if you are available. The exhibit is at the Art Centre from August 3 – 12.

-JoAnne Sturgeon spoke on the book sale this weekend at the boat house Sat. July 1 and Sun. July 2.

-The 60 little masterpieces will be July 8 in the evening so if you want to buy a ticket on one of these get in touch with JoAnne. The price is \$30.00 each and you are guaranteed a masterpiece.

-Joyce Carr told us that Bert Henderson will be in attendance at the Art Centre July 1 & 2 and the show starts July 3rd.

-Lorraine gave us an update on former member Elva Snyder who is in Walker ton.

-Lorraine would like help to contact former members to invite them to our August Picnic.

-Paisley Artists on the River will be held August 15th.

-Art on the Promenade, Port Elgin Harbour will be held, Sunday, July 16th, at the main beach in Port Elgin, 3pm – 9 pm..Contact: Laura McKenna at the town office.

11. It was moved by Lorraine the meeting be adjourned, Seconded by Brenda Elliott, Carried.

