

President Heather Risley called the meeting together at 1:30 PM. She welcomed members and guests. Approximately 60 members present.

Secretary: Report on Bulletin Board.

Treasurer: Patsy Renz spoke about her report. For more information see Board Meeting January 28.

Programs: Jane Lawson reported Judy Rodger's Workshop very successful. Questions asked why workshops only on Thursdays. Jane said availability on Crystal Beach, and herself limited to Thursdays.

Demo today: Mitch Kolbe with workshop scheduled on Thursday in oil.

March: Lynn Ferris, Demo. No workshop scheduled. Possibility of Carole Loiacono doing impressionism in oil. Pleinair on Fridays at City owned Marina, Riverside at 9:30 /10:00AM.

Nominating Committee: Barbara Hodges reports: President, Trish Gregory. Vice-president, Sherry Orr. Terry Gonzales Treasurer, Bess King, Secretary. Chairs needed for Refreshment etc.

Sunshine: Chris Tagares sent card to Lynn Kopala, who was present and told how she appreciated the card.

Kathy Rabold reported workshops in near future at Harbor Hall. Marie Cummings, Pat Gorrow, Carole Frye. Sign up sheets in rear available for time and dates. Cost is \$40.00.

Venues: Plaka is Fred Farmakis till end of February. Sign up in rear for future dates.

Tarpon Library: Sign up in rear.

Florida Capitol Bank: May, June, July and August open.

Helen Ellis: One more artist needed for March 12. Open May through June.

Performing Arts Full until April Spring Show. May through June is full. Summer months available.

Kathy Detrano again mentioned to members she is doing Cover for Gulf Harbors Newsletter. Painting submitted by jpeg, Portrait format. She reported Pastel Society of Tampa has Show at Sterling Galleries, Alternate 19 and Main Sts in Dunedin. Award Ceremony is Friday February 8, 2013. Next month format for "Artist of the Month" is watercolor. This month's Artist is Jim Weiss for his mixed media piece.

Heather spoke regarding Art Walk on second Saturday of the month. She expects to have more information. Art on the Bayou is April 6, and 7. See Heather for more information. Carole Loiacono is having classes in Pleinair on Wednesday at Craig Park from 9 to 12 am. Cost is \$5.00.

Heather told membership Marge Fritch, a long time Tarpon Springs Artist and friend is leaving for New Hampshire on February 16. A gathering is scheduled for Friday afternoon at Artists Fair Gallery on Tarpon Ave. Members welcome.

Pat Haddad asked members for donations of Art work for Auction benefiting Shephard Center in Tarpon Springs. "Peace for Tarpon" squares are to be delivered by our March meeting, for pickup by Robin Sanger, to decorate the entire town of Tarpon Springs.

Meeting adjourned at 2:00PM. Respectfully submitted by Secretary, Ann Clark

