

San Antonio Calligraphers Guild
November 1, 2007
Minutes of **General Meeting**

The monthly General Meeting of the San Antonio Calligraphers Guild (SACG) was held in the Family Ministry Center of Christ Episcopal Church at Belknap Place, San Antonio, Texas on November 1, 2007 and called to order by Vice President, Lynn Rothe, at 7:05 pm.

Minutes of the last meeting were posted on the web site.

The **Treasurer's Report** by Jill Adams was approved with:

Balance as of October 4, 2007	\$ 8,184.58
Deposits	3,493.00
Disbursements	3,130.50
\$ 743.74	Education Fund
1,677.50	Adler Scholarship Fund
6,125.84	General Fund
Total as of 11-01-07	\$ 8,547.07

The Treasurer's Report was filed for audit.

Committee Reports

Directory – Leslie Winakur reported that the directories not already delivered will be mailed after this meeting.

Door Prizes – Mari Frischmuth and Maria Kutcher presented door prizes to Macy Reid, Betty Lou Jordan, Rod Smith, BJ Grant, Helen Rasplica, Jaimee Lavin, Leslie Winakur and Dolores Schultz.

Early Bird Specials – Maggie Gillikin thanked Bonnie Houser for bringing a manuscript for the early bird session.

Education –Joan Schmitz is making name plates for the zoo dinner. The zoo will donate \$100 to the Education Fund.

Hospitality – Carol Keith thanked Rod Smith, Sally Hoffman, Janine Lavin, Jennifer Lavin and Keith Cheshire for the refreshments this month.

Library –Sally Theus is in Houston but she sent thanks to members who brought boxes tonight.

Membership – Angie Chaos-Peters reported 119 members.

Mentor Coordinator – Bonnie Houser reported we have 4 mentors and 4 mentorees. It is not too late to sign up for mentors.

Newsletter – Lynn thanked Leslie and Kaye for the awesome job on the newsletter. From now on, unless you have contacted Mary Bowman or Beverly Carter you will not get a printed newsletter.

Newsletter Mailing – Mary B. Bowman apologized for any mistakes.

Play Day – The next play day will be November 17, 2007. Betty Lou Jordan has the sign-up sheet.

Saturday Specials – Betty Lou Jordan announced the next two specials will be November 3, 2007 - *Ornamental Flourishes* and January 12, 2008 – *Pastel Shadowing*.

Spring Show - The show will again be in April and May so be working on your pieces.

Workshops-Major - Mark Van Stone will conduct a workshop on March 3 – 4 on *Art Nouveau Lettering*.

Workshops-Mini – Handouts from the October mini should be available soon. In January Bonnie Houser will do *Dancing Letters*.

Unfinished Business – Pauline Sager asked when the guild voted to have the minutes posted.

New Business - Connie LaMarche told us about Breakfast with the Arts at the Church of Reconciliation this summer. She will provide additional information.

Announcements – Sign up with Kaye Yarbrough for the envelope exchange, which will begin in January. Envelopes will be displayed at the June Pot Luck.

Rose Marie will have pecans for sale again in December.

Maggie announced the sale she and Leslie are having from 1-5:00 on November 10th and 11th. Also they are teaching a bookmaking class on December 1st and 2nd at Discovery School. They will be doing a Japanese binding.

Edith has information on the electric eraser she sold at the exchange.

Mary Bowman is doing a demonstration at Cody Library on Saturday, Nov. 3 at 2:00.

Susan Underwood of Oasis is looking for a Calligraphy instructor for daytime classes.

Bill Waddington's wife recently broke her hip.

Keith announced that Nancy Harkins passed away November 1st.

Lynn adjourned the meeting at 7:50 pm. There was a break for refreshments followed by the program *Manuscripts* presented by Sidney Tibbetts.

Respectfully submitted

Lenore Jordan
Secretary pro tem SACG