

## BozART Meeting October 29, 2023

**Present:** Terry Coffey, Cindy Stegmeier, Carol Williams, Katharine Maus, Judi Ely, Carolyn Ratcliffe, Julia Kindred; Juliette Swenson, Matalie Deane, Randy Baskerville, Rich Bednar, Chris Rich, Chuck Garrettson, Shirley Paul and Frank Feigert.

Meeting started 4:13

Welcomed new members: Chuck Garrettson, Cindy Stegmeier and Carol Williams.

Members shared information about their art, influences and what job they do for BozART

### **Christmas Party – at Brita’s TBA**

**Treasurer Report,** Randy all dues have been paid, total balance is 1,911.90

**Secretary Report,** Joan unavailable – she sent out last month’s minutes.

**President Report,** Julia

- announced she is stepping down in 2024
- BozART is in good shape as all the other current board, Matalie as Vice President, Joan as Secretary and Randy as Treasurer will remain.
- Judi will remain as membership chair
- We have facilitators for all 2024 shows with a facilitator excepting Northside Library (an easy venue to manage) Facilitators are: Juliette, Matalie, Randy, Joan, Carolyn, Julia.
- Rich will remain as webmaster
- Shirley will make labels for four (one off) group shows
- Katharine will continue to do publicity to newspapers
- Julia will create enewsletter (every 2 mos) announcing members accomplishments, shows.

**Membership Report** – Judi spent many hours to create a ‘Selection Committee’, voted at last month meeting, but it did not work. It has been disbanded. She will continue to welcome applicants. Frank will continue to help.

**Lists - Member** lists emails, phone #'s, social media, jobs to help with bozart, etc **AND Exhibition Schedule** lists information: facilitators (helps to answer questions), venues, addresses, commission, # of painting, etc. Much of the info you want to know.

### **Current/Recent Exhibitions**

**SVAC** (Shenandoah Valley Art Center) – Judi, 9 artists in this show with 3 sales; show is offered every two years

**UVA** – Julia, 7 artists in this show. 3 artists have 6 sales; show is deinstalled Nov 7<sup>th</sup>.

**SMJH** (Martha Jefferson Hospital) – Randy, Juliette, Katharine, and Ellen are in this show continues to Dec 4<sup>th</sup>.

## Upcoming Exhibition Venues

**Piedmont Place** – Juliette, this venue closed due to a water leak last Christmas. Waiting for the railing to be installed. The owner will install in November. Slightly smaller space, art only hung 2<sup>nd</sup> floor hallway.

*Dec – Mar exhibit for 4-5 members – contact Juliette room for 1 more.*

**Northside Library** – Terry, 3 members, Shirley, Katharine and Judi are in Dec show

**Grace Vineyard** – Carolyn, New manager at the vineyard, Mike Gagbiardi, will coordinate with Carolyn. Currently the commission is 20%. Artist's can have a reception. Friday Nights will have music in the tasting room. Chris Rich will co facilitate. 2 month exhibit.

*2 opportunities: Dec-Jan; Feb – Mar, Aug-Sept – dates are avail. Contact Carolyn Ratcliffe.*

**Botanical** – Matalie, all dates for 2024 has been filled, if you want a show in 2025, let Matalie know. The second year has been more successful with sales to Juliette, Julia, Chris, Andy. Cindy Stegmeier has offered to help Matalie as a co facilitator.

**Random Row** – Terry, Courtney is manager, there are 6 wooden panels with hangers on which to hang art. 12 – 22 paintings can be hung.

**Website** – Rich – will update pages for members. **A new section is for Members Only and is password protected.** Membership, exhibition lists posted along with minutes, treasurer reports and other information members might be interested in.

**New Item**– Julia – would like one member to collect emails from members (20 each). Create and Add a new group list on BozART gmail. Email list will announce future shows.

**Next meeting TBA will be at Terry's Studio the end of Jan or Beg of Feb**

Meeting ended at 5:14.