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Meetings - First Monday of the Month at The Community Center

January 2016

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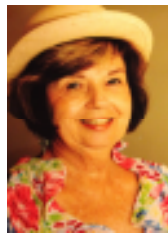
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Florida Hospital North Pinellas
Yard of Ale Tarpon



President's Message by Sherry Orr

Happy Holidays to each of you!

The Winter Show was very successful. A huge thank you to all of the volunteers. The judge said it was the best show he had judged! I will pass out the ribbons, awards and comments at our next meeting.

Please be reminded that picture pick up is December 30th, 10-12. The un-decorating "party" is January 7th, 10-12.

Our next meeting is January 4th. We will have a guest speaker, the CEO of North Pinellas Hospital. Since this is one of our venues and we are asking for support for our Paint and Photo event, happy to have him.

If you have items you would like to sell, we will set up a table in the back of the room. Please be prepared to sell at 1:00-1:30.

Hope you are enjoying this beautiful painting weather. That sunlight is amazing!

Best of Show: "Bat House"
by Frank Hipp (Oil)
SOLD



The Joe Gonzalez Award was won by Raquel Egosi for "The Knight Night" and presented by Terri Gonzalez (Joe's daughter) This award is the **Peoples Choice Award**.

Paint & Photo Tarpon Springs 2016 - Please go to www.tarponspringspleinair.com to download a registration form for 2016. We would appreciate hearing from you as soon as you can get us your information as the plans are well under way now!

The **plein Air group** will meet at the Anclote River Park at 9:30 the month of January each Friday morning.

Congratulations to: In October **Kathy Detrano** was granted Signature Membership with the Pastel Society of America. In December she had the honor of being elected to a 3 year term on the Board of Governors of the Pastel Society of America. PSA has its headquarters at the National Arts Club, Gramercy Park, NYC.

Margaret Modjeski sold 2 watercolor paintings at her studio in Stirling Art Studios & Gallery in November. Paintings were called "Tranquility" and "Three Sunflowers in a Glass Jar."

Suzanne Natzke won Best in Show at the 2015 Pasco Art Annual for her watercolor, "Rainy Night".

Ribbons and Awards presented by Vice-Mayor Jeff Larson.

Oil

1st
Heather Moore
"Irish Mist"



2nd
Heather Risley
"Approaching
Sundown"



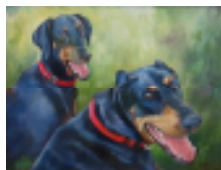
3rd
Gregg Ratzka
"Grapes & Vines"



Honorable Mention Oil



Arlene Richardson
"Coastal
Vista"



Petera Semple
"Misty & Reina"

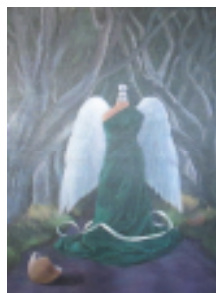


Lynnette Vaughan
"Early Morning"

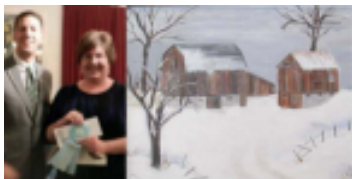
Acrylic



1st Tom
Wilke
"Vera"



2nd Kathy Wilson
"Hope is the Thing
With Feathers"



3rd Gail
McConnell
"Paint's
Barn"

Honorable Mention - Acrylic



Patricia Watt
"The Fish Picture"



Maria Weed
"Morning Dew"

Water Media (Watercolor/Acrylic under glass)



2nd Lee Albion
"Hong Cong Steps"



3rd
Jane
Lawson
"Back to
Nature"



1st Carole Loiacono
"Harbor Berth"

Honorable Mention - Watermedia



Suzanne Natzke
"Pitching
Change"

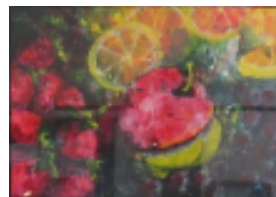


Bess King
"Solitary Rose"

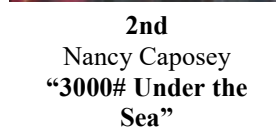


Nancy Rhoads
"You Looking at
Me?"

Mixed Media



1st
Yvonne James
"Fruit Salad"



2nd
Nancy Caposey
"3000# Under the
Sea"



3rd
Wendy Davis
"Dream State"

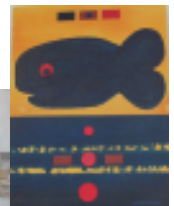
Honorable Mention - Mixed Media



Raquel
Egosi
"The
Knight
Night"



Anita Mead
"Maritime
Mystique"



Anne
Donnellan
"Wilma the
Whale"

The program for our January 4th meeting will be Mitch Kolbe, showing us how to paint portraits in oil. Mitch is a well known artist from our area. He will teach an oil portrait class in a workshop at the Tarpon Springs Rec. Center on January 8th, Friday, 9:30 to 3:00 P.M. at a cost of \$20.00. Registration is at the Community Center where we meet . Call Jane Lawson at 934-6097 with questions.

TSAA wishes to thank the staff at the Cultural Center for all their help, the show's judge, Denis Gaston, Vice-Mayor Jeff Larson, 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.

Photography



1st
Stuart Harrison
"Heat"



2nd
Sherri Edell
"La Pverta"



3 Dimensional

1st Vahak Sarkis
"Antropomarthic
Bronze Potherg"



2nd
Jan Causey
"Daubed
Diodon"



3rd
Larry Withers
"Evolution"



3rd Fritz Johnson
"Sailing at Sunset"

**Honorable
Mention**
Trish
Gregory
"Morning
Walk,
Howard
Park"



Pastel & Charcoal

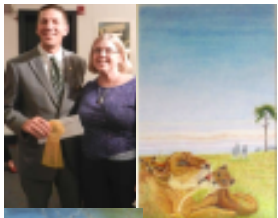
Color Pencil/Pen & Ink/Pencil



1st
Judy Redder
"The
Diner"



2nd
Patsy Renz
"The Wolves"



3rd
Liz Little
"The Bath"



1st Kathy Detrano
"Old Friends"



2nd Nick Sacripante
"Girl"



James Capps
"Raptor"

Honorable Mention - CC

Susan
McCubbin
"Moose Near
Lake Taggart"



3rd
Lynn Kopala
"Spirit Tree"

Welcome New Member
Vada Byrum - Port Richey
845-3931

VENUE NEWS:

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

Lora VanNoord's paintings are currently being displayed at Florida Hospital North Pinellas. From January 19 to March 15, the TSAA member artist featured there will be **Carole Loiacono**. we have artists signed up until May 17, 2016. If you are interested in displaying work at FHNH from May 17 to July 19, or any dates thereafter, please contact Lynn Kopala. Email: lynnkopala@hotmail.com. Rotation of artwork occurs on the third Tuesday of each odd-numbered month.

Yard of Ale Tarpon are paintings by **Larry (Lorenzo) Forgione**. The Yard of Ale corporate management is currently reviewing work for upcoming displays. Assuming corporate approvals are given, we have artists signed up to display until August 2016.

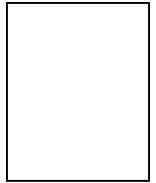
Performing Arts Center: **Heather Risley, Patsy Renz, Barbara Hodges** are doing the PAC. Due to construction at PAC we are unable to hang our work there at least through January and possibly longer. Questions, call 727-937-7125.

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

Over the past few months, several people verbally volunteered to help Lynn Kopala with the Hospital and Yard of Ale Venues. If you volunteered to help, and if you are still available to do so, would you please contact lynnkopala@hotmail.com or 727 940 4975, before December 30? She needs to make rosters and perform other organizational tasks to keep these venues going. Thank you in advance, on behalf of all the artists and our great supporters at the Florida Hospital North Pinellas and Yard of Ale Tarpon.



TARPON SPRINGS ART ASSOCIATION
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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
39650 US Hwy 19N #1413
Tarpon Springs FL 34689

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

The next board meeting is Monday, January 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 January 18, 2015. 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.

“Don’t think about making art, just get it done. Let everyone else decide if it’s good or bad, whether they love it or hate it. While they are deciding, make even more art.” *Andy Warhol*

Photography Sherri Edell & Patsy Renz, .