

Newsletter

October 19, 2021

"A place for art and Artists since 1927"



Meetings held at GALLERY **86**

Located at 86 West Main Street, Uniontown PA 15401

Meeting Agenda

- Welcome any new members - Call to order 6:30 pm
- Reading and approval of the minutes
- reading of Treasurers Report/Approval
- Committee reports
- planning for the 2022 calendar year of events
- dues will be collected

President's Report

UAC,

We will have our next general membership meeting Tuesday October 19, 2021 at 6:30pm. General membership meetings are held the the third Tuesday of each month. Store meetings have now been integrated into the the third Tuesday of the month, after the board meeting and before the general membership meeting. This is at approximately 6:15-6:30.

. This meeting I would like to finish planning the 2022 calendar year for events. Please try to think of things you would like to see us participate with. We only have one other meeting before the end of the year! Can you believe 2021 is almost over and yet we still have a few events coming up. The holiday season becomes so busy for everyone so I look forward to seeing you before we take a break from the meetings in December.

Current Gallery Hours Tuesday, Friday and Saturday 10-3 and Wednesday and Thursday 10-6. We are looking for volunteers to help at the store. You do not have to sell in the Store to volunteer. Contact Pete or myself for more information. Please see this as an opportunity to meet new customers and help explain who we are and provides a chance to showcase your artwork. The Gallery is a benefit that the art club provides for its members. Some think that the Gallery is there to support the art club, but it is the other way around, which is why we need fundraisers to continue. The club rents the space not the gallery, everyone is welcome to support the club. Working in the gallery helps us to stay in the building.

Old Business:

- Fundraiser ideas needed for 2021 see Jessica with information-would still appreciate some volunteers for a committee
- Appraisal event is not able to happen this year, but we are working on scheduling a date next year
- the October Summit Show went well-thank everyone who attended and helped out.
- There appears to be some miscommunication regarding the gallery fees for having work in the gallery for sale. If you work 5 hours or more a month the fee is \$10.00/month with a 20% commission. If you are not able to work the monthly fee is \$15.00 and commission rate is 35%. When paying gallery fees make sure you update the book under the register.

New Business:

- If you are interested in offering a class reach out to myself or Pete-there is a basic syllabus form that would need to be completed and approved.
- Continue the planning for events for the 2022 Calendar Year. Please be prepared for open discussion. We want to hear what ideas you have and what you would like to see happen with the club next year!
- Chamber events, so far indicate the Halloween Parade Wednesday October 27th and Light up Night are going to take place- we would like to have our doors open during these events, which are after 5pm. At least a few volunteers per each event would be ideal.

Looking Forward:

- The Next General Membership meeting to be held November 16th, 2021. It will be our active member appreciation dinner. It will be catered and we can only hold up to 25 spots. Please reserve your spot by directly emailing me at jessicalotman@aol.com or text @ 724-984-3832. Members are free, a guest can attend for a \$10.00 donation. The deadline to reserve a spot is Saturday November 6, 2021.
- We are currently booking spots for Facebook Live Online Sales for future sales. If interested contact Audrey Cottle at audrey@abcdornmentsbaublesandcrafts.com or text at 724-288-5388 you do not have to be in the store to have an Online Facebook Live Sale this is available to everyone.
- Old Fashioned Christmas is coming up around the corner - volunteers will be needed/committees to be formed. The date has been set for Friday November 12th from 4-7 pm and Saturday November 13th 10-4. We are planning to have Santa stop by for the children and seasonal items out for sale (if possible)
- Small Business Saturday Saturday November 27th 12:15-7:15 (tentatively)
- There will be no meeting in December but will reconvene in January, weather pending.

Reminders:

- Store meetings have now been integrated into the the third Tuesday of the month, after the board meeting and before the general membership meeting. This is at approximately 6:15-6:30.
- Please share all events on Facebook to help boost our internet presence.
- Angel Zueger/Pete Pasqua are looking for members to be on the WMBS Radio talk show each month
- If you are on Instagram we have a page there you can follow and share from: [the_uniontown_art_club](https://www.instagram.com/the_uniontown_art_club)
- Please take flyers for all events (if available)
- Check our website for all daily information www.uniontownartclub.org
- Want to get involved contact Jessica Lotman or Pete Pasqua we want you!!!

LIVE SALE GET ON THE LIST

**20% of all sales benefit the UAC for store members or 35% for
non store members**

Thursday's at 6:30pm filmed at Gallery 86

OCTOBER

7TH -Chris Oravetz

14th Multi Artist sale

21st Alisa Barnhart

28th-Multi Artist

November

4th Pete Pasqua + Mary Dewitt

11th-Veterans Day Multi Artist

18th- Josh Helmick

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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THE UNIONTOWN ART CLUB

Elected Officers:

President: Jessica Lotman

Vice President: Audrey Cottle

Treasurer: Pete Pasqua

Recording Secretary: Karen Angel Zueger

Corresponding Secretary: Helen Karpel

Elected Directors:

Cathie Grabiec

Mary Dewitt

Stephanie McClain

Joe Borytsky