

## Minutes of the NECTAG Meeting – February 12, 2009

- ◆ There were six members present for an informal meeting.
- ◆ First up for discussion was our need for better advertising of our meeting dates, time and location/monthly ads.
- ◆ Second was our need for a membership drive and for ads to be put in the local newspapers.
- ◆ Third was for Steve Desjardin to design and print new membership cards. Also new application and printing needs to be done.
- ◆ Mary Hall is looking into exhibit venues at the Golden Lamb in Brooklyn, CT and the “Pink House” in Woodstock. Other ideas were The Mansion at Bald Hill in Woodstock. The Audubon is being looked into by Diane Allen with a possible show for this spring, as well as in the fall like last year. Tami Hamel is talking to the Thompson Library about two shows also. Of course, QVCC is a great venue – Any volunteers to EC a show there???? We need to act quickly to acquire this great gallery.
- ◆ Other possible venues are the Vanilla Bean, Montgomery Ward, and Churchill Clothing building at Victoria Station. If you can volunteer any other venue locations, it will be very much appreciated. Also, we will need EC’s and workers in order to have successful show and sales.
- ◆ There is still talk of Juried Shows. Is there anyone who can put it all together? With help, of course!
- ◆ There is talk of a Pin-Up Exhibit that includes artists of all ages. We realize that permits need to be gotten from the towns for this – especially if we display on fences.
- ◆ Diane Allen has offered her tents for us to use if needed.
- ◆ The Elections have been postponed.

Respectfully submitted,

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