### TARPON SPRINGS ART ASSOCIATION

# NEWSLETTER



-PO Box 1177—Tarpon Springs, FL 34688—E-mail: patsy.renz@verizon.net Meetings - First Monday of the Month at The Community Center. 400 S. Walton

April 2010

### **Executive Board:**

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Yiota Theofanus - 781-9613 Helen Ellis Hospital Danny K's Alley Cafe

Sherry Albrecht- 560-2669 Performing Arts Center

Sharon Chandler - 934-7778 Florida Capital Bank

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Sherry Albrecht

Fred Farmakis - 845-7770 Bank of America

### FROM THE PRESIDENT

We are looking forward to a great Spring Bayou Art Show. Hopefully everyone that has signed up follow the show rules and have filled out their registration forms.

When delivering your paintings Friday at the Community Center make sure you are signed up for Saturday or Sunday for a two hour time slot to help with the show.

When paying your entry fee turn in your filled out registration forms and make sure your art work has prices on it.

Remember our April 5<sup>th</sup> Spring Art Show at the Heritage Museum. Any questions call Jane Lawson at 934-6097. Thanks, Elaine McCormick

**April Show at Heritage Museum:** the April 5<sup>th</sup> meeting will include the installation of officers, a pot luck picnic, and the art show at the Heritage Museum. The association will provide the tableware, etc. and the members should bring a pot luck dish to be shared. The artwork should be at the Museum by 10:30 as it will be judged by an outside judge from 11:00 to 12:00. The demo will be during this period. The work must be hangable and, preferably, have an easel on which to show it. The museum no longer has easels. The artwork will then be hung in the Performing Arts Center, so all who wish to do this will be responsible for delivering their piece there. It will stay there for one month, coming down on May 3.

#### ART WALK IN HISTORIC DOWNTOWN TARPON SPRINGS



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were having.

guitars and voice. The owners added their thanks as well! Good job, all!

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March was a good time in TSAA. Our demo by Charles Gruppé in acrylic was informative and entertaining and his three day workshop was enjoyed by all who attended. Many produced 2 paintings a day.

### **Future Schedule:**

We hope for a large turnout at our April meeting and picnic.

There will be a demonstration in May, more in next newletter.

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**Betty Welsh** will conduct a workshop at the Crystal Beach Community Hall entitled "20 TOP SECRETS FOR LOOSENING UP"! on Thursday April 15<sup>th</sup> from 9:30-3:00 p.m.

### MATERIALS LIST:

1-2 old paintings watercolor paper

gesso or gel

collage papers like rice paper or tissue paper glue or matte medium to glue the collage papers

brayer stamps

The Workshop is \$30, Contact Kathy Rabold ophms art@yahoo.com 727 219-0022

#### March Demonstration

**Charles Gruppé** demonstrated in acrylics. His demonstration was lively, humorous, and informative.



### **Artist of the Month**



Carole Loiacono was chosen as our artist of the month at the March meeting for her wonderful watercolor painting "Autumn's Glory.

# The TSAA Plein Air Painters:

The Plein Air group will meet in April in Palm Harbor in the Garden Room on Alt.19, and at the Florida Ave/Alt. 19 area.

Call **Jane Lawson** at **934-6097** if you have questions.

### ART SHOW JUDGES NEEDED!!

The 2nd Annual Lighthouse Christian Home School Academy Art Show April 16, 2010 at 6:00 PM, is in need of people to judge the children's artwork. The ages range from kindergartner through high school.

The show will be held at the First United Methodist Church in Tarpon Springs. (Judging at 6PM)

You can check out the school by going to <u>LCHA Cop</u>. You can visit the <u>Artsonia Gallery</u> for preview of their artwork. Each art student has their own web page through Artsonia.

Please email Saniata (Sunny) Mogenson at <u>jakeli@verizon.net</u> by April 6, if you can help them or email Patsy Renz at patsy.renz@verizon.net and I will pass it on to her.



## **VENUE NEWS:**

All of the exhibit venue coordinators are asking for art for each of the venues.

Tarpon Springs Library: Kathy Rabold (781-6859)
Last two weeks of March and April is Patsy Renz.
Plaka Restaurant: Kathy Rabold (781-6859)
March-April will be Kathy Rabold.

Email or call Kathy <u>ophms\_art@yahoo.com</u> to reserve a place in these venues.

Helen Ellis Hospital: Yiota Theofanus (781-9613)
Displaying from Mar 9 to May 10, Suzanne
Murphy and Al Sterner.

<u>Danny K's Alley Cafe</u> is: Displaying from Mar 10 to May 10, **Al Sterner**.

To reserve your spot for Helen Ellis and Danny K's call or email **Yiota** 781-9613 <a href="mailto:harviota@knology.net">harviota@knology.net</a>.

<u>Performing Arts Center</u>: Sherry Albrecht (560-2669) Displaying at PAC for the month of April will be all TSAA members who enter the April Art Show.

Florida Capital Bank: Sharon Chandler (934-7778) Florida Capital Bank for April is Marge Fritsch.

<u>Bank of America:</u> Fred Farmakis (845-7770) April through May—Suzanne Murphy, Marilyn Dunnigan, and Alvin Sterner-Email or call Fred fotiosfarmakis@aol.com

# **Artist of the Month' guidelines!**

- 1. All artwork must be submitted by 1:15pm.
- 2. Balloting will take place between 1:15pm and 1:30pm.
- 3. The counter will use his/her best judgment to decide what number is indicated, if there is a question.
- 4. The winner is responsible for delivering his/her painting to the cultural center within 24 hours.
- 5. An artist may only win one time in a year.

Everyone needs a little sunshine in her/his life and Chris Tagaras, Sunshine Chairperson, is ready to supply it to those of our membership who may be under a cloud. 938-0895

### **CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR MEMBERS**

**June Benson** sold two big watercolors she had hanging in her doctor's office.

**Kathy Detrano** was awarded a Merit Award for her painting of her basset hound at the Pastel Society of Tampa Bay show held in February. Also, the West Pasco Art Guild, on the very same evening, awarded her a First Place award for her painting of a Clumber spaniel in the surf.

**Eva Allen** was awarded best in show at the Pastel Society of Tampa Bay show held in February.

**Lora VanNoord** sold an oil painting at the Safety Harbor Library! she has many other paintings there until the end of March. Lora says it is a lovely venue.

**Judi Rogers** will be in the Fine Arts Festival on Spring Bayou the last weekend in this month at booth eight on the water.

**Maria Weed** is in the Dunedin Student and Members show on March 19.

**Trish Gregory** sold a picture and some cards at the Art Walk on Saturday.

**Patsy Renz** sold cards and received a commission to do a color pencil painting of a person's pets from the Art Walk.

### PLEIN AIR PAINTING:

With Carole Loiacono –934-1482

\$10 per class—Wednesdays from 9:30 to 12 noon. Demo at 9:30 sharp.

April 7 and April 14 Tarpon Springs by "Rusty Bellies" (at the end of Dodecanese).

Thursday April 1, Plein Air yupo mini workshop-9:30-1PM at Fred Howard Park, Pavillian #3. \$15—Bring yupo if you have it. I will provide it at cost if you don't. (This is a sheltered area with tables and benches.

Remember, the work of art lives in the experience, the journey within the process, not in the resulting monument to be presented in a certified art-place. *Eric Booth* 



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TARPON SPRINGS FLORIDA 34688

#### Our Mission...

...to promote interest and community awareness of all forms of visual art, to provide opportunities for individuals to associate with other artists, and to share in and learn from artistic knowledge and experiences.

| Application for New Member and/or Change of Address  |
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| City ————————————————————————————————————  |
| State Zip  |
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| Dues \$20.00   |
| Medium of choice   |
| Please make check payable to and mail to:  Tarpon Springs Art Association  PO Box 1177  Tarpon Springs El. 24689 |
| Tarpon Springs FL 34688  |

Art happens. No hovel is safe from it, no prince can depend on it, the vastest intelligence cannot bring it about. *James A. M. Whistler* 

### REMEMBER.....

The next general meeting is Monday, April 5, 1:30 pm at the Community Center.

The next board meeting is Monday, April 26, 1:30 pm at the Tarpon Springs Library.

If you have <u>any news</u> call me at 943-7732 or email me at patsy.renz@verizon.net by March 20, 2010. Everything that happens in your art is important to us all.

### **Artist of the Month Schedule**

\*September – Members' Critique
October – All Media
November – Acrylic, 3 Dimensional Art
\*December – No Meeting ( Holiday Party)
January – Oil
February – Mixed Media
March – Watercolor
\*April – Judged Show (Picnic)

May - Pastel, Pen & Ink, Charcoal, & "Misc"

\*details announced at meetings
Bring Art work by 1:15 pm or it won't be judged.