WVA Leadership Meeting Minutes 06/02/21

Meeting convened on Zoom at 635pm on 06/02/21.

Old Business

Marcia Hero made a motion to accept the May Meeting Minutes, Jean Sobon 2nd, the Motion passed unanimously.

New Business

WVA Members exhibits:

New show online: SPACE, Steven Bauer, Gail Willert and Angie Cope are just several of the artists exhibiting.

Several WVA artists are participating in a show at the Grohman at MSOE.

Bonnie Bruch is showing with the Milwaukee Sketch Club at the Art Bar.

Mark Weller is showing at the Trout and Artless Bastards.

Ann Baer's show at Gallery 2622 starts on Friday, 6/4.

Gail Willert is showing in Racine at the Westom Art Museum beginning 6/16.

WVA Biennial 2022. Prospectus is available online. The basics: You can submit up to 3 images for \$30, there are 3 Jurors, No theme, No size limitation, MOWA takes a 40% Commission, Please follow all the submission rules and complete all forms as required or you will not be accepted. If you have questions after reading the prospectus, please contact Steven.

SE Chapter Transitions Show at the Anderson in Kenosha.

Steven went line by line thru the prospectus. Mark Weller and Cindy Hansen offered to help artists size their photos for submission. Contact Steven and he will forward requests to Mark and Cindy.

Ideas for 1st SE Chapter Show 2022. Steven presented an idea to match writers and artists. If you have ideas and want to help, please join the exhibition committee to help plan it. There is a possibility that we could self-publish the art and writing, selling the book to raise funds for the chapter. Helen Fishman was put forth as a possible resource.

SE Chapter Artists Showcase 2021:

Steven showed the new design to Brand the Artists Showcase. This will be used for publicity and branding.

Details for selected artists were discussed:

Due June 11:

Artists hanging more than 5 works, must submit images of all pieces not submitted previously to Steven. All work must be preapproved by the Cedarburg Cultural Center prior to hanging. If you want to provide better images for publicity opportunities of the work you already submitted, you can.

8 x 10 Headshots. Artists must submit a photo of themselves to Steven, to be hung at the exhibit.

Due June 18:

Artists Bio and Statement. Please submit a single typewritten page in either Ariel or San Serif, 12 PT, Single spaced with Bio on the top and Statement on the bottom. It is suggested that the Bio be written in 3rd person, using he, she, they, Artists Name; And that the statement be written in 1st person, utilizing I, me, my. Please send to Steven in either .doc or Google doc format.

Due June 25:

If any of the artists have a specific layout in mind for hanging their work, please email that layout to Steven and he will provide it to the Museum as an Artist Request.

Week of July 5:

The back of each piece of work should be labeled with Name, Title, Medium and Price when delivered for the show.

July 16: Reception, 1-4 pm.

Those artists selected for the 2021 Showcase will not be allowed to apply for the 2022 show.

For future Showcases:

All artists understand they are choosing the artwork to be shown, not jurors.

All potential future jurors will be interviewed to ensure that they understand our concept and can jury a show to that end.

Future jurors will come from outside of the SE region so that no juror is overly familiar with the work of our Artists, ensuring more equitable/diverse shows.

If any artists that are able to recommend jurors or venues for future Showcases, please send the information to Steven.

Steven can be reached at <u>sechapter@wisconsinvisualartists.org</u> or messaged from the SE Chapter WVA Facebook page.

Members present:

Steven Bauer

Patti Belbin

Jean Sobon

Gail Willert

JJ Joyce

Ted Injalusian

Kathy Kerner

Mark Weller

Nancy Lamers

Audrey Dulmas

Denise Presnell

Judy Sebranek

Cindy Hansen

Frank Korb

David Bueschel

Roxanne Mayeur

Maggie Smith

Chuck Wickler

Phyllis Bankier

Jean Bril

Jerrold Billand

Bonnie Bruch

Bruce Niemi

Jim Ford

Peggy Farrell

Ann Baer

Barbara Schaeffer

Carole Glass

Leslie Jones

The June meeting adjourned at 808pm. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be in September, although we are hoping to have a midsummer meeting.