CAA April 2025 Minutes

Paula Ortgiesen welcomed us all to the April meeting of the CAA.

She gave us information on three upcoming show opportunities to consider entering. First was the Kaleidoscope show at the Perkinson Center. Entries must be received by April 18th. Second was the Gallery at First Unitarian. You must be juried into this show, applications close in July. Please visit their site for more information. Third is a show at The Cultural Art Center at Glenn Allen. This show will be a group show to be held next year. More information will be forthcoming. The show will be called 'These Are a Few of Our Favorite Things.'

Laurie McAleenan has our website up and running with Minutes posted. If you have not sent her information on you and your work please do so!

Pat McNamara and Gail Butler will be stepping down from their positions on the board. George will be taking over for Pat. Pat stated that she can still help George with uploading photos. We will need a new Secretary If you are interested let Paula know.

The Fort Clifton show will be Mother's Day weekend. The Arts in the Park show is May 3^{rd} and 4^{th} . Both are wonderful shows to attend.

Next month our program will be a visit with Jaquelin Berry.

Judy Harris is having a workshop on making papers and collage at the Central library on Lucy Corr on April 25th and 26th. The cost for her workshop is \$50. If you are interested please contact Judy and she will give you a supply list. It will be a lot of fun!

Gail Litton reported a balance of \$1,180.85 in our account. She said our bank will be changing their name to Town Bank.

Sandy Watts asked the group to pick up or change their work at the Crossings after today's meeting. Congratulations to Nancy Belcher for her sale there! Susan Rutkowski is in charge of classes at the Crossings. If you are interested in cheering up the residents with a creative experience, please consider offering a class there. The day is flexible.

Pat McNamara stated that Crossroads has renewed their lease. As their rent has gone up, ours will as well. She also said that Crossroads will be charging an extra percentage to those who exhibit work that is not for sale. All work that on display in our space should be for sale.

Break.

Thanks to Sandy, Paula, Mary Beth, Nancy and Jean for our snacks today!

Our program was a show and tell today. We have such a talented group!!!

Until next time! Happy creating everyone!!!