## Ohio Pastel Artist's League

## Meeting minutes May 5, 20226:30-8:30 PM Co-Hatch Polaris

Board members Pam Hartford President, Nina Hawranick 1<sup>st</sup> VP, Chris Hall 2<sup>nd</sup> VP, Diane Ruck

present Past President, Lynn Carty Recording Secretary

20 members in attendance

Next Meeting June 4, 2022, Saturday 1-4 PM, Co-Hatch Delaware 18 E. William St. 43015

Meeting opened by Pam Hartford at 6:30PM.

A **new member** joined us, her name is Linda Shepard from Marysville OH.

Remember submissions for **The Newsletter** (shows, classes, awards, sales, etc.) must be sent to Mayme by 15<sup>th</sup> of month <a href="mayme@lehaus.com">mayme@lehaus.com</a>

Also remember the **Gallery page** on OPAL website, features one painting per member, (submit electronically under 5 mgs). And take advantage of the free **Member's Portfolio** on website. Send images of up to five paintings and a short bio to <a href="mailto:ContactUs@ohiopastelartistsleague.org">ContactUs@ohiopastelartistsleague.org</a>

**The Fall Show** will be at Westerville Community Center, **hanging date is Sept.2, 2022**. The theme is **"Travel Notes"**, submit up to three pieces of **new work**, prizes will be awarded.

**Pastel Live** is a four day virtual workshop with lessons from top pastel artists. It is August 17-20, 2022. For more information the web site is **pastellive.com/2022** 

**IAPS** is the international pastel society. Members of OPAL are automatically members of the society. For more information on this organization the web address is <a href="https://www.iapspastel.org">www.iapspastel.org</a>

**Ohio State fine arts exhibit** at the Ohio State Fair deadline for submission is 1PM June 1, 2022. Web address: <a href="www.ohiostatefair.com">www.ohiostatefair.com</a> Click on "Get Involved" then "fine arts".

The presenter at the meeting was **Joe Kovach** who did an excellent critique of paintings brought in by member artists. He gave us constructive feedback for each piece and admired how careful we are with our paintings. Thanks Joe!

**June 4<sup>th</sup> virtual meeting is Saturday** 1-4PM with **Jacob Aguilar**, most requested artist in Diane's survey. Meeting location is Co-Hatch Delaware, 18 E. William St. Delaware, OH 43015

Refreshments provided by Chris Hall and Cathy Stoessner

Respectfully submitted, Lynn Carty recording secretary May 13, 2022