



The James River Art League

Richmond, Virginia

MAY 1968 BULLETIN

First let's have an introduction to the new officers and committee chairmen of the League for 1968-70.

Director	Hope Davis
Asst. Director	Dr. Glen Allen
Recording Secretary	Mildred Coleman
Corresponding Secy	Anita Williams
Treasurer	William Youngblood
Historian	Elsie MacCord
Parliamentarian	Unfilled to date

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Member-at-Large	Charlotte Boyden
Program Chairman	Dr. Glenn Allen
Gallery "	Audrey Johnston
Contact "	Patricia Branch
Publicity "	Helen Crighton
Membership	Dina Steiner
Communications	Avis Robertson
Telephone	Nancy McIver
Hospitality	Phyllis Perkins

One of our valued active members has now gone to Patron status. Martha Ann Hart and family have adopted a baby girl. Anne Wilkinson Hart by name and birthday, March 31, 1968. I had the pleasure of peeking in on her while she was napping and she's a doll. Our congratulations and Best Wishes to the delighted Harts. "Patron" status perhaps, but not "inactive" I bet!

BIG SUMMER NEWS

AZALEA MALL SALE

June 9 to June 16

May we stress that this is an opportunity to sell -
Not a show!

Audrey Johnston, our Gallery Chairman, is having pegboard screens made for display purposes. It is impossible at this time to say exactly how many pictures you will be allowed to offer for sale at the beginning. This will of necessity depend on total space available, number of participants, size of pictures, etc. It is suggested that you start with five or six. Make these your best pictures, and as these are sold (hopefully) plan to replace them. Please place realistic prices on the pictures. This is an opportunity for those trully interested in selling - not for display purposes only.

NOW

HEAR

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As in every event of this type there will have to be continual "sitters" for the pictures. Phyllis Perkins, our Hospitality Chairman, is in charge. Select your preferable day and hours by June 1st, and call her at 232-7984. At the same time it will be helpful if you can give Phyllis the approximate number of pictures you will have available.

If you fail to call and volunteer your services, she will assign the time and it will be up to you to either serve at this designated time or find a suitable replacement. Everyone is expected to do their share of the work!

The sale will be set up on Sunday, June 9th and open to the public at 10 A.M. June 10th. Further information will be available as plans develop.

For this sale, requirements on hanging and display will be a little different than those officially adopted for our regular Carillon and one-man shows.

WATERCOLORS, PASTELS, PEN AND INK may be matted and prepared securely for hanging. Frame and glass not necessary. If you have a portfolio of extra pictures of this type you would like to sell, you may bring this with you during your hours of sitting. When you leave, take it with you. It will not be required of the next sitter to take charge of your portfolio. He or she might have one of their own!

OILS - Regular framing or wood strip framing. No plain stretched canvases, plastic stripping, canvas boards, etc. The rules have been relaxed for this event. Keep it an attractive show.

IMPORTANT FACTS INVOLVED

3% State Sales Tax Must be collected.

10% of your sales to be turned into the treasury of the James River Art League. This holds true for any sale made as a result of sponsorship of the League (bank shows, Library, Carillon, etc) Your integrity will guide you in determining whether a work was sold as a result of League sponsorship and opportunity for display.

It seems your Gallery Chairmen, Past and Present, have had considerable difficulty in obtaining PREPARED members for our several continuing art shows. Audrey Johnston is now making a list of WHO is to show WHERE and WHEN. We keep that girl busy. The list will be distributed to the membership and you will therefore know in advance when you will be called upon.

P.S. If you are one of those prolific painters and are ready to exhibit other than scheduled times, please make that information available to the Gallery Chairman.

ONE MORE THING - It is essential that you appear on time when it is your turn for hanging and taking down, and be prepared to lend assistance. This committee is the hardest working in the League, and it is not fair to expect them to waste their valuable time and do all the leg work involved in your show. If YOU can't be there, arrange for a member of your family, relative or friend to show in your stead.

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Entry blanks for the Virginia Beach Sidewalk Show may be obtained from:

Mrs. Gordon Atwill
1604 Mayflower Apts
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23451

This is usually held the middle of June. Those who have participated in the past are most enthusiastic. Opportunity surrounds us. Take advantage of it!

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I hope that all of you who missed our guided tour of the Virginia Museum on May 9th will make the effort to see the current exhibit on Light. It's quite different and worth the trip. Our guide for the evening was charming and well informed, and I am sure we all learned several new facts about our lovely museum.