

ARTISTS' WORKSHOP NEWSLETTER



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FEB. WORKSHOP & DEMO LYNN FERRIS FOCUSES OF THE FIGURE



Well-known watercolor artist, Lynn Ferris, is teaching “Bringing the Figure to Life,” our February workshop. **She will also be presenting a demonstration at our Feb. 1st General Meeting. So don't miss that.** In her workshop students will learn how to use light and shadow, gesture and scale to influence mood.

Most recently she was selected to be included in the prestigious North Light publications, "Splash 12" and "Splash 13."

If you need more information, call **Gail Waters** at 386-943-9300.

Workshop Dates: Feb 14, 15 & 16, 2012 9:30 to 4:30
www.lynnferris.com ferriswatercolor@yahoo.com AWI members \$225.00 Non-members \$255

54TH ANNUAL MEMBERS' SHOW

Our 54th Annual Members' Show will be held at the Peabody Auditorium located at 600 Auditorium Boulevard Daytona Beach, FL 32118

Our Judge will be: Bryce Hammond. For more information, please visit <http://www.brycehammondart.com>.

Delivery of art ONE PIECE ONLY, no larger than 42" in any direction, should be delivered on: **Monday, April 30th, 2012 between: 9:00am – 11:00am**

Reception/Opening & Awards Ceremony: May 5, 2012 1:00PM – 4:00PM

Pick-up date will be: Monday June 4, 2012, between 9-11am

You will be receiving a formal Prospectus for this show in our Newsletter as we get closer to these dates.

This is an extraordinary year for the Artists' Workshop, Inc. Our gallery is not available to us just yet, and so I hope you all understand why we are making some changes to our yearly member's show. Any questions, please contact **Nancy Hagood** at 386-690-1281 or email her at HagoodNancy@gmail.com (Please don't contact Peabody Auditorium with questions).

Thank you everyone for your cooperation.

FROM THE PRESIDENT



We are having an exciting first year in our new space! Thanks to our wonderful volunteers, we have made remarkable progress so far. As we live in the space, many creative ideas are emerging for use of the space. It will take some time to work things out so please be patient.

Coming up on February 11 is the Rick Martorano benefit for Artists' Workshop to be held at the Brannon Center. There will be over 50 performers on stage and it should be a great show. I hope to see you there. Artists' Workshop, the Marine Discovery Center and the Wildlife

Foundation of Florida will be holding a joint open house on Saturday, March 10 to celebrate the opening of the Mosquito Lagoon Marine Enhancement Center. This is an opportunity for us to generate interest in our classes and workshops.

Don't miss the Lynn Ferris demonstration on February 1 at the General Meeting.

Laura Robinson, President

GALLERY NEWS

February exhibit at the Library will be "THINKING CHIAROSCURO."

So think of entering a piece with strong lights and darks, either on a subject or whole composition. Black and white or color. Any subject is fine. Non-objective, abstract or representational. The strong lights and darks are what's important. Any questions? Call **Constanz** at 386-426-2079.

DROP-OFF for Chiaroscuro and PICK-UP current "Local" show: 9 - 11am FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3. We may be able to take two works if you come in 10:30 - 11am

THE MARCH GALLERY EXHIBIT -ANY SUBJECT - will be a competitive exhibit with judge and prizes. S

Since we cannot collect the \$10 entry fee at the Library, if you wish to enter please send your entry check *made out to the Artists' Workshop* to **Constanz Elder**, 805 East 24th Avenue, NSB, FL 32169.

If you don't enter, your money will be returned. **Constanz** will be at the Feb. 1 meeting, so you can also pay at that time if you wish.

INFORMATION ON CLASSES AND OPEN STUDIO

Please save the list of classes found in this newsletter.

We may add classes to it or eliminate some in the future, but for now this is our foundation for the year.

Many have asked for more Open Studio sessions and we have tried to offer just that. Please support them by attending, paying \$2, and cleaning your space. (Continued on following page.)

Open Studio Sessions are:

Tuesdays, 1pm – 4 pm - **Nancy Hagood**, 386-427-0381

Alternating Tuesdays, 1pm-4pm - Life Study Sessions -**Pat Zalisko**, 386-763-5075 or **Maryann Oliver**, 86- 345-4635

Wednesdays, 9:30am -12:30pm – **Louise Lieber**, 396- 427-0452

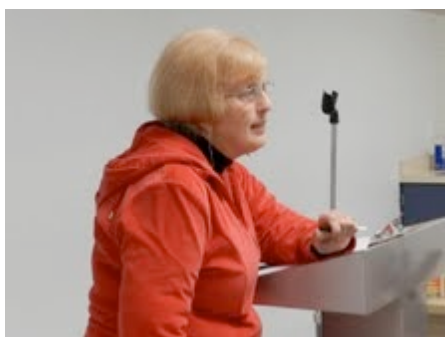
Thursdays, 1:00pm – 4:00pm –**Maryann Oliver**, 386- 345-4635

Fridays, 9:30am-12:20 -**Lisa Brooks**, 386-402-0782

Saturdays, 9:30am-5pm -**Jean Banas**, 386-427-2888

SOME NEW CLASSES

Members **Betty Parker**, **Mary Gerlach** and **Regina Wise** are among those who gave presentations at our January General meeting to introduce new courses they are teaching. **Betty Parker** (photo right) has actually been teaching for years at the AWI but she is returning after some time away. She will be starting her **Fundamentals of Drawing** class again and is teaching on Thursdays from 1-4pm.



Regina Wise

(photo left) will be teaching **Impressions Art Media**, a Fundamentals Course to teach the elements of Art and Design Mondays from 9:30am-12:30pm. In her class you will learn about the principles of design, contour line drawing, composition, and more. For more information or to sign up, contact her at wiseregina@gmail.com



Mary Gerlach, (photo left) has years of art teaching experience, is starting a **Color Theory/Painting** course on Tuesdays from 1-4pm. Learn to mix all the colors you need, from a limited palette of Red, Yellow, & Blue + white. Learn to have control of your color mixing, design and color principles to help you achieve the results you're trying to express. Newcomer or experienced artist, this class will give you control of your medium: acrylic, oils or watercolors, etc. Whether your style is realistic, abstract or non-objective, everyone is welcome. Please contact **Mary Gerlach** at marygerlach@cfl.rr.com , 386-957-3400 (home) or 386-846-3104 (cell).

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

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George Brooks

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FUNDRAISING UPDATE BY CAROLYN LAND

The Fundraising Committee would like to thank everyone for their continued support in raising Money for the 'New Building Initiative'. You have all been very generous. We are about \$4000.00 short of our goal of \$20,000.00. Some people have been asking about an updated "Wish List". Since we are just getting settled in, we are finding new things are needed all the time, and some other things on this list will not be necessary. We are giving ourselves some time before we publish our next one. Because you don't see it coming, doesn't mean it doesn't exist. :)

In Benefit of the

Artists' Workshop, Inc.

Featuring Regional and National celebrated entertainers,

The Rick Martorano Singers

will be in concert for the Musical Gathering

Paint The Town With Music

7:30 February 11th

Brannon Center in New Smyrna Beach

Tickets are \$20.00 in advance or \$25.00 at the door.

Tickets may be purchased by calling [386 304 6771](tel:3863046771)

or sending a check and self-addressed stamped envelope to:

Artists' Workshop, Inc.

Box 1194, New Smyrna Beach, Florida 32170-1194

Free snacks are available and beer and wine can be purchased.

UPDATE ON COMMUNITY EXHIBITS BY JANE OWEN

The Artists Workshop Inc. is proud to announce the following exceptional art exhibits in eastern Volusia venues.

James Houpt will be simultaneously in the Oak Hill Library (125 E. Halifax Ave., Oak Hill, east of Rte 1), New Smyrna Beach City Hall (210 Sams Avenue, New Smyrna Beach), and as sole artist in the Edgewater Library (103 W. Indian R. Blvd, Edgewater, west of Rte 1) through the end of January. Extended from December through the end of January **Diana Gilson** stars in the Oak Hill Library. **Laura Robinson** is currently Edgewater Artist of the Month, exhibiting in the Edgewater Museum Art Room(1108 S. Ridgewood Avenue, EW). Continuing from December through the end of January, **Christophe Cardot** and the peripatetic Francophiliac artists of AWI are starring in the United Church of Christ Community Hall (203 Washington St, New Smyrna Beach).

Cheri Erdman in the Oak Hill Library, **Joye Shaffer** in the Edgewater Library, **John O'Brien** in the New Smyrna United Church of Christ Community Hall, **Bob Grayson** in the NSB City Hall, and **Michelle Davidson** in the Edgewater Art Room. Polymath Michelle works in dreamy mixed media and is artistically enhancing the presentation of her book about ghosts in Florida. Contact **Jane Owen** (owenj@ucnsb.net, 386-428-1225) for information about participating in community exhibits.

MEMBERS' AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

Several AWI members won awards at the recent Art League of Daytona Beach show. **Pat Zalisko- Best of Show (see photo right)** presented in memory of Diana Barringer; **Carson Kapp - 2nd Place**, **Shirley Pittman - Merit Award**; **Judy Gilmer - Recognition Award**, presented in memory of Joseph Perrino; **Jane Rockhold - Recognition Award**; **Beau Wild - Recognition Award**; **Don Kennedy - Achievement Award**, **Pamela Ramey Tatum -Honorable Mention**, **Antoinette Slick - Honorable Mention**. Judge for the show: Robert Sindelir .

Pat Zalisko has a solo exhibit at the Lake Eustis Museum of Art at 200 B East Orange Ave., Eustis, Opening: Jan 20, from 6-9 pm. There will be an artist talk that evening. Show closes Feb. 25.

Audrey Phillips and **Pat Zalisko** are among the artists selected for the "Art in Chambers" exhibit at the Orange County Administration Building. Opening Reception is January 23 and the exhibit runs through May 11.

UPDATE ON VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We need volunteers for Publicity Chair; Newsletter Editor (to take over in May 2012); and someone to learn **Sallee Langley's** job of Treasurer to be back up for her. Contact **Laura Robinson**, lrubinon1045@cfl.rr.com for the Publicity Chair; **Pamela Ramey Tatum**, prameytatum@gmail.com for the Newsletter Editor; and **Sallee Langley** at wglskl@att.com our current Treasurer to be her backup person.

Thank you to member, **Lisa Brooks**, for stepping up to the task of being Webmaster for the AWI. She is doing a tremendous job. And **Regina Wise**, will continue as assistant. A special thank you to **Regina Wise** for serving as our Webmaster the past three years.

NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY

We have some new additions to our library, books and DVD's, which will be available for check-out. Our librarian, **Joan Zetka**, will put them out on our table for your perusal until the end of the month, after which they will be placed on the shelves in the proper categories.

Also, because we have so few DVD's, we ask that they be checked out only one at a time and kept no longer than one week. Thank you for your cooperation. Any questions or donations for the library, contact **Joan Zetka** at joanz@att.net

FEBRUARY GENERAL MEETING

We had a great turnout for our January General Meeting and hope to have all of you and more for on Wednesday, February 1. We will have the wonderful demonstration by Lynn Ferris and lots of other things to catch up on. The social starts at 6:30pm and business at 7pm.

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From the Editor:
Our year is off to a wonderful start with great shows, new classes and workshops, and continuing to figure out the best use of our beautiful new space.
Please consider being a volunteer in one of the areas where we need help. It is a fulfilling role to help out the organization that offers us so many wonderful opportunities and gives so much to our community.
Thank you again to all our volunteers for your hard work and dedication and to those who helped in getting us moved into our new space.
Happy creating,
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