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

March 2013

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This is a very busy time of year for us. I hope you all can participate in the Art Festival on the Bayou (April 6, and 7) and the April Show with the pot luck luncheon (April 1). A new event is our Art on the Avenue which will be on Tarpon Avenue on Sun., March 3, 10 to 3, where you can set up your work, sell, and paint on the sidewalk in front of the shops. We will be trying to do these on a regular basis and they will be a complement to the Sunday Market. We have done these "art walks" over the past few years and they are fun to do. If you would like to participate, please be in touch with me at [hriz@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:hriz@tampabay.rr.com). Also, we need lots of help with the Art Festival on the Bayou show so please sign up on the sheets which will be available at our meeting. *Heather Risley*



**Tarpon Springs Art Festival 2013** at Craig Park will be on April 6th – April 7th, 2013. We will have sign-up sheets at the March meeting for you to sign up to work for 2 hours or somehow help with the event, which is a requirement in order to participate. We will need help **registering** the paintings at 400 S. Walton on Friday, April 5 from 10am to noon; then more help **delivering** the paintings to Craig Park. For \$10 you may enter 2 wired paintings for hanging and 6 wrapped pieces for the browse bins. The paintings may be no larger than 18 x 24 inches and no smaller than 8 x 10. No greeting cards or crafty items! We will need **sitters** to cover 9am – 5pm each day and you must **pick up** your work between 4:30 and 5:00 on Sunday. Sign up at the meeting or have someone sign for you if you are unable to attend.

**April Show – April 1 – Heritage Museum** – The April 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 or before as it will be judged by an outside judge from 11:00 to 12:00. The work must be an original (not produced in a workshop), never before shown in a TSAA show, 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 hang at the Performing Arts Center will be responsible for delivering their piece there. It will stay there for one month, coming down on April 30. Please obey the copyright laws and make your work your own. There is no entry fee for this show and there will be ribbons and prize money for awards, so please let's all enter.

**Nominations** – We will be voting at our March meeting for our slate of officers for next year. We encourage our membership to be active and to help keep our organization vital and current.

**Calendars 2014:** Photographs of your art work or photography should be sent to Patsy Renz -[patsy.renz@verizon.net](mailto:patsy.renz@verizon.net) in a .jpg file by March 13, 2013, or mailed to Patsy Renz, 39650 US Hwy 19N, Tarpon Springs, FL 34689. Pictures must be of a Tarpon Springs theme and done in landscape only.

**Future Schedule:**

The program for March will be a watercolor demonstration by Lynn Ferris. Please call Jane Lawson if you are interested in an impressionistic style workshop presented in March by Carole Loiacono.

**Sandy Butterfield** is teaching art (acrylic, pastel and oil) at Hobby Lobby, New Port Richey, every Thursday morning from 10am to 12 noon. \$10.00 per session. She leads a portrait group every Friday - 12:30 pm to 3pm. They paint from a live model at the Grove Park Center, New Port Richey. Please call Sandy Butterfield for more information 727.862.5800.

**Kathy Detrano** is offering a two day workshop on the fundamentals of pastels with underpainting, both wet and dry, "The Magic of Pastel", at the West Pasco Art Guild, Friday, April 13 and Monday, April 15. Contact Kathy (kdetrano@tampabay.rr.com) for details.

**The TSAA Plein Air Painters:**

The Plein Air Group will meet at Hammock Park in Dunedin the 1st two weeks in March and on the Dunedin Causeway the last two weeks. Meet at 9:30 and paint till 11:30 . Call Jane Lawson at 934-6097 for details.

**Artist of the Month**

**Jim Weiss** was chosen as our artist of the month at the February meeting for his great job in mixed media, India ink/Pastel painting of "Nuremburg Lutist in Marching Band".

**Welcome New Members:**

Marilyn Chaulk - 617-460-3050

Ljuba Simovic - Tarpon Springs - 938-2794

Richard Dellalonga - Oldsmar - 772-6643

**Welcome Back to:**

Mary Lou Meyer - Dunedin - 736-8728

**Correction-Phone Number:**

Philip Krier - Port Richey - 248-505-2352

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR MEMBERS**

**Kathy Detrano** was delightfully surprised with a nice Merit Award (Girault Pastels and cash, yum yum!) at the Pastel Society of Tampa Bay's seventh annual exhibition, "Possibilities in Pastel VII", Friday, February 8 at the Stirling Gallery in Dunedin. She also coordinated a concurrent three day workshop at Dunedin Fine Arts Center with the nationally acclaimed pastelist, Barbara Jaenicke, who also served as the judge of the show.

**Kris Gregg** got the Award of Excellence in Possibilities in Pastel VII 2013 for a piece entitled "Uncommon Devotion"

**Maria Weed** will be in an art show with the "Spin D' Arte" group and Robert Sutherland at the Flight restaurant in Tampa on March 6.

**Bobette Breunig** sold two of her pen and ink motorcycles, one was a framed Harley at St Alfred's Craft Fest and one at the Safety Harbor Craft Fest.

**Suzanne Murphy** donated another framed Waterbaby giclee to Shepherds Annual Fundraiser Gala at St. Nicholas Center. Funds from the auction support community food kitchens.

**Nancy Arcara** has news regarding her art. She had a picture juried into the "Watercolor Wisconsin Show". It will be displayed at the Wustum Museum of Fine Arts in Racine, WI. from December 2012 through April 2013. She also had a watercolor painting "Serenity" accepted into the FWS Online Show. Go to [www.floridawatercolorssociety.org](http://www.floridawatercolorssociety.org) and click the online show to see it.

**Suzanne Natzke's** watercolor, "Upon A Rocky Shore" took Best in Category for Painting, Pasco Art Annual 2013. An honorable mention went to **Jenna Star Friedman**. **Heather Risley** was the juror.

The public is invited to view this exhibit through March 8 at the PAC art center located at 5744 Moog Rd. Holiday, adjacent to Centennial Park Library Tuesday through Thursdays from 9 AM until 4 PM or Friday and Saturdays 9 AM until 1 PM. Visitors are welcome to vote for their own favorite each time they visit the exhibit until the end, at which time the Peoples' Choice Award will be announced and presented. Some of the artwork is available for purchase; admission to the exhibit is free and handicapped accessible.



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**

**VENUE NEWS:****Tarpon Springs Library: Trish Gregory-943-8677**

No Report

**Plaka Restaurant: Kathy Rabold (781-6859)**March - April: **Kathy Rabold**Email or call Kathy [ophms\\_art@yahoo.com](mailto:ophms_art@yahoo.com) to reserve a place for May and June for this venue.**Helen Ellis Hospital: Yiota Theofanus (781-9613)**Displaying at Helen Ellis, January 8 to March 11, 2013 are: **Lee Albion, Sherry Orr and Polly Berlin.**To reserve your spot for Helen Ellis call or email **Yiota** 781-9613 [yiota.theofanus@gmail.com](mailto:yiota.theofanus@gmail.com)

**Performing Arts Center: Heather Risley, Patsy Renz, Barbara Hodges** are doing the PAC. For January 8 - March 5 the artists displaying are: **Mary Beth McDonell, Larry Forgione, Jan Wojcik, Yvonne James, and Nancy Caposey.**

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

The artist to display paintings at Florida Capital Bank for March is Peggy Babst.

**Meet the Artists** at Artists' Faire, 111 E Tarpon Ave., Tarpon Springs on Friday, March 1, from 5 to 7pm, featuring painter **Yvonne Fisher** and jewelry designer **Marisa Myers.**

**February Demonstration**

**Mitch Kolbe** did an oil painting under painting demonstration for us at our February meeting. It was a very well received demonstration.



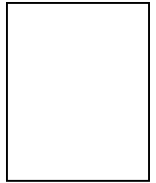
The going away party and luncheon for long time and valuable TSAA member, **Marge Fritch** was held February 8 at the Artists' Faire Gallery. It was a lovely party with friends from TSAA attending and Mayor David Archie dropping by to wish her well. Marge, we are going to miss you and also Q-Tip the clown.

Marge was president of TSAA for eight years, fought many battles for us to make sure the City treated us right, she did our 50/50 for us at the meetings. She was always there at every important function to make sure things went smoothly or to stir things up if she had to. Marge, try to stay out of trouble in you new home if possible, but don't ever lose your feisty personality. The world needs you to keep it straight.





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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  
 Patsy Renz, Membership  
 39650 US Hwy 19N #1413  
 Tarpon Springs FL 34688

**REMEMBER.....**

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

The next board meeting is Monday, March 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 March 18, 2013. 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  
 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.**

The only rule in art is what works. *Lee Fleming*