Tarpon Springs Art Association General Meeting

November 7, 2016

The meeting was called to order at 1:30 p.m. by President Yvonne James. All guests and new members were welcomed.

Secretary's Report: The meeting minutes will be available on the TSAA web site.

Treasurer's Report: Wendy Davis stated that we have a balance of \$1194.89.

- **Membership & Newsletter**: Patsy Renz reported that the items for the newsletter are due by the 18th of this month. The current newsletter has been mailed and our current paid membership is 132.
- **Programs:** Jane Lawson reported that the Plein Aire group is meeting Fridays at 9:30 am at Wall Springs Park for the month of November. In December they will paint at the Garden Room on Alt 19 in Palm Harbor. Lee Albion will do a watercolor demo at today's meeting and a workshop on Friday from 1-4pm at Craig Park. Elaine Hahn is scheduled for an oil painting demo and workshop in January

Sunshine: No report.

Venues:

Florida Capitol Bank - signup with Sharon Chandler.

Performing Arts Center – a sign-up sheet is available in the back of the room.

Florida Hospital North (Helen Ellis Hospital Lynn Kopala coordinator, requests a volunteer to assist her in this venue. The hospital requires two coordinators. There is an opening for January at the hospital.

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Special Event: The Winter Art Show is the week of November 14 -17 and the art will hang in the cultural center through December 30. Details of the activities are listed in the newsletter. Registration fee is \$20 this year.

.Artist of the Month: Gail McConnell – 0il painting

- <u>Old Business:</u> The November Boys & Girls Club art program will be watercolors with a demo by Bess King followed by the children creating a painting of a pumpkin All were encouraged to volunteer in this TSAA community outreach program.
- <u>New Business:</u> Yvonne James announced that Palm Harbor Library wants artists to register to show work. Go to PHLlib.org for further information

Announcements: Pat Watts announced that Judy Myers is the contact for displaying artwork in the New Port Richey City Hall and that the USA Flea Market is a possible venue for individual artists to sell their artwork.

Adjournment: There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 2:03 pm.

Minutes respectively submitted by Bess King, Secretary.