

# WHAL October 2022

14 Members present

## **Board Reports**

- Treasurer's Report (Audra Zampogna) current balance \$4,467.18
- Membership Report (Helena Valentine) 35 paid members. Renew your membership! If you pay by November 1st, you will be entered into a drawing for a free membership for next year.
- Programs Report (Kim Freithaler) next month's presenter is doing a hands-on workshop with collage. Materials will be provided.
- Publicity / Communications Report (Lynda Kirby) Don't forget to send your autumn color palette artworks by the end of the month!
- Social Media/Multimedia Report (Cindy Gilberti, Jim Tobin) We are getting hits on the YouTube page.

## **Member News / Call for Artists / Show and Class Announcements (Debbie Tobin)**

- Closing reception for the Plein Air show at Gilberti's Friday November 4th from 6-8pm.
  - We made \$250 from the show. We paid \$200 to rent the space and \$50 will be left over to fund the closing reception.
- Free preview event for the North Hills Art Center Holiday Art Market on November 18th from 6-9pm with refreshments.

## **Demonstration by Patricia Mae Young**

- Patty uses pan pastels and sponges for her paintings.
- She typically works around 12"x18" and likes this medium because it covers quickly.
- She changes her color palettes based on the season.
- Patty is a plein air painter.
- She uses a grid method to begin her paintings, dividing the paper into fifths.
- Patty uses 320 sanded UART paper. It comes in black and tan.
- She roughs in her composition with pencil, pastel, or hard charcoal.
- Patty always works top to bottom & background to foreground. Though the pan pastel doesn't fall as much as the stick pastels do.
- Pan Pastels can be purchased at Dick Blick online or visit the store in Shadyside.
  - [https://www.dickblick.com/products/panpastel-artists-painting-pastels-sets/?clickTracking=true&wmcp=pla&wmcid=items&wmckw=21934-0809&gclid=Cj0KCQjw48OaBhDWARIsAMd966C8ezeCmYKVEQd-FcCEcYHZjRuzaHCug9noVSB7JirfJtrszzlmUjoaAujJEALw\\_wcB](https://www.dickblick.com/products/panpastel-artists-painting-pastels-sets/?clickTracking=true&wmcp=pla&wmcid=items&wmckw=21934-0809&gclid=Cj0KCQjw48OaBhDWARIsAMd966C8ezeCmYKVEQd-FcCEcYHZjRuzaHCug9noVSB7JirfJtrszzlmUjoaAujJEALw_wcB)
- Patty uses 3M 77 spray glue from Lowe's to attach her paintings to a backing board before placing in a mat. She likes thicker mats. They come from Matboard Plus in Albuquerque where she orders

them in bulk.

Respectfully submitted,  
Leah Shuck