

Central Indiana Artists

Encouraging the Arts in all forms to everyone!

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Central Indiana Artists, Inc.
A Non-Profit Organization



From the President



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Rose Richard

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Vice President
Joan Kisner

Secretary
Cindy Cradler

Treasurer
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Upcoming Programs - Don't miss out on the fun!

May 18

Rose Richard
Garden Tour at her house -
Paint en plein air, take photos,
relax and enjoy nature!

June 15

David Welch
Woodworking



Spring is here, and the CIA Spring Art Show is coming at us! Please go to the website, www.centralindianaartist.com, to download and print some flyers and get them out there.

I had to do an interview for the grant we requested from the town of Avon. This was the first time for the interview process. Their only concern about the Spring Art Show is our lack of promotion for the show. I have to agree. If there is someone in our group that is good at publicity, please speak up. We need a publicity committee. But in the meantime if everyone will copy at least 2 flyers and get them out in the community, that is a start. I have put a copy under my photo tab on Face Book, and on my website. Be creative. Email it to all your friends, family and everyone else you can think of.

I am going to wait to email out the current constitution for you to review until after the Spring Art Show. There is too much going on for you to review and give it serious thought.

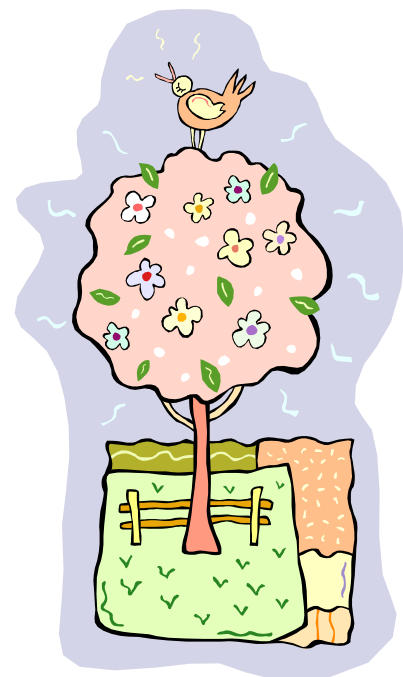
The May meeting will be at my home and gardens. There was a schedule conflict for town hall that evening, so I thought we could do a road trip. I will email directions later, I would prefer that my address and directions not be on the website for an extended period of time in older newsletter tags. (You can't be too careful online)

We have an officer change to make. Julie Heise has had to make some priority decisions with her work and class work, so she will be giving up her treasurer position in CIA. In her place, Peg Cawthorne has agreed to fill in that position.

I think that is it for this month. I hope to see all of you at the Spring Art Fair.

Respectfully,
Rose Richard
President, Central Indiana Artists, Inc.

*No meeting in April due
to the Spring Show*



Secretary's Report

CIA Meeting

Monday, March 16, 2009
Avon Town Hall

Members Present:

Rose Richards, Chris Ardelean, Alice Lee, Barb Zupane, Jeanine Miley, Susan Bott, Susan Alvis, Peg Cawthorn, Karen Pedevilla, Marilyn Wildman, Becky Troutman, Rosie Morgan, Francie Metschke, Grace Cole, Craig Voight, Sheran Simo, Tim Spicknell, Cindy Cradler, Julie Heise, Joan Kisner

Welcome

All introduced selves. New members welcomed.

Treasury/Financial Report – Julie Heise

Balance in checking account as of 2/16/2009 \$10,407.40

Motion to accept by Joan Kisner, second by Cindy Cradler, no opposed.

Budget

2008 in review: Rose presented how money was used for 2008 year including cost for Spring and Fall Shows.

2009 Budget presented by Rose: Changes from 2008 budget include venue change from Avon Town Hall to Fairgrounds for Fall Show. Facility rent necessary, however no outdoor tent, portable toilets or Billboard expenses for 2009. Within the budget was PO Box rental which is a new item. Due to difficulty in retrieving mail from Town Hall offices, a PO Box would allow President easier access in a timely manner to correspondence. Motion to approve the PO Box made by Joan Kisner, seconded by Peg Cawthorn. No opposed.

Motion to accept 2009 budget (Jeanine Miley moved, seconded by Karen Pedevilla. No opposed, 1 abstained). Budget Approved.

New forms for monetary donations, In Kind donations, reimbursement and volunteer records were introduced. In order to stay organized in case of an audit and/or to present information easily when applying for grants, these forms should be used. NOTE: reimbursement forms do not include sales tax. If something need to be purchased for CIA, please obtain tax exempt form from Julie or Rose since CIA is non-profit organization.

Secretaries Report – Cindy Cradler

Minutes from February meeting approved as written in newsletter. Motion by Joan Kisner, second by Julie Heise. No opposed.

Committee Reports

Spring Show – Jeanine Miley and Cindy Cradler

Letters to previous sponsors were sent requesting donations for 2009.

Entries are coming in. Due April 1, 2009

Show dates:

Fri., April 17 (set-up)
Sat., April 18 (artist deliver work)
Sun., April 19 (judging)
Tues., April 21 (artist reception)
Sat., April 25 (HCAC ArtsGo! Tour stop)
Sun., April 26 (release of work to artists).

Volunteers are needed. Especially men to help with set-up and tear down of display racks. Please let Jeanine know if able to help – setup Fri. 4/17 and tear down Sun. 4/26

Old Business

Constitution: 3 members needed to help Rose rewrite constitution to be applicable today (versus when originally written). This is required documentation. Suggested to email current constitution to members and at next meeting members can volunteer after reading initial one.

New Business

Future workshop suggested by Karen Pedevilla regarding “selling artwork on etsy.com” 2009 programs have been established, Karen will discuss with Susan Bott to have as possible 2010 program.

Announcements

HCAC “Gallery on the Square” is reality and will be open during ArtsGo! Tour. Gallery is next to Royal Theater on Danville Square. Currently have 14 artists to be reviewed and 6 pending.

Newsletter – Connie Wagner. Please make sure info gets to Connie by the last day of each month for newsletter.

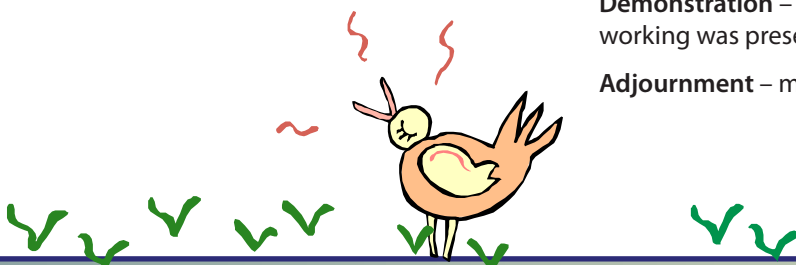
Website – contact Francie Metschke with questions and/or if need to have artist link to website. Newsletters and show entry forms are available via the website.

Becky Troutman – Display opportunity still available for Nov, Dec, Jan (2010) for Citizens Bank in Plainfield and Avon.

Alice Lee – Refreshment volunteer still needed for June (someone spoke up during meeting to volunteer, sorry didn't get the name but hopefully Alice did)

Demonstration – Very informative demonstration on metal working was presented by Craig Voight.

Adjournment – meeting was adjourned at 8:20pm.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO HELP WITH THE SPRING SHOW!

Dear Valued C.I.A. Member

I am writing to you on behalf of Central Indiana Artists, Inc., It is time for our Spring Art Show and we need volunteers to help make it the success that it always is. Thank you in advance for your volunteer time. Please print this page and check the date and time that you will be able to contribute.

Send back to me: 10810 W. Cash Rd., Quincy, IN. 47456

You can call me: 1-(765)-528-2642 or e-mail me at chad@endeavor.com

Please feel free to contact me with any questions at 765-528-2642. I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Jeanine Miley, Spring Show Chairman
Central Indiana Artists, Inc.

Name _____ and phone # _____

Friday, April 17

- Set up racks, 6:30 pm to ? (Please we need men to help)

Saturday, April 18

- Registration of entries: 9 am to noon
 Hanging of paintings: noon till ?

Sunday, April 19

- Walk with judge

Tuesday, April 21

- Artist Reception, 6:30 – 9:00 pm

Wednesday, April 22:

- 10 am to 1 pm
 1 to 4 pm
 4 to 7 pm

Thursday, April 23

- 10 am to 1 pm
 1 to 4 pm
 4 to 7 pm

Friday, April 24

- 10 am to 1 pm
 1 to 4 pm
 4 to 7 pm

Saturday, April 25:

- 10 am to 1 pm
 1 to 4 pm

Sunday, April 26:

- Entry Pick Up: 1 to 3 pm
 Tear Down: 3 pm to? (We need men to help, please!)

Member Exhibits!

Elaine Wolfe

elainecwolfe@yahoo.com

I will have one-artist show at the Carmel-Clay Library in May 2009 (predominately IN artworks) and will have feature show with Lee Ellis in the CCA Gallery in September 2009 (haven't decided on a name yet, but the theme will be the beauty of the earth).

Display Opportunities and Contact Information

Citizens Bank @ Plainfield

Citizens Bank @ Avon

Becky Troutman

Painter2@indy.rr.com

317-456-5091

Brownsburg Recreation Center

Cindy Cradler

cradlerc@sbcglobal.net

317-852-1813

Hendricks Co. Fairgrounds & Conference Center

Rose Richard

rrichard@indy.rr.com

317-745-6347

McCloud Nature Center

Beth Lintner

Naturalistblintner@hcparks.net

765-676-5731

2009 Fall Show

- ❖ Hendricks Co. 4-H fairgrounds and Conference Center
- ❖ Friday evening, September 25th
Will be free and open to the public on Saturday the 26th.
- ❖ Spaces are 10x10'. This is a juried show, but CIA members will receive first selection.
- ❖ Applications will be made available at the Spring Show.

Central Indiana Artists, Inc. Membership Form

- *Central Indiana Artists annual dues are only \$15.*
- *With your membership you will be added to the email distribution list, which will keep you up-to-date on Central Indiana Artists news.*
- *You will be included in the membership directory*
- *You will also receive a discount on entry fees for our Spring Art Show.*
- *By attending our monthly meetings you will be able to learn about other opportunities to display your work, calls for entries, and workshops.*

Please make checks payable to:
Central Indiana Artists, Inc.

Print out application and mail with payment to:
Central Indiana Artists, Inc.
c/o Avon Chamber of Commerce
8244 E US Hwy 36, Suite 140
Avon, IN 46123

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State: _____

Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Websiteaddress: _____

What medium or mediums do you use or would like to learn more about?

Do you have any skills you would be willing to share with us?

It takes the whole village to put on good art shows. Would you be available to volunteer for the:

Spring Art Show yes no

Fall Art Show yes no



About Central Indiana Artists

Central Indiana Artists is a not-for-profit corporation which began in 1953 as the Hendricks County Art League. Our goal is to bring together persons interested in

- ✘ art appreciation
- ✘ provide a forum for learning
- ✘ promote art culture in the community
- ✘ and encourage excellence in artistic achievement by providing art exhibits and special shows.

Monthly meetings are held on the third Monday of the month at 7 p.m. at the Avon Town Hall.