

# Artists' Workshop Newsletter

April-May 2017

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#### **Next Member Event:**

Reminder:

There are no regular monthly meetings during the summer.

All are invited to the 18th Annual High School Art Show Awards Ceremony

Sunday, May 7, 2017 NSB Library, 2-4 PM

Have a great Summer! Next member meeting will be **Wednesday, Sept. 6, 2017** 

"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** 

# Landfill Harmonic Charitable Film Fundraiser and Silent Art Auction

A big "Thank You" goes out to all who promoted, supported, donated artwork, bought artwork, volunteered their time and labor, and attended the event on March 25, to create a wonderful opportunity for our fundraising benefit. We offer our

deep gratitude to Valeh Levy for spearheading this event, and to our financial sponsor Radiology Associates, who sponsored the rental of the venue and the film for screening. We extend a very big thank you to talented AWI member,

Trudy Havu, and her awesome team of volunteers, including Maggie Arndt, Rick Orr, Alicia Oestman, joAnn Reilly, Jean Banas, and Kathy O'Meara, who organized and carried out the Silent Auction of Art which was a huge success!



A great big thank you also goes out to all who helped out with the Marine Discovery Center and Artists' Workshop "Lagoonacy" Open House activities on April 1.

(see p. 2 for more Lagoonacy photos)



Gail Waters (left) helps out the young "Chalk Artists" with their sections of the Indian River Lagoon Mural.

#### **Spring Activities**



### Don't Forget Your Dues!

Annual member dues are due May 1st! (Reminder letters were mailed out to all members in April.) If you haven't already sent in your dues, please update your contact information and do so before the June 30 deadline in order to be included in the 2017-2018 Membership Directory. Questions: Contact Kathy O'Meara, 386-871-0853, or email komeara999@ gmail.com.

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(top to bottom)
Lagoonacy
Highlights:
Ralph Redmond
and Jim Houpt
welcome guests
at the information
table; Christophe
Cardot teaches a
young clay artist

how to

"throw" on the pottery wheel; Cindy Sloan works on origami projects ith the kids;

with the kids; a plein air artist paints the lagoon; Vic Brisebois works on a watercolor

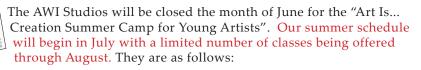


sketch of the Artists' Workshop entrance; and Jean Banas helps young artists with their wall art paintings.



Cheryl Faber & Liv Witherow

#### **SUMMER CLASS SCHEDULE:**



#### **MONDAY MORNING**

- Painting With Patrick
   Patrick Rausch, 561-707-8991
   OilPainter111@gmail.com
- Painting Impressionistic Landscapes Scott Hiestand, 386-672-9872 scotthiestand@aol.com

#### **MONDAY EVENING**

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#### **TUESDAY MORNING**

 Beginner/Advanced Beginner Watercolor

Liv Witherow, 386-690-8637 jorunnliv@hotmail.com

#### **WEDNESDAY MORNING**

 Beginner/ Advanced Beginner Watercolor

Liv Witherow, 386-690-8637 jorunnliv@hotmail.com

#### **THURSDAY MORNING**

 Composition and Perspective Ruth Squitieri 386-451-6857 <u>krautgraphics@gmail.com</u>

#### THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Drawing for All...
Betty Parker, 386-255-9240
BPMART1@aol.com

#### THURSDAY EVENING

 Painting Impressionistic Landscapes

Scott Hiestand, 386-672-9872 scotthiestand@aol.com

To sign up for any of these classes, please contact the instructor directly for exact dates, times and any other questions you may have.

There will also be a week-long **Children's Summer Art Camp** presented by Christophe Cardot for 9-12 year-olds from **July 24-July 28**. Again, please contact Christophe for details and to sign up, 386-426-6374, <a href="mailto:christopheart@yahoo.fr">christopheart@yahoo.fr</a>

**OPEN STUDIO:** We will be limiting open studios to three times a week. Right now, we will be having them on **Tuesday** afternoon, **Wednesday** morning, and **Saturday** from 9:30 am-3:00 pm.

If any new offerings of classes come up or if schedules for open studio change, we will send that information out in an "e-blast", so, be sure to check your emails.

Hope everyone has a great summer!

#### Workshop Wrap-up

Marylee Voegele, Barbara DiVone Evershed, Laura Robinson



any thanks to our entire Workshop committee team, instructors, students, and hosts/ hostesses for another successful workshop season! Our new 2017-2018 workshop schedule will be coming out later this summer.

Tom Weinkle demonstrates using spray paint and palm fronds to create various interesting background designs, to his "Poetry of Pastel" workshop students.



Studio C: Please remember to pick up your work by Friday, May 5, from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. Studio C will not hang another show until September, due to the summer programs/high school program at the Studios starting in June. Any questions, call Cindy Kohring at 386-523-6547.

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#### From the Gallery

JoAnne Reilly & Patrick Rausch

pril opened with a Theme Show, "ONE MORE THAN TWO!" The Saturday, April 1 opening reception was well attended with over 60 attendees! We always enjoy the first night buzz of patrons, friends and artists chatting about the various and unique artwork decorating the walls and pedestals. Hope you were able to stop by and view the exhibit of unique works of art from graphic abstracts, detailed realistic oils, colorful originals, photography, a little bit of April foolery along with sculpture with character and purpose all available for purchase! Most artists chose to take the challenge requiring the use of THREE objects or features of any kind. Everyone was counting the objects contained in the paintings making one look closer at the artwork than usual. It was fun to hear the discoveries that an artist had five of something instead of the three. Gasp! The creative soul couldn't resist being an individual. It was all in good fun and no one was challenged with the number they preferred! April also saw extraordinary works of art sold in the Gallery!

Don't forget to join us for the May exhibit "MUCH ADO ABOUT ART", Wine Reception: 4 - 7 p.m. Sat., May 6. We will be accepting label info for the June exhibit "STARVING ARTISTS' SALE" beginning May 8 – 26th. Submit your info to: <a href="mailto:jrnsb028@gmail.com">jrnsb028@gmail.com</a> (JoAnn Reilly, Gallery Chair). Looking forward to another wonderful exhibit of your talents! We love to exhibit your best work!

#### MAY 6 - JUNE 1: "MUCH ADO ABOUT ART" (No Theme)

(Artists' Workshop Gallery on Canal St.) Hours: Monday - Friday, 11 A.M. - 3 P.M.

Art Delivery Date: Opens: (Gallery Walk) Wine Reception: Closed: Pick Up Date:

Friday, May 5th, 9 -11 A.M.
Saturday, May 6th, 1 - 4 P.M.
Saturday, May 6th, 4 - 7:00 P.M.
Monday, May 29th (Memorial Day)
Friday, June 1st, 9 -11 A.M.

#### JUNE 3 - 22: "STARVING ARTISTS' SALE" (No Theme)

Please email Gallery Chair: <a href="mailto:jrnsb028@gmail.com">jrnsb028@gmail.com</a> with your entry information (Title, Price, Medium, Size (max. 30" X 30"), Name, Phone, Email) starting May 8 - 26th.

Art Delivery Date: Opens: (Gallery Walk) Wine Reception: Pick Up Date: Friday, June 2, 9 -11 A.M. Saturday, June 3rd, 1 - 4 P.M. Saturday, June 3rd, 4 - 7:00 P.M. Thursday, June 22th, 9 -11 A.M.



Some of the artworks that sold in the Gallery during April include: (left to right)





Trish Vivera's "Gone but not Forgotten" (oil), Kathi Smith's "Three Divas" (acrylic), and Sharon Herrold's "Early? Birds" (acrylic). (photos courtesy JoAnne Reilly)

#### 2017 - 2018 Gallery Preview:

...for those artists who plan to paint during the summer and sculpt beautiful works in clay.

**SEPTEMBER 2017:** "OUR ART INSTRUCTORS OPEN HOUSE" (Exclusive to Instructors)

OCTOBER 2017 - "MEMBERS' CREATIONS" (No Theme)

**NOVEMBER 2017** - Theme: "THE DANCE OF LIGHT AND SHADOW" As we know, light and shadow create the illusion of shape and gives color to each form. The challenge here is how you see the contrasts, lines, and edges when creating artwork in your chosen media. Your choice of subject, media and style! First theme show this season. Illuminating!

**DECEMBER 2017** - "THINK GRAND, CREATE SMALL" Judged exhibit of small art! Entry Fee TBD works no larger than 9" x 12" or 10" x 10". Two works may be submitted with those dimensions. (No Theme; Artists' Choice)

JANUARY 2018 - Theme: "DEPTH, DRAMA, & LUMI-NOSITY" Each element may be used individually or collectively to create an exciting work of art. As artist, we often try to create the illusion of a 3-D image with Depth. In addition, creating special lighting effects or Luminosity with high contrasts or soft glowing warm shades creates mood. Elements of drama or mystery heighten emotions for people to react or reflect on. Your choice of subject and media! This exhibit is open for IMAGES!

**FEBRUARY 2018** - Theme: "NSB IN FULL LOCAL COLOR", This theme showcases the New Smyrna Beach and Florida lifestyle. With color all around us there are endless possibilities! Take a vacation in town, at the beach, or one of the many parks, heritage sites and activities this area presents to capture the moment Plein Air style! Snap some photos and paint studio style. Work clay into a sea creature. This exhibit is open for FIESTA!! Color it in High Definition!

MARCH 2018 - "MINDS EYE" (No Theme)

**APRIL 2018** - Theme: "EVERYDAY LIFE" Inspired by a scene from daily life one could take an everyday situation or place and capture a timeless moment as to how or where one lives. Opportunities for figurative work along with beloved pets, observing the world that surrounds you are a few subjects to consider but no specific subject matter required. Use your favorite media and of course your style! It can be as simple as a favorite cup executed with your creative talents! The story is yours!

MAY 2018 - "RESTLESS ARTISTS" (No Theme)

JUNE 2018 - "SPECTACULAR ENDING" (No Theme)

#### **MEMBER NEWS:**

#### **Bob Grayson** in CPSA International Exhibition!



Congratulations to **Bob Grayson**, whose artwork "Paris in the Park", was accepted into the Colored Pencil Society of America's (CPSA) 25th International Exhibition, to be held at the Strathmore Mansion

in Bethesda. MD this summer.



Congratulations to **Lisa Argentieri**, who was the featured watercolor artist for the week of March 1, 2017 on Doodlewash.com. You

can see her article at: <a href="https://doodlewash.com/2017/03/01/guest-doodlewash-painting-boldly-organically-and-fearlessly/">https://doodlewash.com/2017/03/01/guest-doodlewash-painting-boldly-organically-and-fearlessly/</a>



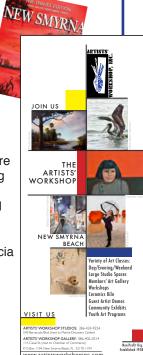
Congratulations to **Deborah Mongato**, who was featured as cover artist for the Deland May/
June 2017 issue of the Gage
Publishing Deland magazine's:
Travel Edition.

Artists' Workshop members **Carson Kapp**, **Shirley Pittman**, **Barbara Perkins**, **Babz Lupoli**, and **NC Hagood** will be exhibiting their work at the ACA: Harris House, May 6 - 26. Opening Reception is May 6th, 4 - 7 p.m.

#### May/June AWI Magazine Ad

## "New Smyrna" Magazine

Be on the lookout for the May/June 2017 issue (p. 7) of the New Smyrna Magazine and see our latest Artists' Workshop ad, where we feature some of the winning artwork from our recent "59th Annual Members' Show". Congratulations to Patrick Rausch, Alicia Hahne Oestman, Constanz Elder. Barbara DiVone Evershed, Bob Grason, and Gretchen Nass.



# The Artists's Workshop welcomes the following new and returning members. If you would like to join

us, pick up a Member Application at the Studios, in the Gallery, or see our website

www.artistsworkshopinc.com
Questions? Contact Sue
Stoddart at 386-410-6705 or email
susanstoddart@earthlink.net.

Member Application

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> DeAnn Parker 1103 Woodland Ave. New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168 (386) 689-3031 (cell) deannparkernsb@gmail.com

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#### Welcome New Members

Sue Stoddart

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#### In Memoriam



Robert Howard Shaffer (1915 - 2017)

The Artists' Workshop mourns the loss of Robert Shaffer, husband of longtime Artists' Workshop member Joye Shaffer, who passed away

peacefully on April 21, at the age of 101. A World War II veteran, Bob was Professor Emeritus in the Schools of Education and Business at Indiana University. A Celebration of Life service will be held at Coronado Community

United Methodist Church on Saturday, May 20, at 2:00 p.m.

Our deepest sympathies go out to all his family and friends. The complete obituary of

his amazing life and legacy can be found online at:

www.legacy.com/obituaries/news-journalonline/obituary.aspx?page=lifestory&p

id=185248766 (courtesy Daytona Beach News-Journal online)



(right) Regina Wise signs up summer camp teachers and volunteers at the Aritsts' Workshop Spring Luncheon. We still need your help! (see below...)

# 7th Annual "Art Is...Creation" Youth Summer Art Camp Schedule

at the Artists' Workshop Studios

5 1/2 yrs. - 5th Grade:

Kids Create: June 5 - 9 Kids Create: June 12 - 16

6th -12th Grade:

Teen Extreme: June 19 - 23 Teen Extreme: June 26 - 30

We still need teachers, volunteers, and sponsors for this year's summer camp programs that provide life-changing experiences for the children and youth in our community! Contact Regina Wise at 386-847-1676 or wiseregina@gmail.com. Visit the Art Is...Creation website at www.artiscreation.org.



# Artists' Workshop Inc. is on Facebook

If you are on Facebook, be sure to look for the Artists' Workshop Inc. page and "Like" it!

Please share our Facebook page with your friends.

www.facebook.com/artistsworkshopinc

#### Librarian's Corner



Lucinda Sloan

#### **ART BOOK CLUB**

Join us for food, fun, and wonderful conversation...

**Next Meeting:** Tuesday, May 9, from 4 - 6 PM **Place:** Artists' Workshop Studios Library

**Topics:** Discussion on the Dana Schutz painting at the Whitney Museum of American Art that was asked to be removed. I have sent several short articles for people to read. Hope you can all make it. Also, we'll have discussion of ideas for next year.

PLEASE NOTE: ALL INTERESTED PEOPLE SHOULD FEEL FREE TO COME AND HELP US MAKE PLANS FOR NEXT YEAR!

Contact 'Cindy' Sloan if you have any questions at sloanlucinda@gmail.com.

#### **Community Exhibits**

**Ruby Jones** 

ongratulations to Sylvia Spradlin and Nan Google who sold paintings at New Smyrna Beach and Edgewater libraries. Thanks for sharing your art at these venues! If anyone would like to display at these libraries, please call contacts below and we will be happy to give details.

Maggie Ardnt, curator at United Church of Christ Fellowship Hall, is planning the next show that will run through September. Cheryl Faber is busy coordinating next show at Florida Hospital New Smyrna. Art space there has a lot of visibility and very well received by staff and visitors. Currently displayed is a beautiful collection of many of our talented artists which has made this our featured venue this month. Please see examples from this exhibit below. If you have

any comments, questions or would like to schedule an art show please call or email our Community Exhibit members.

#### **Committee Members with Venues & Contact Info:**

- Cheryl Faber (Florida Hospital New Smyrna): 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
- Judy Mullee (Edgewater City Hall): 513-256-0181, email judymullee@gmail.com
- Kathy Vitale (Edgewater Library): 386-428-3933, email <u>Katmandu719@aol.com</u>
- Ruby Jones (NSB Library): 386-427-9222, email rubygeerjones@yahoo.com





A collection of artworks now on display at Florida Hospital New Smyrna include (left) Linda Hoffmeister's "Springtime #2" Buth

A collection of artworks now on display at Florida Hospital New Smyrna include (left) Linda Hoffmeister's "Springtime #2," Ruth Squitieri's "Morning at Riverside," (above) Irene Moody's "Sleepy Hollow NSB," and Deborah Mongato's "In Search of Peace and Quiet." (photos courtesy Ruby Jones.)



Congratulations to the new Artists' Workshop Officers! (above left to right) NSB Mayor Jim Hathaway inducts the new officers at the Spring Installation Luncheon on April 28: Joe Anglin, Cheryl Faber, Sue Stoddart, Susie Means, and Shirley Pittman (not pictured, Carolyn Land). (below) Liz Clayton returns the "president's gavel" back to Joe Anglin.



#### Your New Artists' Workshop 2017 - 2018 Elected Officers:

President: Joe Anglin
1st Vice President: Cheryl Faber
2nd Vice President: Sue Stoddart
Recording Secretary: Carolyn Land
Corresponding Secretary: Susie Means
Treasurer: Shirley Pittman

n behalf of all the members of the Artists' Workshop, we'd like to recognize our outgoing 2016-2017 officers and thank them for a phenomenal job, especially in light of this past year's hurricane challenges! Our thanks and best wishes to Liz Clayton, Valeh Levy, Sue Stoddart, Carolyn Land, Pat Muscarella, and Shirley Pittman. Your guidance, leadership, and hard work kept us going and ready to celebrate our upcoming 60th year as an arts organization!

The Membership







#### From the Editor:

PLEASE NOTE: This is the last newsletter of the 2016-17 season Have a wonderful summer!

Please make sure our registrar has your correct email contact information on file for any important updates over the summer. Cutoff for the next (August) newsletter will be Wednesday, **August 9th**.

Current and past newsletters are always posted on our website: <a href="https://www.artistsworkshopinc.com/">www.artistsworkshopinc.com/</a> newsletters.html

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# Artists' Workshop 2017 Spring/ Summer Activity Calendar



# LEGEND: Deliver art date Show pickup date Social / Luncheon Meeting / Special Event Show / Exhibit Workshop

