

San Antonio Calligraphers' Guild
April 5th , 2018
Minutes of **General Meeting**

The monthly meeting of the San Antonio Calligraphers' Guild (SACG) was held in the Parish Hall of Christ Episcopal Church at 510 Belknap Place, San Antonio, Texas on April 5th , 2018 and called to order by President, Suzan OConnor at 7:05 PM. In attendance were 33 members and 5 guests. ([attachment](#))

President's Agenda

After some introductions, we will have our business meeting followed by a short break then the presentation by Maggie Gillikin. Welcome, our first time guests, Theresa Jackson and Sylvia St.Jean. Also, welcome our new member, Carri Wright.

- The minutes of General Meetings are posted on the website.
- Carolyn Patton, our treasurer presented the treasurer's report and it is filed for audit. As a reminder to all members, It is renewal time so, re-up !

Announcements

- Kimberly Hartzog reminds everyone that the donations for the Battered Women's Shelter are due at the June potluck. Gently used items, non perishable food items, and new necessities are always welcome (socks, underwear, tooth brushes etc.). Place donations inside the parish Hall double doors for Kimber to pick up after the meeting. If you have too much stuff to drag inside, we could arrange a transfer in the parking lot.
- Congratulations to our member Rudolph Gonzalez, who at the age of 76 has decided to delve into the Art of acrylics. He can do all the other media already. Hopefully he can develop some new calligraphy techniques with acrylics.

Committee Reports

Exhibits – Monica Brooks – Please refer to the [attachment](#) for details on the Bihl Haus Gallery exhibit that is upcoming. Kellen McIntyre the executive director and founder of Bihl Haus Arts spoke to the event and the history of the gallery. She suggests that submissions to the exhibit, books or broadsides, should refer to San Antonio in some way. The gallery is open to view art from 1-4 PM on Friday and Saturday only. Sunday, May 20th from 5-7 is the drop off day. The pick up day is Sunday, July 8th from 5-7. As with all exhibits, the cost is \$10.00 for the first piece and \$5.00 for each additional piece. If your art is not chosen for the exhibit, your money will be refunded.

All information for the summer exhibit will be posted on the SACG website.

Major Workshops – Leslie Winakur – Marina Soria's class is scheduled for the first week in June. 16 are signed up thus far. The cost is \$275. Please sign up for this week long class.

Early bird programs & Secret Pal – Lynn Rothe – Thanks to Maggie for all the examples of “Writing before Pencils” tonight and please come early in May to see all of the work by Brian Zampier. 20 members have signed up for a Secret Pal. Please see me for a questionnaire and turn in your turquoise envelope to me no later than the April Mini Workshop.

Programs – Becky Hughes – Tonight our program will be “Sticks that Write” by Maggie Gillikin. In May our Program will be the retrospective of Brian Zampier whose Alphabet is featured in “Letter Arts Review”.

Membership – Fernando Casillas – Please renew your membership tonight. The cost is \$24 for a single or \$36 for a family membership. You **MUST** turn in your blue membership form **WITH** your money! Thank-you.

Mini Classes - Rosemary Rodriguez – The April Mini workshop will be on Thursday, April 19th from 7 – 9 PM. Joan Schmidt will be teaching the Carolingian Hand. All materials will be provided!

Publicity – Kimberly Hartzog –

Square photos of works you have done in guild activities are now approved by the board to be posted on our Facebook page. Make sure everyone in the photo or works in the photos are cleared by you prior to texting them to me at my cell. (Kimber’s CELL number is in your roster) Include your name, the event, and “for Facebook” in the text message along with the “square photo” and I will post them in the carousel on our page.

Awards and Memorials – Karen Fridlund – Please cast your ballots for the Paul Freeman awards by choosing your 4 favorites and returning the ballots to me. Winners will be announced at the May GM.

Hospitality – Rozie Gonzales – Thanks to Fran Boffo, Nancy French, Carlos Haun and her husband for our treats tonight. Please sign up for next month on the clipboard.

Door Prize-Faye Kyong Lee – Rosemary Rodriguez won the door prize tonight! It is a framed work of calligraphic art donated by Rod Smith.

Meeting adjourned by Suzan OConnor at 7:46 PM

Following a 15 minute break, we all enjoyed the tortured and incredible history of the Pencil given by Maggie Gillikin.

Respectfully Submitted,

Laura Herold

Secretary to the SACG

(2 attachments)

March 29, 2018

Updated info for "Indies, Selfies, and One-offs"

Exhibit date: June 2- July 7, 2018

Opening reception: Saturday, June 2 from 6-9 PM

← correction Made at G.M. 4-9-18

Deadline for submission: Sunday, May 20 at the Bihi Haus from 5-7 pm (2803 Fredericksburg Rd. within the Primrose Senior Apartments)

All work is to be framed according to SACG guidelines.

Wire, no saw-tooth hardware

All art, books and broadsides, must be about San Antonio and incorporate calligraphic work.

Submitted work will be curated.

Publicity: Bihi Haus will announce through social media, newspaper and a possible TV spot.

Post card art by Maggie Gaillikin

Book Fair: Possible dates are Saturday June 16 or June 23

SACG Members 4-5-18

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| 1. B.J. Grant | 31. Barbara |
| 2. Karen Friedlund | 32. SIBAN O'CONNOR |
| 3. RUDOLFO GONZALEZ | 33. KIMBELT HAREGG |
| 4. Carolyn Patton | 34. |
| 5. Frank Borja | 35. |
| 6. Scott Anderson | 36. |
| 7. Francisco | 37. |
| 8. William | 38. |
| 9. Malena | 39. |
| 10. Rosmary Rodriguez | 40. |
| 11. Feo | 41. |
| 12. Kate | 42. |
| 13. Tom | |
| 14. Wendy | |
| 15. Kristin | |
| 16. Jean | |
| 17. Mary T. Marcell | |
| 18. Deborah | |
| 19. Maria | |
| 20. Fernando | |
| 21. Brian | |
| 22. Carla | |
| 23. Maria | |
| 24. Laura | |
| 25. Laura | |
| 26. Laura | |
| 27. Blanca | |
| 28. Bea | |
| 29. Carlos | |
| 30. Vivian | |

guests

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| 31. Barbara |
| 32. Wendy |
| 33. Sharon |
| 34. Kellen |
| 35. Gale |
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