

# Artists' Workshop Newsletter

December 2015

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## **Next Member Meeting:** Wednesday, Jan. 6, 2016

Social Time: 6:30 P.M. Meeting: 7:00 P.M. 540 Barracuda Blvd. New Smyrna Beach, FL



**January Meeting Demo:** Plein Air Landscape Artist **Jeff Ripple** 

"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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# "Judged Exhibit of Small Works" Awards

Constanz Elder



ongratulations to the winners of the "AWI Judged Exhibit of Small Works"! The holiday luncheon on December 15th served as a wonderful venue for the presentation of awards and the insightful commentary by our judge, Pamela Coffman. First Place: Laura Robinson



Second Place: Lola Lawrence Third Place: Liv Witherow

**Honorable Mentions:** 

Ralph Mantia, Sr. Deborah Mongato Kathy O'Meara Yolonda Pelz Lucia Balinbin

Award Winners: (top to bottom) Laura Robinson, "Dinghies" (acrylic), Lola Lawrence, "Driftwood Beach" (photography). Liv Witherow, "You Dirty Rat" (watercolor).



Kudos go out to all the members who entered the show, making a total of 84 great artworks in our little Gallery. Come see the show now through December 23. (The Chamber building is closed through the holidays.) NOTE: This show is still up for the January 2nd Saturday Reception, at which time we will give out the "People's Choice Award" to one artwork. (more on page 3...)

# January Meeting: Jeff Ripple

The Painted Landscape Sketch

alling all Plein Air artists: Spaces are still available for Jeff Ripple's workshop on January 9, 10, 11, 2016. Jeff will be presenting a program for our January 6th member meeting. (See more on page 2.)

## **AWI Holiday Schedule**

Artists' Workshop Gallery Open thru Dec. 23

(Closed Dec 24 - Jan 1) Open Jan. 2, 2016, 4-7 P.M.

## **Artists' Workshop Studios:**

Please check with your instructors and/or Open Studio monitors regarding their holiday schedules and plan accordingly.

# **Classes Update**

Mary Gerlach, Liv Witherow, & Cheryl Faber

rtists' Workshop is partnering with the New Smyrna Beach Parks and Recreation Department to provide FREE classes to residents of Volusia County as part of a "How TO....." program. Classes range from very functional subjects such as how to plant a "Florida Friendly Garden" and how to "Play PickleBall", to several art classes provided by teachers from the Artists' Workshop. These classes are held on Tuesday mornings from 9:00am until 10:30 am at the Babe James Center in New Smyrna

Beach. The art class dates and subjects are as follows: Jan. 26, 2016, Learning to Draw for Beginners with Heather Pastor; Feb. 23, 2016, Fun with Acrylic Paint with Heather Pastor; March 8, 2016, How to Mix Colors with Christophe Cardot; April 12, 2016; Learning to Draw for Beginners with Regina Wise; and May 24,2016, Exploring Watercolors, (Instructor as yet to be named). This will be a great opportunity for anyone who has wanted to try their hand at art to see if it is for them. Please pass this information on to your "wannabe" artist friends and encourage them to attend. Further information can be obtained by calling the Parks and Recreation Department at 386-424-2175.

## **REMAINING 2016 WORKSHOP SCHEDULE**



**JEFF RIPPLE** "Discovering the Painted Landscape Sketch"

Jan. 9-11, 2016



STEVE HARDOCK

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**SUSAN HANSSEN** 

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



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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 2015-16 Workshop brochure at the AWI Studios or Gallery, or download it from our website. For more details and sign-up information, contact Marylee Voegele, 386-957-4331, or email: aadus@aol.com.

Also, new class sessions are beginning at the AWI Studios in 2016 for Printmaking, Pastel, Drawing, and Photography, Photoshop, & Web Design. (See Classes Update details continued on page 5...)



# **Workshop Update**

Marylee Voegele

e sure to come and see Jeff Ripple's demo/program at the January 6th Members' Meeting in preparation for his upcoming workshop on January 9, 10, 11, 2016.

EXCITING NEWS: On Saturday January 16th., at 2 P.M., Susan Hanssen will be coming to the Artists' Workshop Studios from Ft. Lauderdale to conduct her presentation called "From Wild to Wonderful". I hope our membership will not miss out on this opportunity to see why Susan was awarded the top Gold Award in Florida Watercolor Society. Susan's workshop, "Creating the Unexpected," is February 12, 13, 14, 2016.

(Note: Steve Hardock's workshop is being rescheduled for Fall of 2016 or early 2017.)

**OPENINGS STILL AVAILABLE** FREE DEMO: Wed., Jan. 6 at 7 P.M.

## Jeff Ripple:

"Discovering the Painted Landscape Sketch"

Learn to create plein air oil paintings of essential elements of light, atmosphere and forms in the landscape as reference for studio work.

Website: jeffrippleart.com

Dates: Saturday, January 9 thru Monday, January 11, 2016 Fees: AWI Members: \$225; non-members: \$255



## FREE PRESENTATION: Sat., Jan. 16, at 2 P.M.

Susan Hanssen: "Creating the Unexpected"

Building an imaginative collage is the first part of an

adventure that result in exciting, unexpected water media paintings.

Website: www.susanhanssen.com

Dates: Friday, February 12 thru Sunday, February 14, 2015

Fees: AWI Members: \$250; non-members: \$280



**OPENINGS STILL AVAILABLE** 

# From the Gallery

Constanz Elder, Susan Stoddart, Michael Ennis

"ROUTE 44 - SAMSULA TO THE SEA" is our January exhibit, which will be open the weekend of IMAGES. Opens Tuesday, January 5 through February 4. Closed Jan. 18. (Disregard the February 12 Reception Date date in Membership Directory.) To enter, contact a Gallery Chair prior to delivery date: Constanz Elder, 386-426-2079, email: constanzelder@gmail.com Susan Stoddart, 386-423-1468, email: susanstoddart@earthlink.net

Deliver Art on Monday, January 4th, 9 – 11 a.m. This show covers all of New Smyrna Beach, with rural areas out by Samsula all the way to sea subjects. Remember: East and West Canal Street are Rt. 44 Business. They count. You can include animals, people, birds, trees, flowers, buildings, street scenes, from theme areas. Maybe get abstract or inventive. (Did you know there's a love tree in the Chamber parking lot!) Let's make this another great show; it will be up for IMAGES.

## Dec. 1 - Jan. 2: "JUDGED EXHIBIT OF SMALL ART"

(Artists' Workshop Gallery on Canal St.)

December 24 - January 1 (Holidays) Closed: Saturday, January 2nd, 4 - 7:00 P.M. Reception: Monday, January 4th, 9:00 -11:00 A.M. Pick Up Date:

## January 2016 "ROUTE 44 - SAMSULA TO THE SEA"

Reminder: Gallery entry is free for members. (Just contact Gallery Chair prior to entry date.) Subject is anything in NSB local area and anything seaside, including abstractions. Please contact a Gallery Chair to enter PRIOR to day of delivery.

Deliver Art: Monday, January 4th, 9:00 -11:00 A.M. Closed: January 18th (Martin Luther King Jr. Day)

Open For IMAGES: Tuesday, January 29 -31

Pick Up Date: Friday, February 5th, 9:00 -11:00 A.M.









## AWI JUDGED EXHIBIT OF SMALL ART - HONORALBLE MENTION AWARDS: (clockwise from top left) Ralph Mantia Sr., "The Manifestation" (clay); Deborah Mongato, "Color Splash" (acrylic); Yolonda Pelz, "Warrior Women" (glazed clay & stain), Lucia Balinbin "Elfie" (oil), and Kathy O'Meara "Down the Rabbit Hole" (mixed media).

## Remaining 2015 - 2016 **AWI Gallery Show Dates** At a Glance

December 1 - 23 & Jan. 2 "EXHIBIT OF SMALL ART"

Pickup Art Jan. 4

(Canal St. Gallery) Judged Show

January 5 - February 4 Deliver Art Jan. 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)

The 2016 Members' Show **Prospectus** will be mailed to eligible members in January.



Enter: Monday, February. 29 Max size: 42" X 42"

## **MEMBER AWARDS:**

## "Beaux Arts 54"

Beaux Arts of Central Florida Annual Members Exhibition

## **SECOND PLACE**

Carolyn Land "Meditation"

## THIRD PLACE

Betty Morris Parker "Rejoice"

## **ACHIEVEMENT**

Katty Smith "The Kiss"

## **ACHIEVEMENT**

Kathy O'Meara "Blue Feathers"

## **MERIT**

Laura Robinson "Independence"

## **MEMBER SHOW:**

"The Land Beneath the Stars" at THE CASEMENTS

Ormond Beach, FL

AWI Member and instructor **Carolyn Land** will have a show at the Casements in January.

Opening Reception:
January 8, 2016 5:00 – 8:00 P.M.
during the Starry, Starry Night
Gallery to Gallery Walk.
All are invited to attend.

# Jan/Feb AWI Magazine Ad

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# "New Smyrna" Magazine

Be on the lookout for the Jan./ Feb. 2016 issue of the New Smyrna Magazine and see our latest Artists' Workshop ad, where we showcase artwork from our members. Many thanks to Carson Kapp, Gail Waters, Mary Peschel-Herlehy, Bob Grayson, Don Johnson, and Margaret Anglin who provided digital copies of their works to make this possible. Also, a big "Thank You" goes out to Radiology Associates Imaging for their continued sponsorship!



# Member Application

## 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: <a href="mailto:saleen2005@me.com">saleen2005@me.com</a>.

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## Studio C Gallery Artwork

## Deliver/Pickup: January 26th, 2016 1:00 - 3:00 PM

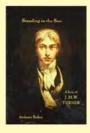
The response to work hanging in Studio C this month has been very favorable. Thanks to all for participating in this new venue. Our next changeover will be on January 26, 2016, from 1 - 3 PM. Please bring in new work and pick up what you have hanging. Let me remind you to have your work properly wired for hanging. Put your name & phone # on the back along with the name of your work, and price for sale, or a \*NFS\*.

Any questions, please call Cindy Kohring at 386-428-1902.

## Librarian's Corner



Lucinda Sloan



Next book club meeting (Studios): **Tues., January 12th, 4 - 6 P.M.** 

"Standing in the Sun" by Anthony Bailey (A life of English Romanticist landscape painter J.M.W. Turner.)

Remember you have some choices: the book originally selected; "The Power of Art" book, which has a section on Turner and which I hope we can utilize in the future; or watch the broadcast "The Power of Art" on YouTube (the section on Turner). We will start with the video on the woman pianist from the Holocaust since we didn't get to last time, look at art by Turner and then talk about what we have read. I can't wait to see everyone and hope you all had a wonderful Christmas and New Year's.

# (Classes Update: cont... from p. 2 DAYTIME CLASS UPDATES:

## **Printmaking Short Course**

Wednesdays 1:00 - 4;00 pm (4-week class)
Course will Start January 13, 2016 (January 13, 20, 27, and Feb. 3) in Studio D. Limited to 6 people. Course will introduce students to relief printing, collagraph printing, and the use of our printing press. Cost of the class is \$100 plus supplies. Contact Carolyn Land at 386-290-5128 or carolynaland@gmail.com.

### **Pastel Class:**

Mondays 1:00 pm -4:00 pm (ongoing class)

A new session of Pastel Class will start Monday January 11, 2016 at 1:00 PM, in Studio A. Please email carolynaland@gmail.com if you are interested. Lessons will be directed to drawing objects and backgrounds, although students are free to work on whatever they choose.

## Fundamentals of Drawing:

Thursdays 1:00 pm -4:00 pm (ongoing class)

A new 6-week session will start Thursday, January 7, 2016 at 1:00 PM. Please contact Betty Parker at <a href="mailto:BPMART1@aol.com">BPMART1@aol.com</a> or 386-255-9240 if you are interested.

## Drawing for All:

Tuesdays 1:00 pm -4:00 pm (ongoing class)

A new 6-week session will start Tuesday, January 12, 2016 at 1:00 PM. Please contact Betty Parker at 386-255-9240 or BPMART1@aol.com if you are interested.

## Photography / Photoshop / Web Design:

Tuesdays 1:00 - 4;00 pm (4-week class)

Winter tech classes will be starting soon. February 2-23, 2016. \$100. Students can choose to study just one or more topics; it's up to them. Contact Lisa Brooks at email: <a href="mailto:lisabrux@gmail.com">lisabrux@gmail.com</a> to register.

Regina
Wise and
A.S.A.P.
student
Carryn
(5th Grade
Burns
Sci-Tech
school)
show one
of the prints
created
in the
printmaking
class.



# **Community Exhibits**

Ruby Jones

Happy Holidays from all the committee members on the Community Exhibits! Pictured at left are two of our volunteers, Ruby Jones and Pat Muscarella. When visiting the New Smyrna Beach Library, please stop by the reading area and check out the amazing and interesting sculptures created by George

Brooks. Shown below is one of the varieties of bird sculptures you will see there.

Remember, January is our next artwork installation changeover at the various local venues, so please call one of the following

members if you would like to participate.

## Committee Members with Venues & Contact Info:

- Cheryl Faber (Bert Fish Hospital): 386-689-0585, email <a href="mailto:cherylfaber@gmail.com">cherylfaber@gmail.com</a>
- Maggie Arndt (United Church of Christ): 386-957-4570, email magsart4@gmail.com
- Pat Muscarella (Edgewater Library): 386-402-0113, email pmuscarella70@gmail.com
- Ruby Jones (NSB Library and NSB City Hall): 386-427-9222, email rubygeerjones@yahoo.com



# **Youth Artist Programs**

## "Art Is...Creation" Teens Paint Mural

Recently, Art Is... Creation Teen Artists Maddye Reaster 11th grade and Samantha Saglibene 10th grade (far right) worked on painting a mural (right) designed by Regina Wise for



the Humane Society on Glencoe Road in New Smyrna Beach, FL.

Regina Wise

# A.S.A.P. Printmaking Class

In November the A.S.A.P. (After School Art Program) focused on Monoprints, Incised Plate Prints, Collagraph Prints and Gelatin Prints. In December we continued printmaking and created "Explosion Books" from our prints. Volunteer Teachers are Paula Markham, Beckie Reaster, Victor Brisebois and Sandy Nault and Parent Volunteer Capprice Petrie. This January focus will be on the Fine Art of Drawing from the Masters, Cultural Figure Drawing, Nature Studies and "Mermaid Magic" with Dana Hine Marker instructing.

Register Now: A.S.A.P. Spring Semester will begin January 7th through May 26th every Thursday (21 sessions) from 4:30 to 6:30. Register before January 7th for the Semester rate at \$240 = \$5.70 per hour, Monthly at \$60, Weekly at \$20. Scholarship for those who qualify. Sponsors, Teachers, and Volunteers needed. Guaranteed FUN!!!!!

Become a Sponsor, Teacher, or Volunteer. Contact Regina Wise at 386-847-1676, or email <a href="mailto:wiseregina@gmail.com">wiseregina@gmail.com</a>. Visit the Art Is...Creation website at <a href="https://www.artiscreation.org">www.artiscreation.org</a>.

Liz Clayton congratulates Carole Ryan (left), the lucky raffle winner of the Scott Hiestand landscape painting.



Judge Pamela Coffman (left) and Gallery Chair Constanz Elder (right) present the 3rd Place "Judged Exhibit of Small Art" Award to Liv Witherow.

# From the President

Liz Clayton

want to wish everyone a happy holiday with safe travels. After a short break, the new year has more things to offer...new classes, wonderful workshops, and another opportunity to promote The Artists' Workshop. We will be in the Home Show on Jan. 16. Businesses will set up tents along Canal Street to advertise themselves. Just as we did at the Halifax Art Festival, we will display some art work in our tent, talk to people about our organization and hand out brochures. I have volunteers that will set up and take down the tent but need people to sit for an hour or two during the day. Please let me know if you are willing to be a spokesperson for The Artists' Workshop.



(Left to Right) New Smyrna Beach Mayor Jim Hathaway, Robert Wince, and Liz Clayton enjoy the festivities at the Holiday Luncheon.







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

## From the Editor:

Happy Holidays, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Please note: The cutoff date for inputs for the next (January) newsletter will be Wednesday, January 13th. We want to make sure all members are receiving our newsletters and email announcements. Please make sure we have your correct contact information on file.

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

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Mary C. Peschel-Herlehy
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# Artists' Workshop 2015-16 Winter Activity Calendar

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

## **LEGEND**:



A Show pickup date

Social /
Luncheon

Meeting /
Special Event

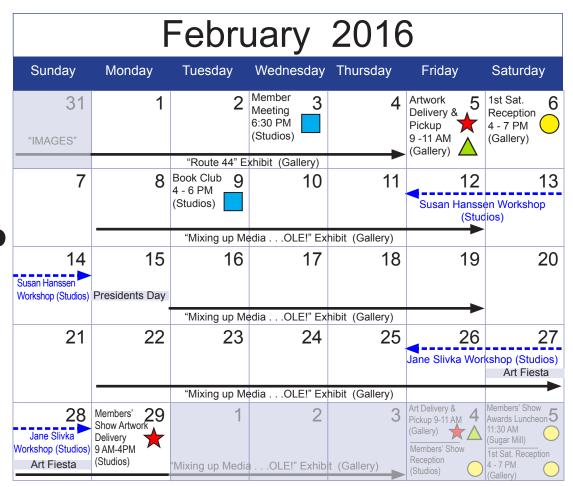
Show / Exhibit

Workshop

January 2016								
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
27	28	29	30	31	New Year's Day	1st Sat. 2 Reception 4 - 7 PM (Gallery)		
3	Artwork 4 Delivery & Artwork Pickup 9 -11 AM (Gallery)	5	Member Meeting 6:30 PM (Studios)	7	8	Jeff Ripple Workshop (Studios)		
		"Route 44" Exhibit (Gallery)						
Jeff Ripple Wor	kshop (Studios)	Book Club 12 4 - 6 PM (Studios)	13	14	15	Susan Hanssen Presentation 2 PM (Studios)		
		"Rou	te 44" Exhibit (G		Home Show			
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# Artists' Workshop 2016 Winter Activity Calendar



## **LEGEND**:



A Show pickup date

Social / Luncheon

Meeting / Special Event

Show / Exhibit

Workshop

March 2016									
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday			
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27	28	29	30	31	Artwork Delivery & Pickup 9 -11 AM	1st Sat. Reception 4 - 7 PM (Gallery)			
Easter		"Art for the	Equinox" Exhib	it (Gallery)	. (Gallery)				