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Meetings - First Monday of the Month at The Community Center. 400 S. Walton

October 2010

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### FROM THE PRESIDENT

Welcome back to all of our returning members. Our next General meeting will be on October 4 at 1:30 PM. Heather Risley has some exciting exhibits for you to display your art. Jane Lawson has her fall programs all planned. Our meetings will continue at the Tarpon Springs Community Center. Thanks to Barbara Hodges for taking care of the September meeting and summer business. I hope to see you all on Monday October 4. Glad to be back. *Elaine McCormick*



**PAINT & PHOTO TARPON SPRINGS - A PLEIN AIR EVENT**, sponsored by the Tarpon Springs Art Association, will take place November 10 through November 12, followed by receptions, awards, and week-long exhibits. A plein air painting is done on location, capturing the atmosphere of the moment. The majority of the painting must be completed on site with little to no work done in the studio. Please be assured that we will do whatever possible to accommodate you with respect to the time you have available, in other words, you do not have to work the whole three days, let us know what your time limitations are and we will work with you, but the work must be done at some time during these three days and in Tarpon Springs.

On Tuesday afternoon, November 9, at Leepa Rattner Museum we will formally register participants and, for artists, stamp all paper, canvas, etc. (so bring all you may use) so that we know work is done within the 3 days of the event. We will also include maps, restaurant information, etc. so you can become familiar with the city. Photographers will also be registered at this time

Painting and photography must be done during any or all, of Wednesday, November 10 through noon on Friday, November 12 and be done in Tarpon Springs. At noon on Friday we'll ask painters to come to Craig Park to put frames on their work (1 or 2 pieces) so be prepared with all your framing needs. Jurying and judging will be done in the Heritage Museum. At 5:00 pm you will take your paintings and easels to the Tarpon Arcade building (nearby) for the reception and awards, which will be held that evening. This will be followed by a week-long exhibit of juried-in pieces in that building.

Photographers will be asked to have 1 or 2 photos framed, no larger than an 8x10 image in an 11x14 frame, on Saturday morning, November 13, at Studio 212, 204 E. Tarpon Avenue, Tarpon Springs, for jurying and judging, then return to Studio 212 at noon for the results of the jurying. The reception and awards will be at Studio 212 on Saturday evening and the photos will be in a week-long exhibit there. Acceptable images are: Color, Black & White, Sepia, etc. images. Images that have been digitally enhanced using Photoshop or other programs that control imaging standards such as color saturation, contrast, cropping, sharpening, etc., are acceptable. Not acceptable images: images that have been composited using multiple images or duplicate sections, or filtered (i.e. subsets of programs that alter images to create effects which are beyond normal photographic and camera techniques, e.g. "watercolor" or "stained glass" effects.

The cost to participate will be \$15.00, non-refundable if registered by October 15; \$20.00, if later than Oct. 15, 2010.

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## Future Schedule:

**October** TSAA meeting demonstrator will be **Eva Allen**, working in pastels.

**TSAA** will have the *Art Walk* on **October 9** on Tarpon Avenue from 12 to 4 pm. Set up in front of the Antique Shops downtown and meet and greet people, paint, and sell your wonderful artworks. Please get in touch with me at [hriz@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:hriz@tampabay.rr.com) or call 727-937-7125 to sign up for this opportunity or ask any questions. There is a "Garage Band Extravaganza" at 4:00 at Craig Park on that day so we expect some extra people in the area! "Q-Tip the Clown (Marge Fritsch) will be making a special appearance.

**OPEN PAINTING STUDIO** at the Tarpon Springs Recreation Center resumes for the season on Wednesday September 15 from 9:00 a.m. until noon and is scheduled for every other Wednesday morning until May. There are plenty of tables and chairs for your work plus many easels. Come paint with your fellow TSAA members, where we share knowledge and techniques. You can do your own thing or paint from still life set-ups. \$5.

**ARTIST TRADING CARD WORKSHOP** on Wednesday September 29th in Craig Park from 9-noon call Kathy Rabold 727-219-0022 ophms\_art@yahoo.com - \$25

**TERRY DENSON** will conduct a **WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP: "Dancing With Color"** on **November 19** in **PALM HARBOR'S HARBOR HALL** 9:30-3:00 p.m. - \$40 - Sign up with Kathy Rabold 728-219-0022 ophms\_art@yahoo.com

### **Hernando POP (People of Passion) to demo for the Spring Hill Art League - November 15, 2010**

The Spring Hill Art League will hold its monthly meeting Monday, November 15, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. in Spring Hill, Florida. You are invited to attend as a guest if you are not a member. Hernando POP (People of Passion) will provide the evening demo and you do not want to miss this one! For additional information, go to [www.springhillartleague.com](http://www.springhillartleague.com) A workshop will be available the following Friday, November 20, 2010.

### **Fall Harvest of Arts - December 4 & 5, 2010**

The 37th Annual Fall Harvest of Arts presented by the Spring Hill Art League will be held at Florida's newest State Park, Weeki Wachee Springs. In addition to Fine Arts & Crafts, the show will feature live music, gourmet food, and the opportunity to enjoy all of the parks attractions: Mermaid Show, Wilderness River Cruise, Tranquility Trail, Gift Shops, and more. Hours on Saturday, December 4th - 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and Sunday, December 5th - 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Larry Withers (also known as Wood Eye) will be displaying creative wood works. He won First Place last year in the category for Country Crafts.



Highlights of the September TSAA meeting. Photos courtesy of Kathy Rabold.

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### **PAINT & PHOTO TARPON SPRINGS - A PLEIN AIR EVENT**

The Tarpon Springs Art Association will take a 20% commission on any work sold.

All participants must take responsibility for their own well-being and that of their artwork as the Tarpon Springs Art Association, the Tarpon Springs Chamber of Commerce, the Tarpon Arcade Building, and Studio 212 will not be responsible for any injury or loss.

We strongly advise early registration to assure participation. You can send a check for the \$15.00 (or \$20.00 if after Oct. 15) made out to Tarpon Springs Chamber of Commerce - TSAA

Mail to: Tarpon Springs Art Association

Attn: Heather

P. O. Box 1177

Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

Please indicate either **ARTIST** or **PHOTOGRAPHER** and include:

Name:

Address:

Phone (cell):

Email:

so that we may stay in touch with you. Call or e-mail Heather Risley at [hrisley@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:hrisley@tampabay.rr.com) for any questions or 727-937-7125.

This event is open to all, not limited to TSAA members, so spread the word, get a group together and get out and have fun with this! It is a great opportunity for us to show our talents, our city, and how much we enjoy painting and photography.

**VENUE NEWS:**

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

**Tarpon Springs Library: Kathy Rabold (781-6859)**

8 paintings are needed at this venue . Art is to stay up for 2 months.

**Plaka Restaurant: Kathy Rabold (781-6859)**

7 paintings are needed for 2 month displays. March-April open. September-October **Kathy Rabold, Pat Gorrow** will display during November and December; **Jana Withers** will display during January and February.

**Bank of America: Kathy Rabold (781-6859)**

October 1 to November30, **Marilyn Dunnigan, James Weiss, and Kathy Rabold.**

Email or call Kathy [ophms\\_art@yahoo.com](mailto:ophms_art@yahoo.com) to reserve a place in these venues.

**Helen Ellis Hospital:Yiota Theofanus (781-9613)**

No Report

**Danny K's Alley Cafe** is: No Report

To reserve your spot for Helen Ellis and Danny K's call or email **Yiota** 781-9613 [harviota@knology.net](mailto:harviota@knology.net).

**Performing Arts Center: Sherry Albrecht (560-2669)**

Sherry needs someone to take over the hanging of art in this venue. It is a very important venue so please someone take it over.

Displaying at PAC from September-November is Kathy Rabold, Lynn Vaughan, Toni Mattz, Vernon Good, Jane Lawson, Sherry Albrecht

**Florida Capital Bank: Sharon Chandler (934-7778)**

Andrew Philyaw is now showing his paintings at Florida Capital Bank

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR MEMBERS**

**Kimberly Tabor** received a first place award in oil painting at the 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Tawas Bay Waterfront Fine Art Show on July 31, 2010 in Michigan.

**Lynnette Vaughan** sold a painting at the Performing Arts Center.

**Trish Gregory** has started a new business designing Greeting Cards for clients, using their own photographs or art work images (digital or scanned).

She has recently received an order for a dozen 5-1/2"x8-1/2" glossy cards from a Woman's Club member who sent her a photograph of her little dog to use. The back of the card was designed using one of the client's favorite recipes.

For more information, go to [www.trishgreg.com](http://www.trishgreg.com) and view the "Greeting Card" page. You can also call Trish at 727-943-8677 or e-mail [trishgreg@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:trishgreg@tampabay.rr.com).

**Vahak D. Sarkis**, for publishing his book, **THE ODYSSEY OF AN ARMENIAN REVOLUTIONARY COUPLE** How They survived the First Genocide of the 20th Century. In case you are not aware, his last name in Vahak D. Sarkis, has been shortened from Dersarkissian, the actual family name: Here is the link for the review of Vahak's book: <http://www.examiner.com/writing-in-tampa-bay/review-the-odyssey-of-an-armenian-revolutionary-couple>

**Welcome New Members:**

Lynnette Vaughan - Tarpon Springs - 934-2815

Laurie Cacioli - Trinity - 807-3777

Cass Laping - Tarpon Springs - 943-5352

Regina (Dee) Martin - Hauppauge NY - 727-863-9018

Amy Kail - Dunedin - 786-3972

**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 calendar year.



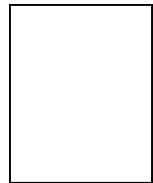
Everyone needs a little sunshine in her/his life and **Chris Tagaras, Sunshine Chairperson**, is ready to supply it to those of our membership who may be under a cloud. **938-0895**

**The TSAA Plein Air Painters:**

I just returned from Spain where I attended a Charles Gruppe painting workshop in Barcelona and San Sabastian . I was able to do many paintings and sold four. If there is sufficient interest we will have him in the spring for a workshop. I am unable to schedule our Plein Air sessions for now as I am going to have knee surgery on September 20. If anyone is able to get Plein Air started they are encouraged to do so. Jane Lawson



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**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

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Dues \$20.00

Medium of choice \_\_\_\_\_

Please make check payable to and mail to:  
 Tarpon Springs Art Association  
 PO Box 1177  
 Tarpon Springs FL 34688

**REMEMBER.....**

The next general meeting is Monday, October 4, 1:30 pm at the Community Center.

The next board meeting is Monday, October 25, 1:30 pm at the Tarpon Springs Library.

If you have any news call me at 943-7732 or email me at [patsy.renz@verizon.net](mailto:patsy.renz@verizon.net) by October 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.**

From all that I have seen I am more than ever convinced that art must communicate, it must represent, it must describe and express people, their lives and times. *Raphael Soyer*