Artists' League Meeting: July 10, 2018

Chair: Viki D. Thompson Wylder Notes: Michael Diane Wood

CHAIRS MEETING

- **Professional Development Award** Mariann Kearsley and Mark Fletcher received awards for 2018.
- **Meeting/Program Speakers** Next meeting is potluck. Potentially hosted at Viki's house.
- **Member spotlight** —Need a new chair. Position includes picking a few members to speak as spotlight artists.
- Arts and Antiques Fair Up in the air. Depends on the new director.
- **Membership** No need for new chair at present. Membership Committee has exceeded its goal of 200 members for the last several years. The membership list will be purged of those who have not paid dues, etc. and if the goal of re-building to 200 is not met, the committee will reconvene.
- **Special Account** Is being transferred to new account; when money/checks clear, then old account will close. Account will then hold ~\$300; Special Account will become FSU MOFA Artists' League account; new Chair: Chuck Corbett.
- **Pottery Guild Liaison** Will remove guild from list on back of flyer; will add Life Stories Guild to the list on the back of the flyer will first appear on September flyer.

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

- Announcement of upcoming exhibits and awards Show with four members at Le Moyne: *Leaving Our Mark* with Terrie Corbett, Kent Griffin, Francoise Baudoin d'Ajoux, Keith McCulloch. Show opening next First Friday on August 3 at Southern Exposure; *30th Art in Gadsden*, July 13 – September 8 – a number of League members in the show.
- Mary Liz Moody is now using only one email address; her contact e-mail on the newsletter will be corrected. It is now <u>maryliztippinmoody@gmail.com</u>,
- Any ideas for potential programs or projects need to be given to Mariann Kearsley.
- Capital Show drive through, drop off work, NO PARKING. Drop off is 11am- 1pm on September 4.
- Other announcements of information from Chairs Meeting given as listed above.
- Terrie Corbett spoke in heartfelt memory of Roxane McGinnis, a long time member and glass artist who died several days after the Summer Annual opening. Roxane had been awarded a Juror's Mention for Fine Crafts.

PROGRAM: WALK AND TALK

• Over 20 members talked about their work displayed in the *Artists' League Summer Annual: Global Warning.* Each member was given 4 minutes to talk about his/her piece(s). Artists who participated in the Life Stories Guild exhibition also spoke.