

ARTISTS OF YARDLEY—MEETING MINUTES

July 1, 2009

Heather Davulcu, Secretary, AOY

www.artistsofyardley.org

The **NEXT MEETING** is scheduled for Wednesday **August 5, 2009**

At 7:00PM at the Yardley Makefield Library on Edgewood Road

Officers:

President: Rose Marie Strippoli gstrippoli@aol.com
Vice President: Behrooz Salimnejad bsalimnejad@philamuseum.org
Treasurer: Maggy Robinson maggyrobinson@hotmail.com
Secretary: Heather Davulcu heather.davulcu@comcast.net

Committees:

1. **Delaware River Gallery**---Marie Finn Mariefinn@verizon.net
2. **Website** --Anne Gannon cagannon22@msn.com
3. **Plein Air**--Oz Freedgood virozantig@aol.com
4. **Photography Plein Air**--Derek Jecz Derek@jecxz.com
5. **Publicity**-- Colleen Attara colattara@verizon.net
6. **Project Find a Home**--Maggy Robinson maggyrobinson@hotmail.com
7. **Newsletter** --editor Stephen Millner, simillner@2000@aol.com
copy-editor Marie Kane, design John Vollaro, writer Anne Gannon
8. **Speakers**--John Ennis-guest speakers john@john-ennis.com
Behrooz Salimnejad-member speakers bsalimnejad@philamuseum.org
9. **Membership**--Patricia Gambino pg2231@verizon.net
10. **AOY Tax Exempt Status**--Oz Freedgood virozantig@aol.com

President Rose Marie Strippoli called the meeting to order at 7:00PM

Membership – Patricia Gambino

- o Welcome and Introduction of new members-
New member Mary Robinson; Guest Pat Riffe

Secretary Report— Heather Davulcu

(Heather was not present-notes taken by President Rose Marie Strippoli)

Executive Board Meeting Report—Heather Davulcu

Treasurer Report- Maggy Robinson

Start \$5,007.78

Revenue:

member dues-\$40.00

Current Balance \$5,031.88

Standing Committee Reports

- **Membership**—Patricia Gambino
one new member--addendum to come
- **Publicity**—Colleen Attara
- **Project “Find-a-Home”**—Maggy Robinson
status quo
 - **Tax Exempt Status**-Oz Freedgood--need to add additional info; discussion on how far non-profit takes us as a group
- **Plein Air**—Oz Freedgood
July 2 Anchor Yacht Club 10 AM
- **Website**— <http://www.artistsofyardley.org/> **Anne Gannon**
Adding a link to the website for members to add things like classes or info to be shared--
send this type of info to Anne and Derek instead of to Heather
- **Plein Air Photography**-Stephen Millner
Nothing scheduled--email Stephen if you are interested.
- **Newsletter**-Stephen Millner
July 10 deadline

Presenters at meetings--John Ennis (guest speakers) and Behrooz Salimnejad (member presenters) How to photograph your art-Aug; Sept-Renee Egan

New Business

- Show Etiquette Information and AOY Brochure- Seth Robinson (sethr@scoutsdesign.com) volunteered to chair
Seth went over the outline
- Discussion of venues such as Crossing Winery-Design a wine label
- Christmas Party-December 2 at Concerto Fusion \$40 per person

Exhibit opportunities and Member Announcements:

- Delaware River Gallery— Marie Finn (Marie was not present)
<http://www.delawarerivergallery.com/>
19 East Afton Ave, Yardley, 215-321-3825
need 3 members for Sept: Susan Hogan, Barbara Churilla
- Bucks County Community College- <http://www.bucks.edu/about/campuses/lbc/>
Lower Bucks Campus 215-781-3939; 1280 New Rogers Road, Bristol, PA 19007
"Show Some heART" show taking place November 13-14, 2009 to benefit the scholarship fund for students; no fee; 3D work included; no theme; no size limit; 20% proceeds donated to the scholarship fund. Nancy Allen agreed to chair this show.
Nancy will be the contact person regarding the show: nallenstudio53@worldnet.att.net; 215-493-9509
- Face and Body Shop in Yardley-has empty room and wall space and would like to showcase area artists (Colleen)
- Ruth Moorepath-New Hope-looking for new artists that are high end and edgy (Colleen)
- Philadelphia Lawyers for the Arts-offers help for artists (Seth) ; see artsandbusinessphila.org
- Bonnie Boden- (mercerbucks.com) has developed this new website for non-profits and she added AOY
- Summer camp at Earth Center Pottery- 9+ and up

Business meeting was adjourned at 7:40

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