CAA April meeting

Jean called the April meeting of the CAA to order.

She requested volunteers for new officers as all current board members have served for 2 or more years.

Our Treasurer reports a balance of \$2947.21 in our account.

Laurie is working on our website. Please send her pictures of your work to post. Let her know if anything is not working on the site. She also asked if a new logo is needed.

Pat reports our Crossroads space has been redone with a new shelf, beautiful rug and new art. We will consider painting the space in the fall. Consideration will be given in regards to adding electricity to the back wall so Sally's lamps can be turned on. If you are exhibiting at Crossroads, please send pictures of your work to Pat. She will send them to Crossroads for inclusion on their website.

Congratulations to Kathy Mulholland for her card sales at Crossroads and to Julie Northcott for her sale at Independence Golf Course.

RaeJean is giving up her position as Hospitality lead. She gave a brief overview of what she does. Sandy expressed an interest in taking over for RaeJean.

Julie reminded everyone that the Fort Clifton show will be Mother's day weekend. If you are interested in exhibition there, contact her!

The Perkinson Center is having a call for entries at this time. All are invited to submit. The deadline is April 19th. Information for entry can be found on their website.

A brief discussion was held in regards to exhibiting at Art Works. Parking is an issue.

Our Swift Creek Mill Theater show is scheduled for May. Artists were given options for when they could deliver and hang work. Each artist may submit up to 3 paintings, depending on size. It . May 7th was chosen by the group as our hang date. Artists are expected to be there between 9am and 12pm.

Sandy Watts shared information on a beautiful gold paint she has found. Rustoleum is the brand. It is great for refreshing framing.

Side Street Gallery is hosting a show in collaboration with the garden club. The opening is Saturday, April 13th.

The group discussed having a 'Show and Tell' table. Artists could bring in work at each meeting for critique.

Paula Ortgiesen shared information on shows available to enter. Marti will forward to the group.

Our officer roster for next year will be, Paula Ortgiesen, President, Marti Fann and Jean Stagg, Vice President, Gail Litton, Treasurer, Gail Butler, Secretary, Pat McNamara, Crossroads curator, and Sandy Watts, Hospitality. Laurie McAleenan will continue as our Communications director.

Today's refreshments were provided by Paula, Sandy and Gail. Thank you ladies!!

Our program today was presented by Marti Fann. She gave us a very informative presentation on creating an artist statement Thank you Marti!!!

Until next time, Happy creating everyone!!