

West Hills Art League

January 17, 2019

Call for meeting to open 7:04pm.

- New member: Bo Logan (spelling?)
- Approval of distributed October Meeting Minutes
- Audra accepting membership renewals

Call of Committee Reports

- Treasurer Report: current balance \$5,674.11
- Membership report: 66 paid members
- Membership raffle winner – Susan Vandertie

Announcement of future board openings for Fall 2019.

- Lance & Amy stepping down – in need of replacements for membership and social media

Pittsburgh Airport Area Chamber of Commerce Winter show update

- 55 pieces at the most recent switch out
- Amy purchased glass cabinet and it is now in the conference room – has opened up space for sculptures and jewelry
- Still waiting on pedestals

Robin Hill Earth Day Info

- Sunday April 28th 1-3pm
- 800-1,000 patrons anticipated
- Paint and sell artwork in a location of our choosing

Discussion and Call for vote about memorial flowers/donations.

- Table voting until the next meeting.

Discussion and Call for vote at Dianne's request to raise guest speaker payment from \$125 to \$150

- Table voting until the next meeting.

Discussion and Call for vote for James Tobin to be Board Member at Large - Audio Visual and Social Media

- Table voting until the next meeting.

Call for announcements of any member shows or classes.

- The Jodee Harris Gallery at Seton Hill University is hosting an exhibition entitled "Movement". This exhibition is meant to be a celebration of forms in motion. Accepting submissions January 10-February 1. Up to 3 submissions per person in any medium. Email v.michaels@setonhill.edu
- Tess Senay Eco Art Prize: A Juried Exhibition at Pittsburgh Center for Creative Reuse due January 31st. Email up to 5 photos of the piece to info@pccr.org

- 60th Annual 2019 Dollar Bank Three Rivers Arts Festival: June 7 – 16, 2019. Open to any and all visual and performing artists. Applications are due January 18, 2019.
https://traf.trustarts.org/traf_home/artists/juried-visual-art-exhibition
- North Hills Art Center Mid-Winter Hues Art Exhibit. Show Dates: February 2 -March 1. Open to all artists. Art Delivery Dates January 21 – January 25, 10:00am - 3:00pm and January 21, 7:00pm - 9:00pm. Entry Fee: Members - \$10 per piece Nonmembers - \$15 per piece. Maximum: Three (3) Pieces. <http://northhillsartcenter.com/Call%20For%20Entries%202019.pdf>
- 46th Hoyt Regional Juried Exhibition. April 2 - May 30, 2019. Juror: Kurt Shaw, Art Critic, Pittsburgh, PA. Deadline for Submissions: January 26, 2019.
<http://www.hoytartcenter.org/callforartists>
- 52nd Edition of Art of the State. June 23 – Sept 8, 2019. Presented by The State Museum of Pennsylvania in cooperation with the Pennsylvania Heritage Foundation. Prizes awarded for selected entries in the categories of Painting, Work on Paper, Photography & Digital Arts, Sculpture and Craft. Entry fee is \$30 for up to 3 works of art. Add'l entries require \$10 each, plus the \$30 entry fee. Final date to submit entries: February 28, 2019.
<https://ethosting.s3.amazonaws.com/artofthestatepa/index.html>
- 2019 Westmoreland Art Nationals Juried Fine Art & Photography Exhibit. First exhibit May 18 - June 5 at Westmoreland County Community College. Second exhibit July 4 - July 7 at Westmoreland Arts & Heritage Festival. Postmarked Deadline March 1, 2019.
<https://ethosting.s3.amazonaws.com/artofthestatepa/index.html>
- Cranberry Township ArtBox Pilot Project. The Cranberry Artists Network, along with Cranberry Township is seeking visual artists to submit their artwork for possible placement on Township-owned utility boxes. The Art Box Pilot Project will give Cranberry artists the opportunity to transform ordinary objects of urban infrastructure into something fun and unique, enhancing our public spaces. All application materials must be received via FileGenius by April 2, 2019. More info can be found at www.CranberryTownship.org/ArtBox

Adjourn Regular Meeting 7:18pm

Tonight's demonstrator: Garrett from Artist & Craftsman Supply, Squirrel Hill, PA

- Employee owned business
- Started in Portland Maine
- Location in PGH started in East Liberty then moved to Squirrel Hill and they have been there now for about 6 years.
- Materials available to experiment with this evening:
 - Golden Acrylics & textured mediums
 - Primatech paints (which actually contain precious stones)
 - Upo paper – plastic based paper - good for watercolor and alcohol inks
- WHAL members get 10% discount on regular priced items in store!

Best,

Leah Shuck