

Fiber/DIMENSIONS meeting Minutes 11/13/2013

Hostess: Regula

Chair: Susan Doyle

Secretary: Marja

Attendance: Sheila, Chris, Marja, Susan D., Jennifer, Marie, Ventana, Pam, Stuart, Marcia, Deble, Marty, Susan H., Shoko, Giselle, Cynthia, Alex, Diana, Myrna, Juline, Melissa, Allegra, Laurel, Beth, Roy, Carole, Phyllis, Wendy, Lucy, Judy C., Judy S., Emily, Katie, Regula

Meeting started at 10:02.

October meeting's Minutes: not discussed

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Second one called "African Evening", inspired by termite mounds. Display on pedestal might work the best.

Roy

Shared a painting, acrylic on canvas. It was inspired by a rusted piece of pipe. Title "Between The Lines". The painting had a striking blue colored frame that looked good.

Old Business

Intersections 6

Diana Keevan chaired this part of the meeting.

Budget: Melissa told us what has been spent recently.

Invitations \$576 (5000 of them), there will be no mailing expenses. Mail your own invitations in an envelope 46cent stamp.

Posters \$59

Reception \$2000

Decorating reception \$100

Gallery book \$20

Insurance \$546.20

Dividers and rental truck . Possibly \$75.

Improved lighting for Herbst , could be \$2000

Lisah has been paid \$1000, we owe her \$1000

Juline announced a \$1000 anonymous donation toward reception expenses. Thank you who ever that is!

She said the reception would cost \$3000 plus wine.

Basically there is no money in the Treasury right now. It was voted that everyone taking part in Intersections 6 needs to pay \$100 for now. Please send your check to: Juline Beier, 22 Crecienta Lane, Sausalito, CA 94965.

Those members who have folding chairs for the Reception could bring the chairs in on Wednesday. Mark all chairs with your name!

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Marie will demonstrate and explain about keys to the building and how gallery sitters can open doors.

During Walk Through each artist will have 2 minutes to tell/talk about one piece of work in the show. This information is very valuable to share with the visitors, try to be there !

Sitter table:

Gallery sitters will have one long table to sit at, there will be a plexiglass rack for business cards.

Visitor book for visitor's names&addresses, comments.

Spiral note book for instructions on how things work.

Keep tally on how many visitors each day, how they heard about the show.

There will be a list of members information with phone numbers. Your contact information, card will be given to potential buyer. Unless the sale can be made right then. Sales tax applies.

Receipt book for sales.

Sales: if you do sell your art in Intersections 6, 10% donation goes to fiberDIMENSIONS.

It can get cold in that hall. Dress in layers. Move around to check on art work, talk to visitors.

Laurel said there are still some unfilled slots in the sitter's schedule. Please fill in as a sitter if you have no other duty or have the time to help out.

Housekeeping : Regula will lend her vacuum cleaner, does anyone have an extra long extension cord to go with it? We need to do our own cleaning during the show.

Banner

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Reception:

Thursday Dec 19 5-7pm

Sheila will bring 7ft tables, three of them.

Folding chairs from members, Juline will e-mail about them.

Catering by Il Davide. Sheila will get an estimate for white wine from them, too.

Laurel has f/D green table cloths now from Deble.

Juline has some black cloths as well.

Name tags:

Marty is making nametags for each artist in the show. She will use one of your images from Dropbox, unless you would like to use a different one. Let her know.

Publicity:

Intersections 6 cards look great! Thank you Jennifer.

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Alex and Pam have the cards if you need more.

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