Badlands Art Association Newsletter

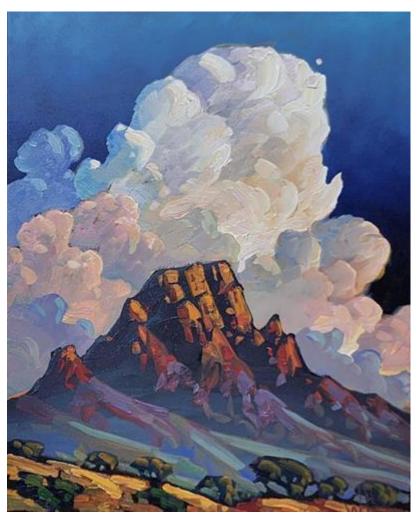
June 2023

Upcoming Events:

1. Eye of Appreciation Community Art Show



2. William Hawkins Oil Painting Workshop



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Friday – Sunday July 21-23, 2023

Badlands Art Association

Meeting Minutes, June 5, 2023

Treasurer's Report: Final balance for May was \$12, 472.54

Liability Insurance was paid

We purchased business card holders for the gallery—stop by and add your art business cards to our display!

Secretary's Minutes: distributed to members and filed

Old Business

- I. <u>Annual Art Show</u>
 - A. "Call for Artists": Look for a snail mail version this summer as well as an online fileable form. Note some new categories in media for both amateur and professional.
 - B. Student show leadership: We have an opening for someone to supervise the student end of the annual show.
 - C. Judge for show: Our first choice will be to try and get Elizabeth Smith from Sidney, MT. as she was to do the show in 2022 and got snowed out. Look for an announcement about our judge in the future.
 - D. <u>Summer Workshop</u>
 - 1. Distribution of the flyer and registration: Look for the registration on the website, Facebook BAA and BAG pages, What's Ap, and in your email.

II. <u>Gallery</u>

- A. BAA needed to clear out the floor space in the gallery for June 6 (evening)-9th because of a conflict with a music conference.
 - 1. We will be manning our regular hours during the time of the conference.
 - 2. All items on the floor will go into the workroom and only things on the walls will remain.
- B. Putting "Of Men..." show back together again: We may return the show to normal on Friday, the 9th at 5:00.
- C. Call for artists for next gallery show, Hobby Art, which opens July 5th-August 20th.
- D. Theme for shows going forward into fall
 - 1. The next summer show will be finishing during "move-in" week for the DSU students (August 15th)
 - The second show would be on Sept. 6-Sept. 30th. The third one is October 11-November 4th.
 - 3. Brainstormed show ideas include: "Of Art and Women", Abstract, Animals, a solo show
 - 4. Share any gallery show ideas you have with us!

III. Paint and Sip Classes

A. Summer dates and times: The next two classes will be in June and July. One will be for adults and the second will be for children dependent on Elizabeth Henderson's schedule. Look for announcements at our Facebook pages for BAA and Badlands Art Gallery.

IV. <u>Cowboy Poetry Gathering</u>

A. Post-mortem: We reflected that the printer lent to us by Elizabeth Henderson has given up its life. As we use this printer for many gallery-related tasks, Heley moved we buy a new printer and Fahlsing seconded the motion.

New Business

- I. <u>Membership Form</u>
 - A. Membership category for "Art lovers/supporters": The members in attendance agreed by acclamation that this membership category should be added to our forms.
- II. <u>Bucket List</u> (this is the place we will store all of our crazy brainstormings)
 - A. Gallery crawl
 - B. Outdoor art event at the college for the students (move-in week)
 - C. Add on the Old Hwy 10/coffee run—pair with coffee houses or a central art location to sell/display art
 - D. Free mini art gallery (like the free mini libraries) or Cigarette/candy machine dispenser with small, inexpensive art
 - E. Send us your "bucket list" ideas for BAA. Ruth.heley@gmail.com
- III. <u>Announcements or Items from the Floor</u>
 - A. Elizabeth Henderson advocated starting an Instagram account for Badlands Art Association
 - B. Membership discussed how we might have a presence during Roughrider Days
 - 1. Get a booth during the Best Friends event at the college?
 - 2. Check with the Rough Rider Commission to advertise our current show in the gallery in the brochure or check into other events.