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December 2016

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President's Message by Yvonne James

The annual Holiday show is a "stand out", thanks to the leadership of Sherri Orr and all of her helpers. An organization is only as good as the volunteers that keep it going. We have two big events coming up in the Spring that will provide opportunities for new helpers with fresh ideas. "Art on the Bayou" and our annual picnic and show. Keep this in mind when we meet on January 9, 2017 as we will be looking for event leaders. Have a wonderful holiday.

NEWSLETTER



Best of Show: "Owl Time" by Barbara Anders Hodge (Oil)

Exceptional composition. Strong graphic designs lead the eye to subtle, rich/cool, warm color contrasts





TSAA winter show winners.

The TSAA Art Show

The annual show at the Cultural Center is filled with beautiful works created by our members. Thank you for participating in this show. Special thanks to each of you who volunteered to decorate, register the art, hung the art, brought appetizers, and prepared the Programs.

It certainly takes a Team to hold this Show!

A reminder to pick up the art on December 30th from 10:00-12:00. We will also be taking down the decorations. *Sherry Orr*

Future Schedule:

Elaine Hahn is scheduled for an oil painting demo and workshop in January

Tarpon Springs Art Association Newsletter

Ribbons and Awards presented by Sherry Orr, Mayor Chris Alahouzos, and Dr. Kathleen Monahan.



1st Arlene Richarson "Sunset at the Beach" Masterful use of medium and use of silhouetted foreground





2nd Heather Moore "Old Stormy"



3rd Francine Wilson "Transposition"

Honorable Mention





Acrylic

1st Jim Throne "Academic III" Excellent use of chiaroscuro, masterful use of space



2nd Tom Wilke "Anchored" Beautiful

palette.

Surprising and effective use of

green





3rd Dianna Williams "Contemplation"





Honorable Mention Maria Weed "Sunset Mangrove"

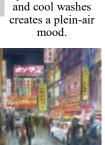
Water Media (Watercolor/Acrylic under glass)

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2nd Carole Loiacono "Serene





3rd Lee Albion "Tokyo"



Margaret

Modjeski

"Storm

Approaching"



Susan McCubbin "Stilt and Spoonbill"

Mixed Media

1st Al Sterner "Hello. Wish you Were Here"





3rd Anne Donnellan "Sedona-Lost in the Past"

2nd Raquel Egosi "After"



Paint & Photo Tarpon Springs: We have reserved the Heritage Museum (Craig park) again this year. The Reception will be on Saturday, April 22, and a week-long exhibit will follow. The painting and photographing will take place from Wednesday, April 18 thru Saturday noon, April 22. The registration info will be out soon or you can check out the website: www.tarponspringspleinair.com.

The plein Air group is meeting Fridays at 9:30am in December at the Garden Room on Alt 19 in Palm Harbor.

1st Terri Gonzales "Shi Chan" The face is beautifully modeled by light. Splashes of warm

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TSAA wishes to thank the staff at the Cultural Center for all their help, the show's judge, Joseph Weinzettle, Mayor Chris Alahouzos, and Cultural Treasures of the City of Tarpon Springs, Dr. Kathleen Monahan, Director. They all helped make our show a great success along with all the TSAA volunteers.

3 Dimensional

1st Dan Takoushian "The Phoenix" Evocative form: wonderful contrast of textures



2nd Vahak Sarkis **"Florida Native** Seminole"

Susan Mayhew "Down by the Seaside"

Color Pencil/Pen & Ink/Pencil

1st Rose Metz "Snowball" Excellent composition and use of pattern.



2nd Patsy Renz "Portrait of a Florida Bobcat" Great touch-variation of marks.



3rd Sherri Edell "St Marks Episcopal Church"

"Aw, Mom!" lights and darks Pastel & Charcoal 1st Kathy Detrano "Quiet Morning" (Seemingly) Effortless use of the medium.



3rd Anneke Hulstein "Lazy Morning"



Honorable Mention Joy Swenson Mary McDonnell "Sancturary in "Backyard Shed" Hammock Park"





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2nd Trish Gregory 'Into The Storm" Lush details

3rd Sue Thomas Strong balance of

Photography

1st

Stuart Harrison

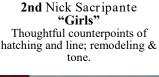
"Bridal Veil

Falls"

Excellent composition; appealing range of tones



2nd Nick Sacripante "Girls" Thoughtful counterpoints of tone.





VENUE NEWS:

Florida North Pinellas Hospital (Helen Ellis) & Yard of Ale Tarpon - Lynn Kopala - 940-4975

Lora VanNoord's oil paintings will be hanging at Florida Hospital North Pinellas (Helen Ellis) beginning in mid-December Yard of Ale Tarpon Lynn Hudson Kopala's new acrylic and mixed media work will be on displayed beginning in mid-December. If you are interested in displaying at either venue, please email Lynn Kopala at lynnkopala@hotmail.com; or phone 727 940 4975; or mobile phone 703 677 7805. Many thanks to Lora VanNoord for volunteering to assist with managing the hospital venue while in Florida.

Performing Arts Center: Heather Risley, Patsy Renz, Barbara Hodges are doing the PAC. Wendy Davis, Margaret Modjeski, Petera Semple, Maria Weed, Susan Duda, Dianna D. Williams, and Carole Loiacono are displaying at PAC this month.

USAmeri Bank : Sharon Chandler (934-7778) No Report

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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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An artist never really finishes his work; he merely abandons it. — *Paul Valéry* was a French <u>poet</u>, <u>essayist</u>, and <u>philosopher</u>. In addition to his poetry and fiction (drama and dialogues), his interests included <u>aphorisms</u> on art, history, letters, music, and current events. Valéry was nominated for the <u>Nobel Prize in Literature</u> in 12 different years.

REMEMBER.....

The next general meeting is Monday, January 9, 1:30 pm at the Community Center

The next board meeting is Monday, December 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 December 18, 2016. Everything that happens in your art is **important to us all.**

Artist of the Month Schedule

September – All Media artwork Voting; Program is "Show and Tell" of any painting on display. (Combined old Sept/Oct. schedule.) October – Acrylic, 3 Dimensional Art November – Oil *December – No Meeting January – Mixed Media, Photography February – Watercolor March – Pastel, Pen & Ink, Charcoal, Misc. not shown elsewhere *April – Judged Show (Picnic)

Bring Art work by 1:15 pm or it won't be judged.