

April 19th 2023 Guild Meeting Minutes

Call to Order: John Miller called the meeting to order at 10:00 am.

Guild Year Closing Prayer: Lucille Maho gave the closing prayer in Hopi and English.

Approval of the Minutes: Dale Baker asked for approval of the minutes. The minutes were approved with no one opposed.

Treasurer's Report: Newton Linebaugh gave the treasurer's report. We generated \$100,02.11 in ticket sales for the Fair. The Guild will donate \$75,000.00 to the museum. The new CFO, Robin Klung, is still finalizing financial reports.

Election of New Guild Board Officers 2023-24: Jim Szabo, Parliamentarian, presented the slate for new board members as follows:

- a. John Miller, President
- b. Shelley Mowrey, President Elect
- c. Newton Linebaugh, Treasurer
- d. Dale Baker, Secretary
- e. Christy Sinclair, Nominations

The slate was accepted as presented.

President's Remarks: John announced that there will be a meeting of all Las Guias following the Guild meeting. He also announced that the new Board officers will be installed at the April 20th Appreciation dinner. He thanked everyone who brought food to the Guild meeting.

Membership: Carol Seidberg, membership coordinator, spoke about why she is a Guild member and asked that everyone renew their dues on-line. She described volunteer opportunities for new members (i.e., Fair, student art, information desk, library, museum shop, technology, hospitality, Las Guias). She also reported that the buddy program has received positive feedback.

Fall Las Guias Training Class: Jackie Stubbs described the new class structure as both in person and online with increased mentor involvement. Ann Marshall will deliver the training. There are currently 25 individuals interested in the class and a Saturday meeting will be held for others who are interested. All museum members have been contacted and there are applications on the back table. John noted that there will be no fee for the class but that participants must still be museum and Guild members.

Heard Museum Report: Kim Alexis Adversario presented the summer schedule as follows:

April - Guild appreciation day 4/20, Lei Day 4/30, Members picnic 4/30

May - Voting for Phoenix Magazine "Best Of", Indeterminant Beauty 5/5, First Friday, Bagel Breakfast 5/13

June - Arriving Forever into the Present World 6/2, First Friday, Bagel Breakfast 6/10, Members Preview 6/1, Summer Saturday 6/16

July - Summer Saturday 7/15

Lucia Leigh Laughlin thanked all who conducted school tours and reported that 30 guides, and 2,000 participated in the program. This summer her department will undergo restructuring.

Break

Bruce McGee Featured Speaker: Shelley Mowrey introduced Bruce McGee with an overview of his biography. Michael Mandracha helped Bruce with technology to put together a power point presentation. Bruce spoke about growing up in a family who owned a trading post on the Hopi and Navajo reservation, the evolution of the trading post in the late 20th century, the story of Bill Malone and Hubble trading post, and the path that led him to the Heard.

Adjournment: John Miller adjourned the meeting at 12:00.