

**Tarpon Springs Art Association General Meeting
April 2, 2018**

The meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m. by President Yvonne James. All guests and new members were welcomed. Yvonne also thanked all the members, including the board members, that contributed to making the last two years a success. Special recognition went to Heather Risley, Joy Swanson, and Patsy Renz for all their hard work and dedication to TSAA.

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

Treasurer's Report We have a balance of \$2983.78 and it includes \$839.53 of the Boy's&Girl's club funds.

Membership & Newsletter: The 2018 directories and member nametags are available at the registration desk.

Programs: No report.

Sunshine: No report.

Venues:

Florida Capitol Bank - signup with Sharon Chandler.

Performing Arts Center – Heather shared that the available space has been limited to an end wall and sign up is available now.

Chamber of Commerce – Heather reported that the chamber has agreed to have TSAA display art. There is room for 12 paintings and 2-3 3-D pieces. The chamber will put out an email regarding the artwork and permit the artist to hold a small reception if desired. Sign up is now available at the back of the room.

Florida Hospital North - Lynn Kopala coordinator. Signup is full until fall.

Tarpon Springs Library – Gail McConnell coordinator. There is room for a few members to display their art after today's program.

Special Event: The 9th annual Tarpon Springs Paint & Photo event is April 17 -21 and registration is almost full. Volunteers are needed to assist and signup sheets are in the back of the room.

Artist of the Month: The following are the winners in this year's annual spring art show:

1st Place - Betty Stollard

2nd Place – Carol Loiacono

3rd Place – Ruth Smith

Honorable Mention – Pat Miller

Old Business: None

New Business: the following were nominated and voted in as the 2018-2019 board members. Heather Risley conducted the induction for the following positions:

Trish Gregory – President

Sherry Orr – Vice President

Sue McCubbin – Treasurer

Trish Pelletier – Secretary

Announcement: Carol Loiacono will have her two final plein air classes 4/4 & 4/11.

Adjournment: There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 1:14 pm.
Minutes respectively submitted by Bess King/Secretary.