

Palo Verde Artists Monthly Meeting Minutes

Date: 03/17/25 Time: 12pm Submitted by: Dianna Parirokh, President

President, Dianna Parirokh called the meeting to order at 12:30. There were 30 members in attendance. The president stated that we have been starting the meetings at 12:30 to allow for more time for members to eat and socialize. The president informed the membership that the 03/17 Blick demo is canceled due to illness on the part of the Blick General Manager.

President, Dianna Parirokh announced the February minutes are on the bulletin board and had been disseminated via e blast. A motion to accept the minutes was made and seconded.

Treasurer, Josh Thompson, read the treasurer report and explained the Spring Sale and Gift Shop sales numbers.

Treasurer, Josh Thompson also spoke about the credit card charges and charging them back to the artists.

President, Dianna Parirokh asked new Feb/March members to stand. The president then asked all the new 2025 members to stand and be acknowledged.

President, Dianna Parirokh thanked Denise Russell for maintaining the member roles and acknowledged her hard work. The special thanks to Chairpersons Eileen Moore and Alison Evans Killiam are being postponed to a later date. Neither chairperson was present for the meeting.

President, Dianna Parirokh requested that the signup sheets for two field trips be passed around the room for signatures.

AZ Fine Arts Expo – Thursday, 03/20 @ 11am – meet at the Sundial in the parking lot to proceed to 26540 N. Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

Ground Floor Artists Open Studios – Friday, 03/29 @ 11 am – meet at the Sundial in the parking lot to proceed to 13343 W. Foxfire Dr., Surprise, AZ

Vice President, Kaj Lofgreen informed the membership that Blick Art Materials has reserved space for PVA Artists in April and May to display are in their gallery and that he will be sending out emails to the artists that sign up to participate.

Vice President, Kaj Lofgreen announced the April 9, field trip to Lakeview including bag lunches and drawing/painting.

Vice President, Kaj Lofgreen announced the \$3 to split from the raffle.

Vice President, Kaj Lofgreen announced the April Arts HQ showing with Peggy Junea as a participating artist and spoke to Sustainable Art.

Vice President, Kaj Lofgreen announced the April 9 reception at Arts HQ.

Vice President, Kaj Lofgreen read an email produced by Eileen Moore for the Spring Show participants and volunteers.

President, Dianna Parirokh – Accepted a motion and second to close the official business meeting. The president asked people to stay and socialize with each other and that the Board members are available to answer questions after the meeting.