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Highlights from February Meeting

February 19, 2009 is our next Jury Committee meeting

- The Jury Committee will be reviewing applicants to join Summit Art.
- Please have any potential applicants for membership contact Tammie Dickerson ASAP.
- Interested artists need to drop off 5 pieces of artwork from *each medium* to be juried.

2009 Art Fair Update – Tom Mallot

- The official dates of the art fair are October 2, 3 and 4th!! Mark your calendars!
- January was the first art fair committee meeting.
- The art fair committee rewrote the Application.
- The Plan Site for 2009 has additional booths (total of 89), and booths will only be located along each side of the street to allow for more room.
- If you know of any potential artists, please give Tom Mallot their name and address.

GOT ART Gallery on Third was presented by Jennifer Behymer

- Jerry Brown is holding a Pastel Workshop there on February 28, 2009 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The fee is \$70 per person.
- GOT ART is looking to help active Summit Art Members by letting them hold workshops there. If interested in holding a workshop, please come out and check out the space. Teddy Jackson will be there on Wednesdays from 1 to 4 p.m. and Jen Behymer will be there from 11 – 3 p.m. on Fridays. Let them know if you are interested in holding a workshop.

Carole Gray gave an updated Summit Art Gallery report

- It is projected that the 4th floor gallery will be open in mid-March.
- Members need to update their literature and brochures as well as artist tags. Many are getting faded from the sun exposure (Please take the time to check yours.)

Longview Plein Aire is scheduled for Tuesday, April 21, 2009

- This event is for active Summit Art members only. No guests are allowed.
- Rain date will be on Wednesday, April 22nd
- Sunrise painting and photography begin at 6:30 a.m.

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- Release forms will again be required to be signed by all attending Summit Art members. This form includes the 5% due on your sales of art resulting from this event to be sent to the New Longview Foundation.
- At 8:00 a.m. Louie, the Hackney horse, owned by R.A. Long Society, will arrive. The Viceroy rig will also be transported to Longview for inspiration and enjoyment.
- Clear the Mansion area by 10:30 a.m.
- Pergola area will be available until you drop.
- A special thanks to Dave Gale for giving Summit Art this opportunity!!!

Teddy Jackson Presented the Cultural Arts Coalition of Eastern Jackson County

- Summit Art is hosting the 20th Annual Showcase of Art on November 6, 2009 at the Longview Mansion.
- Summit Art will need to sell tickets for at least one table of 10. The tickets will be \$25 per person and will include a buffet and the entertainment.
- 10 artists from Summit Art will be able to display one piece of artwork. (Artist will not be able to represent more than one art group.) Selection of the 10 Summit Art artists will be decided on in the future with a selection process.
- The members of Summit Art voted to become a member of the Cultural Arts Coalition.

Refreshments at future Summit Art Meetings

- The group voted on how to handle upcoming refreshments for the meetings. The majority consensus was that the responsibility for bringing refreshments will rotate among members. There will be no reimbursement from Summit Art.
- The members signed up to bring refreshments for the upcoming months.

Our next meeting is March 4, 2009, at 6:30 p.m. Our next presenter is Jane Kennedy who creates quilts into art!!! See you then!!!

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