

## February 2021 Board Meeting - Notes

### Corvidae Press Board Meeting

**February 18, 2021**

**5:45-6:20**

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, this month's Board meeting was held via Zoom. Attending were Andrea, Sharon, Randy, Peg, Dorothy, Margaret and Laretta.

#### **Treasurer's Report:**

In an e-mail, Peg reported that the income from membership dues this year is projected at \$7,500 (with 25 members). Last year, income was \$8,400. Studio rent is projected at \$7,500 for 2021.

#### **Membership - Sharon:**

As of today, we have 28 paid memberships and 2 honorary memberships. There are 3 members new to Corvidae this year. Tod passes along new membership inquiries received through the website, but has not received any recently.

#### **Fort Worden Partners:**

Randy reported that the financial concerns of the Fort Worden Public Development Authority are yet to be resolved. An insert in this week's Leader featured several Fort Worden Partners, including Corvidae, and highlighted the various ways in which we are coping with the restrictions due to the pandemic. Randy received an invoice for \$93. for our part of the insert. He made a phone call to Centrum who assured him that they would take care of it.

#### **Membership:**

Sharon reported that as of now, Corvidae has 27 members, 25 are paying members, one is exchanging membership for services and one is honorary.

#### **Print Exchange:**

Sharon reported that 17 members are currently signed up for the annual Print Exchange. There is room for one more. If interested, please contact Sharon. The theme this year is "Putting the Pieces Together." Margaret supplied each member

with a packet of paper ephemera to use in our prints this year. The deadline for participants to submit their prints (20) is July 16th, although that could change. Prints do not have to be identical, but the method should be the same.

**Studio Concern:**

Margaret reported that the studio is being use regularly. The new online reservation system has been easy to use. As always, please remember to follow cleaning protocols and go the “extra mile” by sweeping and emptying the trash when it’s full.

**Printmaker's Hand:**

Margaret reported that the committee is meeting on a regular basis to organize the show. Currently, committee members are focused on sending announcements via email about the show to printmakers and printmaking organizations. Margaret will ask webmaster Todd to advertise it on Corvidae’s website. A printed postcard will also be distributed locally. We have also signed up with [onlinejuriedshows.com](http://onlinejuriedshows.com) for maximum exposure. The Printmaker's Hand V will be exhibited at Northwind Gallery from September 2 through October 31, 2021.

All Corvidae members are encouraged to apply. Deadline for submissions is May 5th.

The next Board meeting will take place March 18th at 5:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Lauretta Frost