



Artists' Workshop Newsletter

September 2015

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Next Member Meeting: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 2015

Social Time: 6:30 P.M.

Meeting: 7:00 P.M.

540 Barracuda Blvd.
New Smyrna Beach, FL



OCTOBER DEMO: 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."

ESTABLISHED 1958

October Meeting Demo: Scott Hiestand

Valeh Levy

Our demonstrator for the October 7th Member Meeting will be Scott Hiestand. Scott will be showing us his unique approach to painting impressionistic landscapes with a realistic touch, in preparation for his upcoming Workshop October 15, 16, & 17 (see sign up details below).

Scott, a resident of Ormond Beach, Florida, is an avid *plein air* painter and creator of various bird and fish sculptures made from wire and various finishes. Upon obtaining his art degree in Philadelphia, Scott was recruited by Hallmark Cards. He later worked for some 35 years as a graphic artist for various newspapers, including 15 years at the St. Petersburg Times, where he illustrated the outdoors pages.

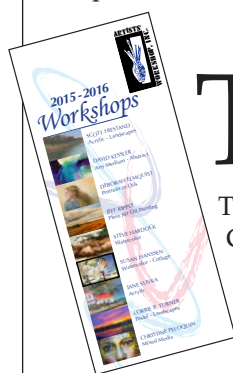
Scott's work has been recognized throughout the United States. He is a State of Indiana upland game bird stamp contest winner; was selected for the Paint America National Gallery Tour; and designed the Florida Bass Fish automobile license plate. Scott was recently an over-all winner for the Plein Air Magazine Salon Contest. Scott's works are in many private and corporate collections.

Upcoming Workshops

Marylee Voegelé

Thanks to all who have been signing up for our workshops! I want to keep our treasurer busy depositing checks!

The new workshop brochure is available in our Studios and Gallery, and can also be downloaded from our website at www.artistsworkshopinc.com. Our first workshop of the season with Scott Hiestand will be on Oct. 15, 16, & 17. I encourage those of you who are interested to send your checks along with the completed workshop form to me as soon as possible. We will also need one monitor for each of the 3 days of the workshop. Please contact me if interested at 386-957-4331.



Scott Hiestand:

"Impressionistic Landscapes with a Realistic Touch"

This workshop will offer a unique approach to painting impressionistic landscapes with a realistic touch, using the versatile medium of acrylic. Students will explore various painting techniques and the importance of washes in achieving light, shadow, and mood.

Students will work on Masonite or MDF (medium density board) that they have prepared prior to the workshop. Website: scotthiestand.com

Dates: Thursday, October 15 thru Saturday, October 17, 2015

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



"White Trees" (acrylic)

WORKSHOP SCHEDULE 2015-2016



SCOTT HIESTAND
"Impressionistic
Landscapes with a
Realistic Touch"
Oct. 15-17, 2015



DAVID KESSLER
"Bigger, Faster,
Fresher, Looser"
Nov. 4-6, 2015



DEBORAH ELMQUIST
"Painting the Portrait
with the Zorn Palette"
Dec. 11-13, 2015



JEFF RIPPLE
"Discovering the
Painted Landscape
Sketch"
Jan. 9-11, 2016



STEVE HARDOCK
"Free Flowing Realism
in Watercolors"
Jan. 16-18, 2016



SUSAN HANSSEN
"Creating the
Unexpected"
Feb. 12-14, 2016



JANE SLIVKA
"The Freedom of
Acrylics"
Feb. 26-28, 2016

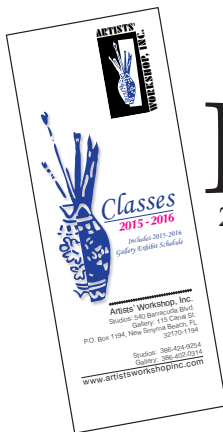


LORRIE B. TURNER
"Landscapes in
Pastel"
Apr. 8-10, 2016



**CHRISTINE
PELOQUIN**
"Painting & Drawing with
Mixed Media Collage"
Apr 16-17, 2016

Artists' Workshop members receive a discounted rate for workshops. Pick up a new Workshop brochure at the AWI Studios or Gallery, or download it from our website. For more details and sign-up information, contact Marylee Voegelé, 386-957-4331, or email: aadus@aol.com.



Classes Update

Mary Gerlach, Liv Witherow, & Cheryl Faber

If you haven't already done so, please pickup a copy of the new classes brochure for our 2015-2016 season. We have updated the format to make it easier to read and understand. We are offering many classes and have expanded to evenings. The classes brochure is available in our Studios and Gallery, or it can be downloaded from our website at www.artistsworkshopinc.com.

Anyone interested in signing up for a class should contact the teacher via email or phone. Clipboards for class sign ups are also available at the Studios. If any members have requests for teachers and/or new classes, please forward that information to the Classes Committee.

ARTISTS' WORKSHOP UPCOMING EVENTS

MARINE DISCOVERY CENTER OPEN HOUSE

- Saturday, October 10th, 10 AM - 1 PM

The Artists' Workshop Studios will be open during the MDC Open House event. At our "Meet the Artist" activity, we want to have several artists working at their easels throughout the studio or outside, so that visitors can see the wonderful things that go on at The Artists' Workshop. (Free Open Studio session for members.) You can also have your work for sale if you like. Please contact Liz Clayton by the end of September if you want to be included in this event, 386-416-9456, or email: gramclayton@gmail.com.

HALIFAX ART FESTIVAL

- Saturday, November 7th, 9 AM - 5 PM
- Sunday, November 8th, 10 AM - 4 PM
- Historic Downtown Riverfront Park
Beach St., Daytona Beach

The Artists' Workshop will be participating for the first time in the Halifax Art Festival. We will have a tent in the show. Any artist that wants to hang a painting for sale is welcome to be in the tent. We are asking \$15 from each artist to help pay for the entry fee. We will also have an information table and need volunteers to give out information. Please contact Liz Clayton by the end of September if you want to be included in this event, 386-416-9456, or email: gramclayton@gmail.com.

From the Gallery

Constanz Elder, Susan Stoddart, Michael Ennis

***NOTICE:** It has been decided that all artwork in the Gallery must be for sale. Please keep this in mind when entering an exhibit.

The gallery exhibit for October "OPEN SEASON" is your choice of subject. No theme. Deliver art Friday, October 2, 9 – 11 a.m.

Contact a Gallery Chair to enter before Oct. 2:

Constanz Elder, 386-426-2079, email: constanzelder@gmail.com

Susan Stoddart, 386-423-1468, email: susanstoddart@earthlink.net

Keep in mind our special exhibit, "THE DARK SIDES" for November. The Membership Directory, classes brochure, and last month's Newsletter tell what the show is about. Call a Gallery Chair if you have any questions. Be preparing to enter something extraordinary in your own personal style.

SHOWING NOW in the Gallery through October 1 is our Instructors' Exhibit, along with artworks by our Members. It's an excellent show and was enjoyed by many at the Reception. Gallery is open 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Mondays thru Fridays. Come visit and bring friends. Introduce them to our Gallery and the Artists' Workshop opportunities.

September 5 - October 1: "OUR ART INSTRUCTORS"

(Artists' Workshop Gallery on Canal St.)

Pick Up Date: Friday, October 2nd, 9:00 -11:00 A.M.

OCTOBER: "OPEN SEASON"

(Artists' Workshop Gallery on Canal St.)

Subject is your choice. Please contact a Gallery Chair to enter this exhibit with size of work, PRIOR to day of delivery.

Deliver Art:

Friday, October 2nd, 9:00 -11:00 A.M.

Opening Reception:

Saturday October 3rd, 4 - 7:00 P.M.

Closed:

October 12th (Columbus Day)

Pick Up Date:

Friday, October 30th, 9:00 -11:00 A.M.

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



Christophe Cardot's "Lotus In Glories" (oil, top left), Frank Ferrante's "Boats In Bay" (oil, top center), Marta Crawford's "The Red Shawl" (oil, top right), and Carolyn Land's "Spruce Creek" (pastel, lower right) are some of the many artworks on display this month at the "Our Art Instructors - Your Art Experience" Exhibit at the Gallery.

2015 - 2016 AWI Gallery Show Dates At a Glance

September 5 - October 1

Pickup Oct. 2

"OUR ART INSTRUCTORS"

(Canal St. Gallery)

October 3 - 29

Deliver Art Oct. 2

"OPEN SEASON"

(Canal St. Gallery)

November 2 - 25

"THE DARK SIDES"

(Canal St. Gallery)

December 1 - 23

"EXHIBIT OF SMALL ART"

(Canal St. Gallery)

Judged Show

January 5 - February 4

"ROUTE 44 -

SAMSULA TO THE SEA"

(Canal St. Gallery)

February 6 - March 3

"MIXING UP MEDIA ...OLE!"

(Canal St. Gallery)

March 4 - 18

MEMBERS' SHOW

(Barracuda Blvd.)

Judged Show

March 5 - 31

"ART FOR THE EQUINOX"

(Canal St. Gallery)

April 2 - May 5

**"PETALS, PORTALS &
PASSAGES"**

(Canal St. Gallery)

May 7 - June 2

"ART ARRAY"

(Canal St. Gallery)

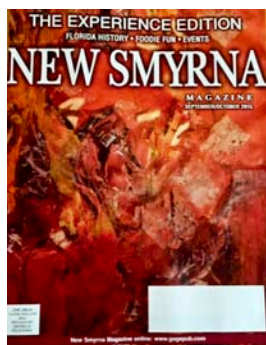
June 4 - 23

ARTIST'S SELECT

(Canal St. Gallery)

MEMBER NEWS:

"New Smyrna Magazine" Cover Art



Congratulations to Artists' Workshop Member Cheri Erdman. Three pieces of her art are being featured on the covers of the Sept/October 2015 issues of the New Smyrna, Deland and Ormond Magazines published by Gage Publishing.

"100% Pure Florida"

Cheri Erdman was also juried into the 100% Pure Florida exhibition at the Fifth Avenue Gallery in Melbourne. The show runs thru September 26.

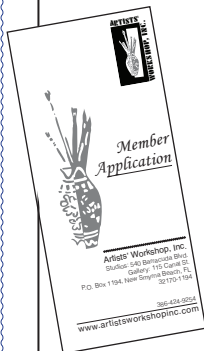
"Florida Watercolor Society Annual Exhibition"

Congratulations to Artists' Workshop member Laura Robinson who will be receiving her Signature status from Florida Watercolor Society this month.

Laura as well as Lisa Blais and Sue Reynolds will be in the Florida Watercolor Society annual exhibition from Oct. 2 – Nov 1, 2015 at the Leepa Rattner Museum of Art in Tarpon Springs. The 3 paintings have also all been selected for the Florida Watercolor Society traveling show and will go to the Elliott Museum in Stuart, Florida from November 13, 2015 – Jan 21, 2016 and then to the Coral Gables Museum in Coral Gables, FL from February 4 – March 13, 2016.

Welcome New Members

Pauli Uricchio



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?

*Contact
Pauli Uricchio at
407-716-0322, or
email: saleen2005@me.com.*

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Kathy Hanley
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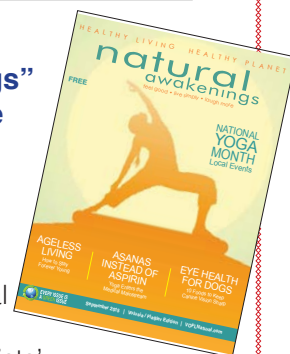
Lois Reed
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New Smyrna Beach, FL 32169
386-402-4196 (home)
386-690-1747 (cell)
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Maryann Thorhallsson
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386-416-8325 (cell)
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AWI IN THE NEWS

"Natural Awakenings" Magazine

The Artists' Workshop was featured in the September issue of Natural Awakenings magazine. Artists' Workshop member Heather Pastor wrote the article for the Community Spotlight on Art section. You can read the article at www.VOFLNatural.com; just click on the current issue of the magazine and go to page 14.



AWI Year in Review Slideshow



If you didn't get a chance to see the Artists' Workshop Year in Review 2014-2015 slideshow during the September member meeting, you can see it on our website homepage at www.artistsworkshopinc.com. You can also see the slideshow featured on the AWI Gallery's digital photo frame.

IMPORTANT: New Gate/Lock for MDC/AWI Site Security!!

Attention AWI teachers, open studio monitors, Board members, or others responsible for building security before 9AM or after 5PM

Due to the recent vandalism of the 5 acre Marsh area on our site, our Landlord, Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, MDC, and AWI are taking steps to secure the site after normal day hours of 9-5 for all days of the week. Before 9AM and after 5PM, a new site gate, a wire and post design with a combination lock, will be located and locked just past the MDC parking lot. This will prevent traffic from entering the second smaller parking lot, access to the MDC sheds, the AWI grassed parking area, and other areas of the greater site.

So, those of us who need to access the studios before 9AM or access and leave the studios after 5PM will need to unlock the combination lock and gate. If it is a night class or an AWI meeting after 5, the teacher or the meeting folks can unlock the gate prior to the class or meeting for student/ member access to the AWI grassed area and lock the gate at the end of the class or meeting after the cars are all out. This will just be an added step to night use folks setting the building security alarm upon leaving which we now do.

You do have the option of parking in the MDC paved parking lot after 5PM and walking around the building, if you don't want to deal with the gate. This is unfortunate, but is necessary for the security of our site area. Questions? Contact Joe Anglin at 386-409-9814, or email Janglin43@gmail.com.



Exhibits currently on display at the Edgewater Library:

(top to bottom)
 "Chesapeake Boat" by Bob Dornberg,
 "Watchful Eye" by Barbara Ann Parnell, and
 "Shrimping" by Alicia Oestman

Community Exhibits

Ruby Jones

We welcome Ruby Jones as the new Chair of our Community Exhibits Committee, and thank outgoing Chair Jane Owen for her many years of service to the program.

Many thanks to all who responded to our call to show and share their art in public places. Cheryl Faber has been very busy organizing and getting ready to hang the first show of the season at Bert Fish Hospital. The *plein air* painting group with the direction of Maggie Arndt has their beautiful and lively artwork currently displayed in the Social Room at the United Church of Christ. Thanks to Pat Muscarella, the Edgewater Library halls are beaming with the beach scenes of artists Alicia Oestman, Barbara Ann Parnell, and Bob Dornberg.

If you would like to participate in the next cycle (December), please contact the following committee members:

Community Exhibits Committee Team Members

- **Maggie Arndt (United Church of Christ):**
386-957-4570, email magsart4@gmail.com
- **Cheryl Faber (Bert Fish Hospital):**
386-689-0585, email cherylfaber@gmail.com
- **Pat Muscarella (Edgewater Library):**
386-402-0113, email pmuscarella70@gmail.com
- **Ruby Jones (New Smyrna Beach Library):**
386-427-9222, email rubbygeerjones@yahoo.com

Youth Artist Programs

Regina Wise

Librarian's Corner



Lucinda Sloan

ART BOOK CLUB NEXT MEETING:

Tuesday, October 13th, 4 - 6 P.M.

Artists' Workshop Library

Join us for food, fun, and wonderful conversation.

We will continue our discussion of:

"The Butterfly & the Violin"

by Kristy Cambron



"A mysterious painting breathes hope and beauty into the darkest corners of Auschwitz--and the loneliest hearts of Manhattan."

Reminder: No book club meeting in **November & December.**

"Art Is...Creation" After School Art Program

- **Elementary After School Art Program (A.S.A.P.)** will be on Thursdays, from 4:30 to 6:30 PM, 1st to 5th Grades
- **Teen A.S.A.P.** will be on Fridays, from 4:30 to 6:30PM, 6th to 12th Grades



Shanna Marbling
Paper for a Book
Design



Ava designing her
Kimono

Volunteer Teachers and Art Professionals are needed to teach at a 2-hour session on Thursdays or Fridays, 4:30 to 6:30 PM in the Fall & Spring Semesters for the After School Art Programs - **ONLY 2 Hours; One Time!!! FUN, FUN, FUN !!!!!**

Contact Regina for information at 386-847-1676, email wiseregina@gmail.com. Visit the Art Is...Creation website at: www.artiscreation.org.



From the President

Liz Clayton

Many thanks to all who helped to kickoff another wonderful Artists' Workshop season!

(clockwise from top left)

- 1st Vice President Valeh Levy welcomes a standing room only crowd of members at the September member meeting.
- 2nd Vice President Pauli Uricchio (next to a Scott Hiestand painting) welcomes new members and promotes the first workshop of the season.
- Gallery Chair Constanz Elder welcomes an opening reception crowd at the 1st Saturday Canal St. Gallery Walk.
- Drawing teacher Betty Parker talks with a prospective student at the "Meet the Teachers" portion of the September member meeting.



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

From the Editor:

Please note: The cutoff date for inputs for the next (October) newsletter will be a few days earlier than normal - no later than Saturday, **October 10th**.

Current and past newsletters are always posted on our website:
www.artistsworkshopinc.com/newsletters.html

Mary "P-H"

Mary C. Peschel-Herlehy

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Artists' Workshop 2015 Fall Activity Calendar

September 2015						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	1 Member Meeting 6:30 PM (Studios)	2	3	4 Artwork Delivery 9 - 11 AM (Gallery)	5 1st Sat. Reception 4 - 7 PM (Gallery)
6	7 Labor Day	8 Book Club 4 - 6 PM (Cindy's Home)	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	1	2	3

October 2015						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28	29	30	1	2 Artwork Delivery & Pickup 9 - 11 AM (Gallery)	3 1st Sat. Reception 4 - 7 PM (Gallery)
4	5	6	7 Member Meeting 6:30 PM (Studios)	8	9	10 MDC Open House 10AM - 1PM (Studios)
11	12 Columbus Day	13 Book Club 4 - 6 PM (Studios)	14	15	16	17
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- Social / Luncheon
- Meeting / Special Event
- Show / Exhibit
- Workshop



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November 2015						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4 Member Meeting 6:30 PM (Studios)	5	6	7 1st Sat. Reception 4 - 7 PM (Gallery)
			David Kessler Workshop (Studios)		Halifax Art Fest.	
8	9	10	11 Veterans Day	12	13	14
Halifax Art Fest.			"The Dark Sides" Exhibit (Gallery)			
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
			"The Dark Sides" Exhibit (Gallery)			
22	23	24	25	26 Thanksgiving	27	28
			"The Dark Sides" Exhibit (Gallery)			
29	30 Artwork Delivery & Pickup 9 -11 AM (Gallery)	1	2	3	4	5
		AWI Judged Exhibit (Gallery)				

December 2015						
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29	30 Artwork Delivery & Pickup 9 - 11 AM (Gallery)  	1	2	3	4	5 1st Sat. Reception 4 - 7 PM (Gallery) 
		AWI Judged Exhibit (Gallery) 				
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Deborah Elmquist Workshop (Studios) 				
		AWI Judged Exhibit (Gallery) 				
13	14	15 Holiday Luncheon 11:30 AM (Sugar Mill) 	16	17	18	19
		AWI Judged Exhibit (Gallery) 				
20	21	22	23	24	25 Christmas	26
						
		AWI Judged Exhibit (Gallery)				
27	28	29	30	31	1 New Year's Day	2 1st Sat. Reception 4 - 7 PM (Gallery) 

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