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 2014

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President's Message by Trish Gregory

Well, I must say that this has been a very short year. A couple of months ago I made a remark in the meeting that it seemed like the last meeting the month before was just last week. This last club year has seemed to be the same way. We only have one more meeting in my administration and then another president takes over. It has been a good year, and I have really enjoyed it. TSAA is a very talented group and I am in awe every time we



have a show. Thank you all for your help and support. The new president, Sherry Orr, will be a very good one and she will have the same board that I had, with the exception of Frank Hipp who will be a new vice-president (welcome, Frank, and thank you for taking on this responsibility). I could not have asked for a better board, they were always supportive and full of good ideas. Thank you so much Sherry, Bess. Terri, Patsy, Heather, and Jane. I appreciate you more than you know.

I would like to especially thank all the ladies who brought refreshments each month this past year. They were always delicious and much appreciated by all.

Don't forget about the art show in the park that is coming up on April 5-6. Registration will be on April 4 at the Community Center where we meet. It will be indoors in either our meeting room or the one to the right of the meeting room. Look for more details inside this newsletter. And then, of course, our April 7 meeting at the Heritage Museum will be an art show, with the show being hung in the Performing Art Center. Again, more details inside. I'm looking forward to seeing you all there.

Tarpon Springs Fine Art Festival 2014 at Craig Park will be on April 5 – April 6, 2014. 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 4 from 10 am 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 18×24 inches and no smaller than 8×10 . No greeting cards or crafty items! We will need sitters to cover 9 am - 5 pm 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. Demonstrators are welcome, but only if you are a paid member of the show (do not bring extra work to sell while demonstrating).

April Show – April 7 – 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. We need volunteers to help with event!

Future Schedule:

Remember the picnic is coming up, and we all need to pitch in and help. When you arrive, look around, see if they need help in the kitchen or setting up the paintings. Also remember that in addition to an opportunity to be part of an art show at the Heritage Center, those of you who will be here through April can show at the Performing Arts Center for a month. Bring a dish to pass. Jane will have the rest.

We had only 9 at our pastel workshop. This is not a good turnout for an excellent event. We will hopefully have more when we have Lee Albion who will do our May demo plus a workshop to be announced later

March Demonstration

Kathy Detran did a demonstration for us in pastels over an underpainting at our March meeting. It was wonderful to watch that painting come alive when she applied the pastel over the under painting.







The TSAA Plein Air Painters:

The Plein Air group will be meeting at Craig Park the month of April at 9:30 on Friday Morning.

Call **Jane Lawson** at 934-6097 for more information

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR MEMBERS

Petera Semple's entrys in The Florida State Fair won 1ST place Description (places) "Everglades" oil. 2nd place Description (things) "Seagrapes" Oil, and 3rd place Description (people) "Jam Session" oil, and 3rd Placed Description (Thing) "Fresh Berries) acrylic.

At the 2014 strawberry Festival she recieved the Strawberry Thyem award for "sweet Onions and Berries" and also a Sponsor Award from State Farm Insurance.

Kathy Detrano was awarded the 'Pastel Society of America Award' for her painting, "Morning's Promise" at the Pastel Society of Tampa Bay's annual show, Possibilities in Pastel VIII.

Anthony Abreu's paintings, "The Lake" has been chosen for the second time to be on the cover of "Cabin and Cove" magazine. the same painting a couple of years ago was on the cover of "Welcome To Georgia" magazine at the Welcome Centers as you drive into the State of Georgia.

Suzanne Murphy sold her plein aire painting, "Bridge Over the Bayou, Howard Park" at the DFAC Student, Member, Faculty Show which opened this month. She's painting a chair for the Park & Recreation Chair-ity Auction at Artists Faire, and is now working on a painting which will be donated to DFAC for their annual Garden Party Fundraiser in April.

Lynn Kopala won Honorable Mention at the Pastel Society's show last month.

Lora VanNoord for The New Arts Program in Kutztown PA has invited her to exhibit a small oil painting at their 25th Invitational Salon Exhibition of Small Works. The show is May 23 through July 13, 2014.

Ljuba Simovic, our member from Canada, exhibited at the 10th Annual Tarpon Cove Art Show held on March 26th at the Club House, Tarpon Cove (intersection of Mariner Dr and Klosterman Rd.).

Marilynn Pohlman has been invited to show her work at Mercy Medical Center in Cedar Rapids, IA. She will hang 20 paintings and they will hang during the month of July.

Nancy Caposey received a second place ribbon in West Pasco Art Guild's March show (Everything's coming up roses) The paintings title was "Lilies bursting in air"



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:

<u>Tarpon Springs Library</u>: Trish Gregory-943-8677 For the months of March and April Wendy Davis and Betty Stallard will be displaying paintings in the library.

Plaka Restaurant: Kathy Rabold (781-6859)

Petera Semple will display 7 paintings at Plaka Restaurant during February and March.

Email or call Kathy ophms_art@yahoo.com to reserve a place for this venue.

Performing Arts Center: Heather Risley, Patsy Renz, Barbara Hodges are doing the PAC. For the months of March showing at the Performing Arts Center are: Larry Forgione, Scott Suits, Mimi Jozwiak, Patsy Renz, Petera Semple, and Betty Stallard. After April 7, it will be the entries from the April show.

USAmeri Bank: Sharon Chandler (934-7778)

Petera Semple for the month of March and April with her ribbon winning paintings. Go see the new display with six permanent wall hooks,



Artist of the Month
Suzanne Natzke was chosen as our artist of the month at the March meeting for her Watercolor painting "On The Rocks".

Welcome Back:

Elizabeth Weaver - Tarpon Springs - 938-3175

If you have paid your dues for this year, please pick up your **membership card** for the year 2014. You will need your membership card to get into the Fine Arts Festival at Spring Bayou.

Just a Reminder 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.

ART TRIVIA

- 1. What was on the ceiling of the Vatican's Sistine Chapel before Michelangelo painted his famous fresco?
- 2. What famous artist designed shirts, hats, ashtrays, stamps, brandy bottles, coat hangers, bathing suits, crystal ware, tapestries, and playing cards--among other things?
- 3. Which two painters, in the early part of this century, were associated with the artistic style called cubism?
- 4. Sketches from which 15th century artist anticipated such modern inventions as the airplane and the tank?
- 5. Early this decade, a \$4 million museum opened in Massachusetts to honor the paintings of a certain American artist who lived from 1894 to 1978, a person whose works are famous even to people who have never stepped foot in a museum. Who is this artist?
- 6. Which French artist, born in 1834 was best known for his paintings of ballet dancers?
- 7. Which famous British artist had himself tied to the mast of a ship so that he could paint a storm?
- 8. Which artist is famous for his statue The Thinker?
- 9. Les Demoiselles d'Avignon, Weeping Woman and Guernica are famous paintings by which modern artist?

Answers

9. Pablo Picasso

8. Auguste Rodin

7. J.M.W Turner

6. Edgar Degas

Jorman Rockwell

4. Leonardo Da Vinci

3. Picasso / Braque

2. Surrealist Salvador Dali.

1. Silver stars on a plain blue field.



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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.

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"Have no fear of perfection, you'll never reach it." Salvador Dali

REMEMBER....

The next general meeting is Monday, April 7, 2014 at the Heritage Center. (The picnic and art show)

The next board meeting is Monday, April 28, 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 18, 2014. 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.