



# Artists' Workshop Newsletter

## February 2015

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### Next Member Event:

(Reminder: Due to the Members' Show setup, there is no regular monthly meeting in March.) We'll see you at the Members' Show Reception and Luncheon!



**OPENING  
RECEPTION:**  
**Friday, March 6**  
AWI Studios  
(open to public)

**AWARDS  
LUNCHEON:**  
**Saturday, March 7**  
Sugar Mill  
(reservations  
required)

"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."

ESTABLISHED 1958

### Call for Officers & Committee Chairs

Joe Anglin



### WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Help **CREATE** our wonderful programs, classes, workshops and art exhibits **NOW**. The Artists' Workshop needs **YOU**. Call our Nominating Committee Chair, **MARYANN OLIVER** at 386-345-4635 and let her know you want to **HELP**. We must give if we wish to receive. (See the President's Letter on page 6 for details.)



### **WE NEED YOU**

### 57th Annual Members' Show Update

Gail Waters

**G**reat news: Dr. John Wilton has graciously agreed to sponsor three additional \$50 "Encouragement Awards" for the Members' Show, bringing the total now to 20 awards. A drummer from the "Rythm Trail Steel Drum Band" will be providing the entertainment for the Opening Reception. Remember the key dates:

**Entry Date:** **Monday, March 2, 2015, 9 A.M. - 4 P.M., AWI Studios**  
(Be ready to sign up to sit the show for a half-day.)

**Opening Reception:** **Friday, March 6, 2015, 6 - 8 P.M., AWI Studios**  
(Refreshments served; open to the public.)

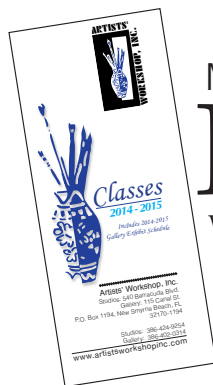
**Awards Luncheon:** **Saturday, March 7, 2015, 11:30 A.M., Sugar Mill**  
(R.S.V.P. and payment due by March 2.)

**Show Closes:** **Friday, March 20, 2015**  
Pickup your artwork between 9 A.M. - 4 P.M.

We also need appetizers for the Opening Reception. If you want to provide appetizers or have any questions, contact Gail Waters at 386-943-9300 or email: [waters\\_g@bellsouth.net](mailto:waters_g@bellsouth.net).



Eileen Kepper prepares to adhere a tropical fish mosaic to its backing board, during her demo at the January AWI Members Meeting.



## Classes Update

Mary Gerlach, Ella Lawless & Pat Muscarella

**F**ebruary and March are very busy months at the studios. Many classes are running at full capacity, workshops are full and the artistic energy is fabulous; and our wonderful Members Show is around the corner.

It is really important that all teachers, open studio monitors and students look ahead for the changes happening in the studios. (NOTE: There will be no

classes in the Studios during the first week of March in preparation for the Members' Show. Also, there will be limited classes while the show is up; please check with your teachers for your class schedule!)

It is exciting to see so much happening in our studios, but it does require that we all work together, with understanding and flexibility so we can enjoy how much our organization has grown.

**PASTEL CLASS:** The next session of pastel classes will begin Monday, March 23. Please email Carolyn Land at [carolynaland@gmail.com](mailto:carolynaland@gmail.com) or call 386 290-5128 if interested.

**MIXED MEDIA:** The next session of Mixed Media will begin Tuesday, March 24. If interested, email Carolyn Land at [carolynaland@gmail.com](mailto:carolynaland@gmail.com) or call 386 290-5128.

### Remaining Spring 2015 AWI Workshop Schedule



**JANE SLIVKA**  
"The Freedom of  
Acrylics"  
Feb 26-28, 2015

**WORKSHOP FULL**



**DEBORAH  
LaFOGG**  
"Expressing Your  
Inner Animal in  
Pastel"  
Mar 27-29, 2015



**CHRISTINE  
PELOQUIN**  
"Painting &  
Drawing with  
Mixed Media  
Collage"  
Apr 11-12, 2015

Artists' Workshop members receive a discounted rate for workshops. Pick up a 2014-2015 Workshops brochure for more details and sign-up information. Questions? Contact Liz Clayton, 386-427-3996, or email: [gramclayton@gmail.com](mailto:gramclayton@gmail.com)

## Upcoming Workshops

Liz Clayton

**T**here are still openings left in both the Deborah LaFogg (March 27-29) and Christine Peloquin (April 11-12) workshops (below).

**DEMO: Sunday, Feb. 22, 2 PM**

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS:** Even though her workshop is full, Jane Slivka will still be giving a free acrylic demonstration on Sunday, February 22 at 2:00 P.M. at the Artists' Workshop studios. Refreshments will be served.

### Deborah LaFogg:

#### "Expressing Your Inner Animal in Pastels"

Participants will use pastels to paint wildlife in their natural habitats.

website: [www.lafogg.com](http://www.lafogg.com)

Dates: Friday, March 27 thru Sunday, March 29, 2015

Fees: : AWI Members: \$225; non-members: \$255



"Under Mom's Watch" (pastel)

### Christine Peloquin:

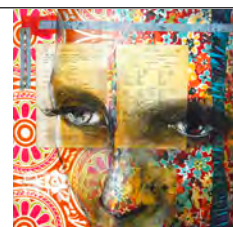
#### "Painting & Drawing with Mixed Media Collage"

Participants will experience the joys and secrets of combining mixed media fabric and paper collage with drawing and painting.

website: [www.christinepeloquin.com](http://www.christinepeloquin.com)

Dates: Saturday, April 11 thru Sunday, April 12, 2015

Fees: : AWI Members: \$125; non-members: \$155



"Present-Imperfect"  
(mixed media)



## From the Gallery

Constanz Elder, Susan Stoddart, Michael Ennis

**"OPEN SESAME" is the March exhibit in the Gallery.**

**ENTRY DATE IS: MARCH 6, 9–11 a.m. at the Canal Street Gallery and you may enter YOUR CHOICE of subject for this show.**

If this date sounds familiar, it IS the day of the evening Reception for our Membership exhibit; however, your art drop for the Gallery show is early a.m. so there is no conflict. Artworks do not necessarily have to be new works, although your recent works are always appreciated.

"OPEN SESAME" were the magic words that opened the door to many wonderful things, and we want our March Gallery to be filled with a treasure trove of our Members' artworks. The Membership show lasts for two weeks, but the Gallery show continues on for the month. So plan to contact a Gallery Chair for entry in this exhibit, giving the size of your piece, PRIOR TO THE ENTRY DATE. Gallery Chairs:

Constanz Elder: 386-426-2079, email [constanzelder@gmail.com](mailto:constanzelder@gmail.com)

Susan Stoddart: 386-423-1468, email [susanstoddart@earthlink.net](mailto:susanstoddart@earthlink.net)

"BLACK & WHITE AND ART ALL OVER" will continue in the Gallery through March 5, open 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Mon. – Fri. This exhibit has enjoyed a large, appreciative audience so far. If you haven't seen it, plan to visit with friends for its remaining days. Pick up date is March 6.

### **"OPEN SESAME"**

(Artists' Workshop Gallery on Canal St.)

Entry Date: **Friday, March 6, 9 -11:00 A.M.**

Open for: 1st Saturday on Canal (Gallery Walk):  
March 7th: Reception 4:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.

Pick Up Date: Friday, April 3rd, 9 -11:00 A.M.

Reminder: Gallery entry is free for members. (Just contact Gallery Chair prior to entry date.)

*Come visit...now thru March 5th:*

### **"BLACK & WHITE & ART ALL OVER"**

(Artists' Workshop Gallery on Canal St.)

Pick Up Date: Friday, March 6th, 9 -11:00 A.M.

Some selections from the "Black & White" show:



(Left to right) Maureen McLeod, "Pretty in Pink" (acrylic); Dr. Zari Ilkhanipour, "Dancers" (pencil); Jack Phelps, "Little Girl with Red Ribbons" (acrylic).

## Spring/Summer 2015 AWI Gallery Show Dates At a Glance

February 9 - March 5  
**Pickup: Friday, March 6**  
**"BLACK & WHITE  
& ART ALL OVER"**  
(Canal St. Gallery)

March 7 - April 2  
**Enter: Friday, March 6**  
**"OPEN SESAME"**  
(Canal St. Gallery)

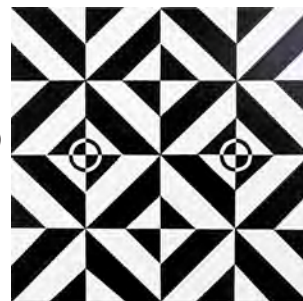
March 7 - 20  
**MEMBERS' SHOW**  
**Enter: Monday, March 2**  
(Barracuda Blvd.)  
Judged Show

April 6 - 30  
**"EARTHSHINE & THE  
HUMAN IMAGE"**  
(Canal St. Gallery)

May 4 - 28  
**"ACCENT ON THE 3-D"**  
(Canal St. Gallery)

June 1 - 25  
**ARTIST'S CHOICE**  
(Canal St. Gallery)

Michael  
Ennis,  
"Occam's  
Owl"  
(acrylic)



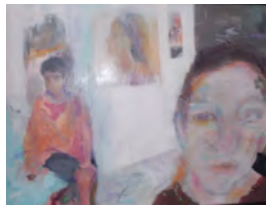
Cheri  
Erdman,  
"Untitled"  
(mixed  
media)



## MEMBER NEWS

(photos courtesy artists)

### International Society of Acrylic Painters - Florida Annual Juried Exhibition



**Nancy Hagood**

*"Unspokey"*

Nancy's painting was one of 40 paintings juried into the show out of over 400 entries. Show is on display thru March 1, 2015 at the Morean Arts Center, St. Petersburg, FL

### 11th Annual "Winter's Garden" Juried Exhibit

**Dan Sivek**

*"Palmetto and Pine"*

Dan Sivek's work, "Palmetto and Pine," painted last February at Indian River Lagoon Park was juried into the "Winter's Garden" show, an exhibition of floral and garden inspired art. The exhibit runs thru February 20, 2015, at the Riverfront Art Center in Stevens Point, Wisconsin.

### "Native Nature" Exhibit



**Trish Vevera**

*"Jewel Beach"*

Trish Vevera will be the featured artist in an exhibit entitled "Native Nature". The opening is part of the Second Sunday Soiree Series at the "I Am Rachel" Gallery 5915 N Oceanshore in the Hammock, in Northern Flagler County. Soiree reception is Sunday, March 8, 2015 from 4-8 p.m. Paintings include scenes from Matanzas to Marineland to the Mala Compra site at Bing's Landing. Other artists include Sandra Pierce, Crickett Pierce, and Rachel. The show extends thru May 8.

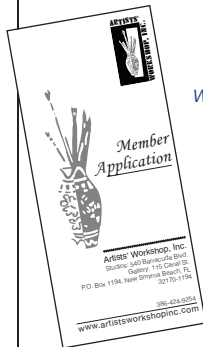
**Mark Your Calendars!**

**AWI**

**Spring Luncheon  
is scheduled for**

**Tuesday, April 28, 2015**

## Welcome New Members Maryann Oliver



*The Artists' Workshop  
welcomes the following new  
members. If you wish to  
join us, pickup a Member  
Application brochure at  
the Studios or Gallery.*

*Questions?*

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# Your Art In Public Places (AIPP)

Jane Owen

Jane Owen's  
"Charlie  
Hacking  
History" is  
currently  
on display  
at the Bert  
Fish Medical  
Center (photo  
courtesy artist)



The next regular exhibits will be installed at the end of March and very beginning of April. Sign up for best consideration now and get on the bus for fun taking your self seriously and having others do both too. Yes, it all counts. You'll probably see your name in the paper. Best contact mode is [owenrix@earthlink.net](mailto:owenrix@earthlink.net), or call 386-428-1225.

Meanwhile, we have added the wooden bird sculptures of George Brooks to the New Smyrna Library Exhibit.

## MEMBER AWARDS:

**January / February 2015**  
**Art League of Daytona Beach**  
**"Members' Exhibit"**

### BEST IN SHOW

Robert Brooks

*"Nonclock: Locking Up Hands of Time"*

### DISTINCTION

Kathy O'Meara

*"Mystic Stele"*

### ACHIEVEMENT

Jean Banas

*"AL Final"*

### RECOGNITION

Katty Smith

*"Cocoon of Sisterhood"*

### RECOGNITION

Andrina Carey

*"Summertime"*

### MERIT

Carson Kapp

*"The Wind Cries Mary"*

### HONORABLE MENTION

Marylee Voegelé

*"Tree Series"*

### HONORABLE MENTION

James Houpt

*"Circle Square"*

### JUDGE'S CHOICE

Lyn Strong

*"Chairs and Squares"*

### JUDGE'S CHOICE

Nancy Hagood

*"Turn Around"*

### JUDGE'S CHOICE

Earl Weydahl

*"Untitled II"*

## AIPP: Life of Art Series

Join us Wednesday, 3:30 P.M. at Edgewater Library, March 11

and Thursday, 3:30 P.M. at NSB Library Auditorium, March 12

The Life of Art presentations with discussion continues covering modern and post-modern developments. There's something for all levels because it comes out of you.

## Youth Artist Programs

Regina Wise

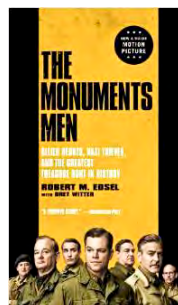
(more details next month...)

## 16th Annual High School Art Show, May 3, 2015

Monetary Awards will be given out on May 3rd at 2 p.m. during the Awards Ceremony at the reception in the NSB Library Auditorium. Donations are needed from the membership to support the awards program. Donations will be collected at the April 1st General Meeting or mail earlier to The Artists' Workshop with High School Art Show on the memo line. Thank you for your past support and we look forward to the membership funding these awards. We also need a few volunteers to help mount the artwork April 22nd and hang the show April 30th.

## 5th Annual "Art Is...Creation" Summer Art Camp at the Artists' Workshop, June 2015

It is time to sign up to Volunteer for Summer Art Camp. Teachers and helpers are needed. We need 20 Teachers to select and teach their specialty for just one (1) day, Adult Volunteers to help as many days as possible, Teen Volunteers for Kids Create will get community service hours. Lots of opportunities to get involved **teaching, volunteering, & sponsoring**. Your involvement is vital to the success that brings with it a life-changing experience. Contact Regina Wise at 386-847-1676 or email [wiseregina@gmail.com](mailto:wiseregina@gmail.com).



March-April  
book:  
*"The Monuments Men"*



## Librarian's Corner

Lucinda Sloan

### ART BOOK CLUB

Join us Tuesday, March 10th, 4-6 P.M.

The art book club begins:

*"The Monuments Men"* by Robert M. Edsel

Focusing on the eleven-month period between D-Day and V-E Day, this fascinating account follows six Monuments Men and their impossible mission to save the world's great art from the Nazis.

Our meetings are held at the Artists' Workshop Studios. Bring drink and goodies to share. All members are welcome and can join us at any point.



## From the President

Joe Anglin

Dear Members,

The Artists' Workshop has a rich history from its early beginning in 1958 when a few artists gathered in NSB over lunch and began what we know it to be today. AWI has been, throughout, an all volunteer organization. Volunteers serve on the Board as member elected officers (6) and as chairs for the following committees:

- Art Classes
- Chamber of Commerce
- Art in Public Places
- Cultural Alliance of Volusia Co.
- Members Directory
- Canal Street Gallery
- Historian
- Library
- High School Show
- Maintenance
- Members' Show
- Newsletter
- Monthly Meeting Programs
- Publicity/Marketing
- Registrar for Members
- Social Events
- Full Day Workshops

We are now in the process of nominating a slate of officers for 2015-16 for 1-2 year terms as well as needing to fill a number of the above chair positions, which are appointed by the President. Each year, begins on May 1 and runs to April 30. As my term as President comes to a close, 2 years, this April, I am indebted to the other AWI officers who have, along with the committee chairs made my tenure a pleasant and successful experience for myself and hopefully for our membership and community. As immediate past President, I will continue to serve on the Board for one year to assist the newly elected officers and new committee chairs.

Please consider, seriously, offering your name to be considered as either an officer or as a committee chair by contacting me or Maryann Oliver. Hope to see your work in the Members' Show coming up in March.



*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 upcoming Members' Show events! Be sure to keep us informed of any member awards or special accomplishments. The cutoff date for inputs for the March newsletter will be Wednesday, **March 11th**.

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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# Artists' Workshop 2015 Winter-Spring Activity Calendar

February 2015						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 "IMAGES Festival" (NSB)	2	3	4 Member Meeting 6:30 PM (Studios)	5	6 Artwork Drop off & Pickup 9 - 11 AM (Gallery)	7 1st Sat. Art Stroll 4 - 7 PM (Gallery)
8	9	10 Book Club 4 - 6 PM (Studios)	11 Life of Art 3:30-5:30 PM (Edgewater Library)	12 Life of Art 3:30-5:30 PM (NSB Library)	13 Stacy Barter Workshop (Studios)	14
15 Stacy Barter Workshop	16 President's Day	17	18	19	20	21
22 Jane Slivka Demo 2 PM (Studios)	23	24	25	26	27	28

March 2015						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Members' Show Artwork Drop off (Studios)	2 "Black & White and Art All Over" Exhibit (Gallery)	3	4	5	6 Artwork Drop off & Pickup (Gallery) 9 - 11 AM	7 Members' Show Awards Luncheon 11:30 AM (Sugar Mill)
8	9	10 Book Club 4 - 6 PM (Studios)	11 Life of Art 3:30-5:30 PM (Edgewater Library)	12 Life of Art 3:30-5:30 PM (NSB Library)	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20 Members' Show Reception 6 - 8 PM (Studios)	21
22	23	24	25	26	27 Deborah LaFogg Workshop (Studios)	28
29 Deborah LaFogg Workshop	30	31	1	2	3 Artwork Drop off & Pickup 9 - 11 AM (Gallery)	4 1st Sat. Art Stroll 4 - 7 PM (Gallery)

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- ★ Show entry date
- ▲ Show pickup date
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- Meeting / Special Event
- Show / Exhibit
- Workshop



# Artists' Workshop 2015 Spring Activity Calendar

April 2015						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	Member Meeting 6:30 PM (Studios)	2	Artwork Drop off & Pickup 9 - 11 AM (Gallery)	1st Sat. Art Stroll 4 - 7 PM (Gallery)
		"Open Sesame"	Exhibit (Gallery)			
5	6	7	Life of Art 3:30-5:30 PM (Edgewater Library)	8	Life of Art 3:30-5:30 PM (NSB Library)	11
Easter			"Earthshine & Human Image" Exhibit (Gallery)			Christine Pelouquin Workshop (Studios)
12	13	Book Club 4 - 6 PM (Studios)	14	15	16	17
Christine Pelouquin Workshop (Studios)			"Earthshine & Human Image" Exhibit (Gallery)			
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
			"Earthshine & Human Image" Exhibit (Gallery)			
26	27	Spring Luncheon 11:30 AM (Sugar Mill)	28	29	30	1st Sat. Art Stroll 4 - 7 PM (Gallery)
			"Earthshine & Human Image" Exhibit (Gallery)		Artwork Drop off & Pickup 9 - 11 AM (Gallery)	2

May 2015						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	30	Artwork Drop off & Pickup 9 - 11 AM (Gallery)	1st Sat. Art Stroll 4 - 7 PM (Gallery)
High School Awards / Reception 2 PM (NSB Library)	4	5	6	7	8	9
		"Accent on the 3D" Exhibit (Gallery)				
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		"Accent on the 3D" Exhibit (Gallery)				
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
		"Accent on the 3D" Exhibit (Gallery)				
24	25	26	27	28	Artwork Drop off & Pickup 9 - 11 AM (Gallery)	30
	Memorial Day					
31		"Accent on the 3D" Exhibit (Gallery)				

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