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

November 2013

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President's Message

The things that are on my mind this morning are TSAA's upcoming events.

The first event, of course, is the annual **Plein Air Paint and Photo Tarpon Springs**. I hope all of you Plein Air painters have signed up by now. It is quite a challenge to complete these paintings in just a very few days, but the results have been awesome to me. I love the photography portion, and every year the competition gets more challenging. I can't wait for the reception on Sunday to see the wonderful results. This event is **Heather Risley's** brainchild, and she works very hard to bring us a fun painting and photographing experience and a lovely reception.

You will notice more information on our second event, the **December Show at the Cultural Center** inside this newsletter. Please cut out the reservation and be sure to **fill them out and bring them with you when you bring your art in for registration**. It slows up the registration process to have to stop and complete the forms at that time, so your cooperation in this is so appreciated.

I have said this before, but it bears repeating – if you are submitting art for the December Show, please plan to come to the reception. **YOU MAY BE A WINNER** and you don't want to miss out on the recognition.

I want to thank the ladies who have signed up to serve refreshments at our monthly meetings. Even if you have not signed up, you can still bring a goody to share. Thanks to **Terri Gonzalez, Peggy Babst, Maria Bouvis and Ann Clark** for last months' refreshments and a thanks in advance to **Liz Little, Kaye Dunmire and Bess King** for supplying our next meeting in November with good things to eat. We appreciate all of you.

Please check out the venue opportunities in this newsletter and contact the chairman if you have an interest in showing your work. TSAA is very fortunate to have these available to us.

I look forward to seeing you all at our next meeting on November 4. If you are bringing a painting for the Artist of the Month competition, please be sure to be there between 1:00-1:15. The judging is cut off at 1:15, and we don't want anyone to be left out. **Trish Gregory**



2013 DECEMBER ART EXHIBIT

Monday, December 02 - Decoration of Cultural Center 10 am until completed

Tuesday, December 03 -Registration 10 am to 12 noon

Hanging art 2:00 pm until completed

Wednesday, December 04 - 9:30 am judging of art by Mitch Kolbe

Thursday, December 05 - Reception 6:00 pm and awards 7:00 pm

Please bring finger foods between 5- 5:30 pm

The exhibit will remain up until Friday, December 27, 2013 at 10 am - 12 noon when we will take down art. Also, artists will pick up their art at this time. If you cannot pick up your art on this day, please arrange for someone to pick it up for you.

RULES

1. One piece of current **original** framed artwork per member. Artwork must never have been shown before in a TSAA show, a copy of an award winning piece, or done in a class.
2. Two dimensional works must be wired and ready to hang. Please wire within the top 1/3 of the frame. (or they won't be hung)
3. TSAA has the right to refuse any work deemed unsuitable, i.e. nudes.
4. Maximum size shall not exceed **48 inches** in any dimension, including FRAME. (we will not hang anything larger)
5. Entries must remain for the entire show. (NO EXCEPTIONS)
6. In the event of a sale the artist will donate 20% to the Cultural Center.

Only 2013 members are eligible for the show. You must have paid your dues before the November 2013 meeting to be eligible. No late entries accepted.

PLEASE REMEMBER to complete your registration forms **BEFORE** you come to register. There are three small forms on one sheet of paper. (Pg 3) You keep one and place one on the back of the artwork and TSAA keeps the third.

All art must be ready to hang. We cannot repair frames that are not secure. It is the artist's responsibility to have a secure frame and hanging wire.

Display locations are **final**. It is not possible to move art if the artist wants a different display location.

The rules of the show have been adopted after years of work. Please follow them and we will have a positive exhibit experience.

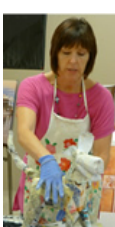
More next month!

The TSAA Plein Air Painters:

Plein Air met for the second time this season in downtown Tarpon Springs. We are preparing for the BIG paint out starting November 2nd. We had four new painters...yeah!! In November we will still do Tarpon Springs but we will meet at Howard Park. Meet at the first main parking lot and we will branch out from there. Call **Jane Lawson** at 934-6097 for more information.

October Demonstration

Joyce Curvin did a very entertaining demonstration for us at our October meeting. She showed how to Paper Mache whimsical projects using recycled objects.



The Royal Heron Art Gallery presents: Our Something for everyone Exhibit Lightning. Watercolor paintings by **Susan McCubbin** among other exhibits will be from November 15 to November 29. Reception: Friday November 15th from 5 pm - 8 pm Lots of Good Art, Food and Conversation.—At: The Royal Heron Art Gallery, 408 Orange St, Ozone, FL 34660. Gallery Hours: Thursday & Friday 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm—Contact Person: Elaine Schilp [727-871-3051](tel:727-871-3051) or Sue McCubbin [727-786-4995](tel:727-786-4995)

The Downtown New Port Richey Art Gallery will feature holiday arts and crafts during the months of November and December. **Jana Withers** and others who are members of the Tarpon Springs Art Association will be participating in this show.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR MEMBERS

October 2, **Maria Weed** had her reception for "Mermaids in the Tropics" at Currents restaurant in Tarpon Springs.

She has 43 pieces of art up, two of which have sold already. The show will be up until November 16.

Nancy Arcara had a picture accepted into the Florida Watercolor Society Annual Show. It is on display at the Art Center of Sarasota until October 25. It can be seen on www.Floridawatercolorssociety.org under Annual Exhibition and Awards.

Kathy Detrano had a pastel painting, "Topsail Treetops", accepted into the juried 85th Grand National Exhibition of the American Artists Professional League (AAPL) headquartered at the Salmagundi Club, NYC. She also had two pastel paintings, "New and Far" and "Morning Shadows" accepted into the Arkansas Juried Fifth National Exhibition.

Ann Clark will be in the cast of HMS Pinafore opening at the Tarpon Performing Arts Center on Nov. 15, Nov. 16, and Nov. 17.. The cast is superb, and the Captain is arrogant and so believable. A lot of fun.

Come see it. Don't forget the 50th Anniversary of West Pasco Art Guild on Saturday, November 9. There will be a ribbon cutting and a reception to follow.

Her Chorus is planning to sing a few songs. The Guild is located at 6206 Jefferson St. New Port Richey 34652. 727 841 34652.

Nancy Caposey received a Best in Show at West Pasco art guild for the show titled "Local Essence". It's hanging from October 11 through November 1st. **Ann Clark** received an honorable mention.

Lisa M Sibley was Awarded: Honorable Mention in Special Effects category for her entry "Game On" at the 2013 International Photography Awards Competition. Entry Description: Game On Series displays modes of transportation to get to the game on time. These were created with iphonography panoramic with post processing of color only. The effects of altered space, objects and people were the result of in camera technique. She was also Awarded: Honorable Mention in Nature - Trees category for the winning entry "Old Southern Pines."

Suzanne Murphy has paintings in the 2014 Holiday Winter Garden Invitational at DFAC. The exhibit opens on Wednesday, October 30. She is donating a large framed Archival Pigment print to the Kathleen Monahan Performing Arts Foundation for a Silent Auction at the "Beat on the Bayou" Fundraiser, Saturday, November 2. And her little Waterbaby painting of Arlene Richardson's granddaughter sold in the Annual 5x5 Show at the Tampa Museum of Fine Arts where 700 paintings went for \$25 each.

Future Schedule:

November **Toni Hutfilz** will demonstrate assemblages with found objects and pouring with textures.

Suzanne Natzke (watercolor) is scheduled for January and **Suzanne Murphy** (oil) in February. Depending on interest there may be a two day workshop with **Lynn Ferris** in early 2014.

Jim Melton is a new instructor at The Beach Art Center in Indian Rocks Beach. The class is 'Intermediate and advanced watercolor' from 9:00 am till noon on Mondays. The class is four sessions long and cost \$70 for members and \$90 for non members. We are halfway through our second series.

VENUE NEWS:

Tarpon Springs Library: Trish Gregory-943-8677
 No one has signed up for the Library so if you want to display there, let Trish know.

Plaka Restaurant: Kathy Rabold (781-6859)
 No Report
 Email or call Kathy ophms_art@yahoo.com to reserve a place for this venue.

Helen Ellis Hospital: Yiota Theofanus (781-9613)
 Displaying from September 10 to November 11, 2013 is Carol Hendrickson and Kaye Dunmire.
 To reserve your spot for Helen Ellis call or email Yiota 781-9613 yiotatheofanus@gmail.com

Performing Arts Center: Heather Risley, Patsy Renz, Barbara Hodges are doing the PAC. For the months of November and December showing at the Performing Arts Center are: **Larry Forgione, Nancy Caposey, Ann Clark, Lee Albion, Sandy Butterfield and Patsy Renz.**

Florida Capital Bank: Sharon Chandler (934-7778)
 The artist for the month of November at the Florida Capital Bank is Bess King.

Tarpon Springs' first Oktoberfest celebration gave us



the opportunity to get out and show some work. Announced at our October meeting, we didn't have much time to organize and only a few of us took up the opportunity, but it was a



steady stream of people, a few small sales (plus a couple of calendars), and lots of people watching. Heather painted faces, etc., on pumpkins for the Merchants Association and TSAA got \$26.00 (half the proceeds). It is also a really good idea to be part of civic activities.

Paint & Photo Tarpon Springs 2013 is almost upon us - still time to register. We could use some help before our Awards Reception (November 10) and in our "wet" room (located inside Artists' Faire Gallery this year), also with our Quick Draw portion (November 9). Email me (hriz@tampabay.rr.com) or see me if you can help.

Welcome New Members:

Valentin Avila - Palm Harbor - 831-4428
 Frank Hipp - Tarpon Springs - 938-0853
 Steve Tsataros - Tarpon Springs - 735-1908

ARTIST RECEIPT

Keep this portion for pick up. If someone else is retrieving your art they must have this receipt to authorize release.

ARTIST: _____

TITLE: _____

MEDIUM: _____

PRICE: _____

ATTACH TO BACK OF ART WORK (top corner)

ARTIST: _____

TITLE: _____

MEDIUM: _____

CATEGORY: _____

PRICE: _____

GIVE TO REGISTRATION

ARTIST: _____

TITLE: _____

MEDIUM: _____

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PHONE: _____

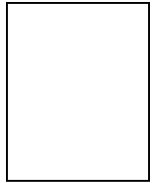
RELEASE: The Tarpon Springs Art Association and the Tarpon Springs Cultural Center will exercise due caution for the safety of all work on exhibit. However, they cannot be held responsible for loss or damage to entrant's property.

By signing below the artist releases the Tarpon Springs Art Association and the Cultural Center of all claims of loss and damage.

ARTIST SIGNATURE:



TARPON SPRINGS ART ASSOCIATION
 PO Box 1177
 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

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Cell 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, November 4, 2013 at 1:30 pm at the Community Center.

The next board meeting is Monday, November 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 by November 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.

Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail. — Ralph Waldo Emerson, poet