



# Artists' Workshop Newsletter

## January 2014

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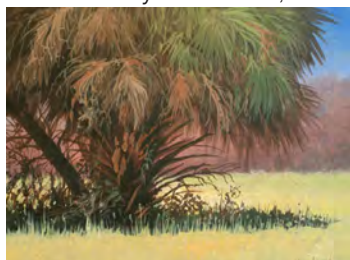
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### Next Member Meeting: Wednesday, Feb. 5, 2014

Social Time: 6:30 P.M.  
(Library Book Sale)  
Meeting: 7:00 P.M.

540 Barracuda Blvd.  
New Smyrna Beach, FL



"Shady Spot," Acrylic, Scott Hiestand

February 5th, 2014  
Meeting Demo by  
Acrylic Landscape Artist:  
**Scott Hiestand**

"The Artists' Workshop of New Smyrna Beach, Inc. strives to enrich the community by offering a supportive, vibrant environment which promotes opportunities to learn, create, exhibit and appreciate art."

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## 56th Annual Members' Show & Gala

Katty Smith

**N**OW THERE ARE 18 AWARDS! We are happy to announce that an additional award, The Ruth Wood Davis Memorial Award in the amount of \$200, has been added to the Artists' Workshop Members' Show Awards list. Also, a special thanks goes out to the members who donated to our Artist to Artist Award for the Members' Show. We reached our goal!

**MEMBERS' SHOW GALA:** On Friday, February 14th, we will be celebrating the opening of the 56th Annual Members' Show at the AWI Studios. The setting for the GALA will be under the sheltered patio when not viewing the show. Just a reminder to dress for the weather, although we have requested a beautiful evening with pleasant temperatures!

We will be entertained with elegant guitar music by Paul Katinas, whose résumé includes performances at such venues as the Orlando Museum of Art, the Albin Polasek Museum, Rollins College, Cornell Fine Arts Gallery, and the Ringling Mansion in Sarasota, FL. Our caterer for this affair is Riverside Catering of New Smyrna Beach. Join us for this very special event to celebrate art!



Reminder:  
Monday, February 10th is the Members' Show entry date and last day to RSVP for the Gala. If you still haven't received your Prospectus, contact Chair, Katty Smith at email [kattysmith@bellsouth.net](mailto:kattysmith@bellsouth.net) or 386-423-1419.

### NOTICE: AWI Studios: Closed / Classes Cancelled Feb. 10-14

AWI Classes and Open Studio sessions will be cancelled for the week of February 10-14, in preparation for the Members' Show. We apologize for any inconvenience.

(More classes info on page 2...)

### Host/Hostess Needed: Catherine Merrill Workshop Weekend of Feb. 8-9 Scott Hiestand Workshop Feb. 19 and 21

We still need 2 hosts/hostesses for the 2nd weekend of Catherine Merrill's Workshop, February 8-9. We also need a host/hostess on Feb 19th and 21st for Scott Hiestand's workshop. (Remember: Hosts attend the workshop that day at no charge!) If you are interested, contact Liz Clayton, 386-427-3996, or email:

[gramclayton@gmail.com](mailto:gramclayton@gmail.com)

(More workshop info: pps. 2 & 4...)

## Remaining 2014 AWI Workshop Schedule

Plan ahead and mail your check early to receive a 20% workshop discount. It must be postmarked 45 days before the workshop begins. (NO EXCEPTIONS)



**STACY BARTER**  
"Still Life"  
**CLASS FULL**  
Jan 17-19, 2014



**CATHERINE MERRILL**  
"Celebrating the Figure: Drawing on Clay and Paper"  
Feb 1-2, 8-9, 2014

**OPENINGS STILL AVAILABLE**



**SCOTT HIESTAND**  
"Acrylic Landscape Painting"  
Feb 19-21, 2014

**OPENINGS STILL AVAILABLE**



**JANET ROGERS**  
"Expressive Watercolors with Faces & Figures"  
Mar 25-27, 2014

(Discount date: Feb 8, 2014)



**LYN ASSELTA**  
"Expressive Landscapes in Pastel"

Apr 4-6, 2014

(Discount date: Feb 18, 2014)

Pick up a Workshop brochure at the AWI Studios. See the Artists' Workshop website [www.artistsworkshopinc.com](http://www.artistsworkshopinc.com) for more information, supply lists, and sign-up information. Questions? Contact Liz Clayton, 386-427-3996, or email: [gramclayton@gmail.com](mailto:gramclayton@gmail.com)

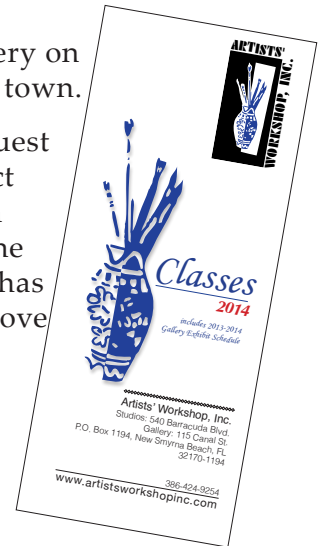
## Classes Update

Mary Gerlach and Nance Sucharski

The new classes brochures are here - **2014!**  
Brochures are available at the Studios on Barracuda Drive, at the Gallery on Canal St. and assorted locations around town.

Check out all of the on-going classes, new guest artists classes and open-studio sessions. Contact information is provided in the brochure and on the AWI website. The sign up for classes (i.e. the display wall with clipboards for class sign-up) has been moved to Studio C. This is a temporary move to get ready for the Members' Show.

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** All classes / studios will be closed Feb. 10th to Feb 14, 2014. (This is to accommodate the judging and hanging of the Members Show in Studio B and the Library.) In the kitchen area of the studios, class/studio schedules are posted, and a secondary chart to show how classes/studios will be rearranged during the Members' Show, which runs through March 14th.



Here are some new classes and/or sessions beginning soon:

- **Sue Reynolds'** new class "INDEPENDENT STUDY" will start Wed. morning, Jan. 22nd. The student, with the help of the teacher, will set goals for improving their work, in whatever medium the student prefers. Sue has experience in watercolor, acrylics, collage, cold wax/oil, portraits and large abstract works. She will supply personal art books for the students to use, various surfaces to work on, interesting mediums to experiment with and will have demos throughout the six weeks. This will be personalized instruction. Contact Sue at 386-690-8831 or [msreyfws@gmail.com](mailto:msreyfws@gmail.com).
- **Carolyn Land** begins a new class "ART COACH," which is a one-on-one 2 1/2-hour session that will allow the student to try out many mediums, learn something about the art making process, and the classes we offer. It's open to anyone just starting out, has interest, but is not sure what they can do or want to do. One session: \$15. Time/date to be arranged. Contact Carolyn at 386-304-6771 or [carolynland@gmail.com](mailto:carolynland@gmail.com).
- **Louise Lieber** will be holding a special 6-week session of her "DRAWING FROM NATURE" class that will concentrate exclusively on drawing the figure from life (a model posing). First class will be Friday, Jan. 10 from 1 - 4 P.M. Students can register after the six weeks has begun and can pay per class. Cost is \$75 for 6 weeks or \$15 per class. Model's fee will be divided by the number of students attending. Contact Louise at 386-427-0452 or [louiselieber@yahoo.com](mailto:louiselieber@yahoo.com).
- **Lisa Brooks** brings back her "PHOTOSHOP & DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY," "WEB DESIGN FOR ARTISTS WITH FREE ONLINE SITE BROWSERS," and "BEGINNING PHOTOGRAPHY" classes on **Monday** mornings (change of day since brochure printed). Students will bring their own laptop computer. Reach Lisa at 386-402-0782 or [lisabruce@gmail.com](mailto:lisabruce@gmail.com).

## From the Gallery

Constanz Elder, Donna Ross & Michael Ennis

**V**IVA FLORIDA is a big, wonderful show and the artworks are getting many compliments. Be sure to pop in and see it before it closes. We will be open the weekend of IMAGES, January 24, 25 & 26th.

"SERENDIPITY: Good Things Found by Chance" is our next exhibit, entering the Gallery on January 31st, 9 – 11 a.m. *For our patrons*, this title hints at the good things to be found in the Artists' Workshop Gallery. *For our artists*, it means entering your choice of subject. This exhibit will be up for FIESTA, so let's make it full of "good things."

For those still confused, our title word comes from the Persian fairy tale, "The Three Princes of Serendip," whose heroes were always making good discoveries by accident of things they were not in search of. Serendip is an old name for Sri Lanka (aka Ceylon). We artists know all about "happy accidents," don't we?

### January 4 - 30: "VIVA FLORIDA"

(Artists' Workshop Gallery on Canal St.)

Open for: IMAGES SHOW, January 24-26  
Pick Up Date: Friday, January 31st, 9 -11:00 A.M.

### February 3 - 27: "SERENDIPITY: Good Things Found by Chance"

(Artists' Workshop Gallery on Canal St.)

Your choice of subject. Please contact a Gallery Co-Chair prior to the exhibit to enter: Constanz Elder, 386-426-2079, [constanzelder@gmail.com](mailto:constanzelder@gmail.com); or Donna Ross, [donnaross148@yahoo.com](mailto:donnaross148@yahoo.com).

Entry Date: Friday, January 31st, 9 -11:00 A.M.  
Open for: 1st Saturday on Canal (Gallery Walk):  
February 1st, 4- 7:00 P.M.  
Open for: 52nd Annual ART FIESTA, February 15-16  
Pick Up Date: Friday, February 28th, 9 -11:00 A.M.

Selections from this month's "Viva Florida" Exhibit at the Gallery:



Sheryl Roach  
"Adventure Harbor"  
(oil)



Ruby Jones  
"Gale Warning"  
(acrylic)



Gail Swoope  
"N. Riverside Dr. #2"  
(acrylic)



Katty Smith  
"Caretta Caretta"  
(clay sculpture)

## Remaining 2014 AWI Gallery Show Dates At a Glance

January 4 - 30:  
**Pickup Friday, Jan 31**  
"VIVA FLORIDA"  
(Canal St. Gallery)

February 3 - 27:  
**Enter Friday, Jan 31**  
"SERENDIPITY: GOOD  
THINGS FOUND BY  
CHANCE"  
(Canal St. Gallery)

February 14 - March 14:  
**Enter Monday, Feb 10**  
MEMBERS' EXHIBIT  
(Barracuda Blvd.)  
Juried Show

March 1 - 27:  
"THE ARTIST'S POINT OF  
VIEW"  
(Canal St. Gallery)

March 31 - April 24:  
"RAINBOW'S GOLD"  
(Canal St. Gallery)

April 28 - May 22:  
**Artists' Select**  
(Canal St. Gallery)

May 26 - June 19:  
**Artists' Select**  
(Canal St. Gallery)



# Upcoming Workshops

Liz Clayton

## Scott Hiestand: February 19, 20, 21 "Acrylic Landscape Painting"

A unique approach to painting impressionistic landscapes with a realistic touch. Acrylics are a very versatile medium. In this seminar we will explore various painting techniques (including painting on masonite) and the importance of washes to achieve light, shadow and mood.

Website: [www.scotthiestand.com](http://www.scotthiestand.com)

Dates: Wednesday, February 19, thru Friday, February 21, 2014  
Time: 9:30 A.M. thru 4:00 P.M.  
Fees: AWI Members: \$225; non-members: \$255



## Mark Your Calendars:

**Artists' Workshop Inc.**  
**Spring Installation Luncheon**  
**Tuesday, April 29, 2014**  
**Atlantic Center for the Arts**

Installation of New Officers  
Members Miniature Artwork  
for luncheon tables

(More info to come next month...)

## AWARDS: 2014 Art League of Daytona "Annual Members' Exhibit"

Congratulations to the following Artists' Workshop members who won awards at the recent Art League of Daytona - Annual Members' Exhibit. The exhibition runs through March 6.

### FIRST PLACE

Robert Brooks  
*"Prehistoric Racing Pelican"*

### ACHIEVEMENT

Katty Smith  
*"Nzuri"*

### EXCELLENCE IN TRADITIONAL OIL PAINTING

Marta Crawford  
*"The Blue Jar"*

### EXCELLENCE IN COLLAGE / MIXED MEDIA

Kathy O'Meara  
*"Notes on the Harmattan"*

### MERIT

Frank Ferrante  
*"Wetland Landscape"*

### MERIT

Peter Cerreta  
*"Beware the Deceiver"*

### HONORABLE MENTION

Liz Clayton  
*"What Did You Say?"*

## AWI Booth - Canal St. NSB Home Show & Business Expo Saturday January 18th

Stop by the Artists' Workshop Booth on Canal St., at the 4th Annual Chamber of Commerce Home Show & Business Expo, Saturday, January 18th, from 10 A.M. - 4 P.M.

*The Florida Women's Art Association  
invites all to a:*

## Plein Air Paint Party January 18-19 Tomoka State Park

You are invited to join FLWAA for a Plein Air Paint Party Saturday and Sunday, Jan 18 & 19th at Tomoka State Park in Ormond Beach. This is open to all artists, not just women or experienced plein air painters. Marilyn Masters will give a "How to Paint Plein Air" workshop Saturday at 10 a.m. Registration begins at the museum at 8 a.m. Saturday. The park has done a wonderful job renovating the old museum, giving us a place to hang wet paintings, and/or, a place to escape rain or cold. Admission to the park is free both days. FLWAA will provide hot/cold beverages throughout the day and for the pot luck supper Saturday evening. Tomoka State Park is handicap friendly with plenty of places to paint at short distances. The Ukulele Lady plays at the Marina Store Fri. and Sat. from 6-8 p.m. RSVP Kay Botet at [botetk@gmail.com](mailto:botetk@gmail.com) or call 386-677-0497. (courtesy Trish Vevera)

## Welcome New Members Maryann Oliver

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"Sitting Pretty" is one of the many animal images of Don Kapaldo that is currently on display in the computer section of the New Smyrna Beach Library. The work is sensitive to the lives of the animals in their terms and to the beauty of their forms, and touches many fortunate enough to see them in shows in central Florida.

## Youth Artist Programs Regina Wise

### 15th Annual High School Art Show May 4th, 2014

Mark your calendars: The Artists' Workshop will once again sponsor our future artists and appreciators who one day will become members of the AWI. Every year we curate, assemble and hang the show at the New Smyrna Beach Regional Library. We will be asking for donations as well as volunteers to help mount and hang the artwork. More info/details in coming months...

## Your Art In Public Places

Jane Owen

**B**ERT FISH HOSPITAL LOBBIES (NSB): Congratulations to Regina Wise, who won the Bert Fish Competition to be featured artist next cycle: January - March 2014. It was well deserved. It was even more fun that she was there when the announcement was made at the Bert Fish staff Christmas party. (They expect to change out the featured artist installation sometime in January.)

Many thanks were conveyed to the participating artists from Bert Fish staff member, Robin Roberts: "A large number of the Bert Fish staff participated in the voting and revisited the site many times to appreciate and enjoy the various merits. Thank you for being part of it from myself and the hospital staff members who stopped me to convey their own joy and that of patients in the program, and good wishes that it will continue to grow and grow stronger. They are conscious of the effect art and the visual environment in general may have on well-being as well as of their worth in themselves. Draw strength and creative energy from the celebrations and keep drawing for yourself, us, and others in the coming year."

**COMMUNITY HALL at UNITED CHURCH of CHRIST:** Many thanks to Babs Lupoli and husband who patched and painted the wall of the Community Hall of UCC, reproducing the former color matching the other walls. It was full of holes and chipped from nails in different spots, from various artworks hung over the years.

*Community Exhibit Shows that continue until January 31:*

**EDGEWATER LIBRARY, OAK HILL LIBRARY, COMMUNITY HALL at UNITED CHURCH of CHRIST, OAK HILL CITY HALL, NEW SMYRNA BEACH LIBRARY, and NEW SMYRNA CITY HALL LOBBY**

The next opportunities open April, and July 1 for **BERT FISH**, and February, April, and June 1 for the other locations. Contact Jane Owen ([owenrix@earthlink.net](mailto:owenrix@earthlink.net), 386-428-1225 or 386-478-3409) and Ruby Jones ([rubbygeerjones@yahoo.com](mailto:rubbygeerjones@yahoo.com), 386-427-9222).



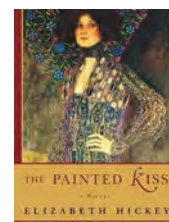
## Librarian's Corner Cindy Sloan

**Join us Tuesday, Jan. 14th, 4:00 - 6:00 P.M.: "The Painted Kiss"**  
**and Tuesday, Feb. 11th, 4:00 - 6:00 P.M.: Documentary: "The Rape of Europa"**



**"The Rape of Europa"  
Documentary**

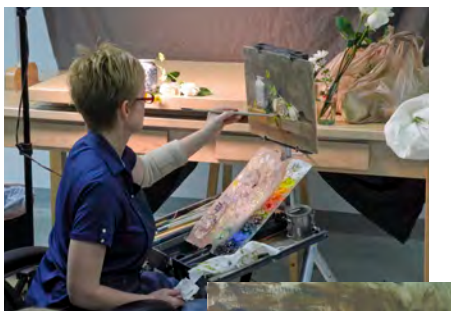
The January and February Art Book Club meetings will be held at Cindy Sloan's house, 819 Island Point Dr., NSB. (Parking can be difficult so if you want to drive with someone that would be great.) On Tuesday Jan. 14 the Book Club will be discussing "The Painted Kiss" by Elizabeth Hickey about Gustav Klimt and his life-long friend Emilie Flöge. On Tuesday Feb. 11 we will be watching the documentary "The Rape of Europa" which details the Third Reich's confiscation and destruction of some of Europe's most valuable pieces of art (which included works by Klimt).



**"The Painted Kiss"**

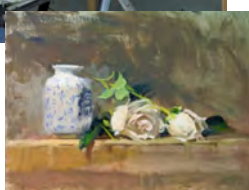
### Library Book Donations & Continued Improvements

The library is continuing to evolve. Please do not hesitate to talk with me about the new book filing system. I plan to make a map of the library for use next month. We will have more shelves and easier to read labels and dividers for the shelves and books. Also, any kind of book can be donated to the library for book sales.



AWI welcomed acclaimed artist Stacy Barter to our Studios on December 15th.

Many of our members came to see her oil painting demonstration.  
(final demo painting - inset)



From the President  
Joe Anglin

Happy New Year to All,

We are having some exciting programs and activities coming this year. There are many new classes scheduled; please see the sign-up sheets which are temporarily located in Studio C. Please also think about joining one of this seasons planned workshops. They are all exceptional this year.

All of the art work displayed this month in the Gallery looks great and will be visited by many during the Home Show and Business Expo on the 18th, and by even more during the Images Art Festival on the 24th, 25th and 26th of January. Thanks to all our Gallery volunteers. Our "Art in Public Places" exhibits continue to be excellent.

The Artists' Workshop is represented this month, January 18, on Canal Street during the annual Home Show and Business Expo, booth #152. Drop by and say hello. Our Annual Members' Show plans are progressing nicely. Hope as many as possible will enter the show this year on February 10 and plan to attend the Members' Show Gala on February 14, Valentine's Day. Hope to see you there.



*Artists' Workshop programs are sponsored in part by a grant from the Cultural Council of Volusia County.*

## From the Editor:

Hope to see you at the Members' Show Gala on February 14th! Be sure to keep us informed of any member awards or special accomplishments. The cutoff date for inputs for the February newsletter will also be Friday, February 14th, so we can include the Members' Show winners.

Current and past newsletters are always posted on our website:

[www.artistsworkshopinc.com/newsletters.html](http://www.artistsworkshopinc.com/newsletters.html)

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