

SHORELINE ARTSITS ASSOCIATION  
GENERAL MEETING OF MAY 30. 2018  
St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, Southampton, Ontario

1. Executive Present: co-Vice President, Gerald Guenkel; co-Vice President, Darlene McConnachie, Past President, Lorraine Boucher, Treasurer, Karen Stewart, Secretary, Trudy Schwass.

2. There were 24 members present and one guest, Gail Bacon

3. Past President, Lorraine Boucher opened the meeting by welcoming everyone.

4. MOTION #1:

It was moved by Marion Anderson that the minutes of the April 25, 2018 be approved as read. Seconded by Jill Pratt. Discussion: There was an error stating that Gerald Guenkel would have the Studio Tour participants to his house the night before the tour. This has been changed July 4th at 7 pm. He will be sending out an email closer to that date. Minutes – carried.

5. PRESIDENTS REPORT: This was read by Darlene McConnachie. Also, it was in her news letter.

6. STUDIO TOUR: July 7 and 8, 10 am. - 4 pm each day.

-Gerald Guenkel and Ken Thornburn distributed the brochures to the members. Please make a list of where you placed the brochures and give it to Gerald.

-Gerald thanked Ken, Thornburn, Bonnie Hastings, Darlene Watson, Trudy Schwass, Brenda Elliott for all their help with sponsors etc.

-Gerald will be sending out an email for the participants with a survey for them to get each person visiting the studio tour. There will be only 4 questions and it is to see where our customers are coming from and how they heard about the studio tour.

-He would like everyone to try out the electronic map on their phones and also to watch the videos on the face book page.

Also, the Studio Tour brochure is connected to the Shoreline Artists Web Site.  
[shorelineartists.net](http://shorelineartists.net)

7. Signs: Lorraine Boucher will let us know when we can come to her house to pick up the Studio Tour signs. She would like the white signs to be placed 2 weeks before the event. The yellow signs go the night before as they are directional to the studios.

8. ART ON THE FENCE: August 4, 9 am – 4 pm

-Glenda Hird has the applications for this event. So far she has approximately 10 participating. The dead line is June 23.

9. SIGNATURE SHOW: September 29 – 30, 9 am – 5 pm each day.

-Jill Pratt spoke to us about the survey that we were asked to fill out about last years Signature Show. She was happy to see that they received 100 % on the survey. The time could not be changed for this year as it has been printed on the brochure.

10. BURSARY: This year it will be a silent action on pieces of art donated by the membership (all art forms will be accepted). If not framed each should be 8×10, 11×14 or a size that a frame can be purchased.

11. MEMBERSHIP: No report.

-If you have any changes on the your membership please let Kathy Guenkel know.

12. SOUTHAMPTON ART CENTRE:

- Emily Laur spoke about the events for the centre.

Battle of the Brushes – painting on site June 9, 7 – 9 pm. All art will be auctioned off and they would like one more artist to participate.

Up Your Alley, August 4

50 Little Masterpieces – July 7<sup>th</sup> 7 – 9 pm. The Centre is still looking for more artists to paint a small canvas. Please consider.

- Please look at their web site for all their events. [artgallerysouthampton@gmail.com](mailto:artgallerysouthampton@gmail.com)

13: OPEN STUDIO:

The open studio group will be going Plein Air for the summer months. It is Free

Meet at the Southampton boathouse @ 8:45 am on Tuesday mornings.

-for more info go to <https://creativeopenstudio.wordpress.com/> or phone 226-992-0003, 519-374-7027, or 519-387-9224

14: Meeting adjourned:

15: EDUCATION: Glenda Hird did an Eco dying demonstration after the meeting with her crock pot. It was very informative and she had lots of samples for us to look at. Thanks to Glenda for sharing and her work is very beautiful and impressive. Thank you Glenda.