

MARK YOUR  
CALENDAR

Tuesday, January



8<sup>th</sup>

2018

MEETING STARTS PROMPTLY

AT 7:00 PM

Our meetings are at the  
First Congregational Church,  
Royal Oak

Corner of Crooks & Webster.  
Use the big parking lot in back. Enter  
back door and go left down the  
stairs.

#### PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

This month's meeting will be delayed by one week because of the New Year's holiday. On January 8<sup>th</sup>, we will gather for a Paint-Together. Last year's was a great success. It's a chance to socialize as we generate many new mini-masters for our inventory. Bring your own art supplies to the meeting – generally water based medium only. Suggestions would include acrylics, watercolor, pastels, pen and ink, colored pencils or anything that is not too messy. (NO OILS PLEASE). We will be creating Mini-Masters to benefit our (YOUR) organization. We sell these at several venues throughout the year as a fundraiser for our club. Canvas boards, table cloths and water cups will be supplied by SOAA. Unable to finish your mini in one evening? You will be able to finish it at home, if you run out of time that night.

We will have our usual Artist of the Month Competition and light snacks to accompany our work. This is a great opportunity to get to know more about each other's art forms and personal styles. We are an Art Association, so let's have a Paint-Together.

Happy Holidays,  
Bonnie Haines



SOAA  
SOUTH OAKLAND ART ASSOCIATION

# Art Vine

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL PAINT-TOGETHER for SOAA!

Create Art for the SOAA at Our Next Meeting on

**JANUARY 8<sup>TH</sup>**

(instead of the 1<sup>st</sup>) At 7:00 p.m.

*It's a PAINT  
TOGETHER*



#### What:

Creating Mini-Masters to be used in Fundraising for SOAA. We sell your Miniature Masterpieces at area venues. Each piece is affordably priced to allow ownership of fine art to purchasers. Some are framed, some are not – this, of course, affects the price.

**Supplied:** Canvas Boards, Water Cups and Table covers

#### Bring:

- Your Art Supplies (NO OIL PAINTS PLEASE)  
Suggested medium – Acrylics, watercolor, pastels, pen and ink, colored and graphite pencils, etc. For those not working on Canvas boards you will need to bring suitable paper – finished size inside frames is 5" x 7" (overall frame size 8"x10").
- Your Artist of the Month entries
- A snack to share with our group

#### SOAA BOARD

Bonnie Haines, President  
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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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| December   | Art at the R.O. Library Display Case<br>Jacqueline Drake                                                                                                                                               |
| Dec – Jan  | Lily's Seafood – 410 S. Washington, R.O.<br>Art Show – Johanna Schurrer and Terri Selik<br>Party planned for January - TBD                                                                             |
| January    | Art at the R.O. Library Display Case<br>Katherine Rae Bell                                                                                                                                             |
| January 8  | SOAA Monthly Meeting – 7:00 p.m.<br><b>(one week later due to Holiday)</b><br>Paint Together Party – bring art supplies,<br>Artist of the Month entries and snacks for<br>snack table (details page 1) |
| February 5 | SOAA Monthly Meeting – 7:00 p.m.<br>Chris Pawlik – Working with Alcohol Inks                                                                                                                           |
| March 5    | SOAA Monthly Meeting – 7:00 p.m.<br>Common Ground Art Therapy Program<br>Learn about this program, the people it helps<br>and the art they create.                                                     |
| April 2    | SOAA Monthly Meeting – 7:00 p.m.<br>Golsa Yaghoobi – CCS teacher, book<br>illustrator and artist                                                                                                       |
| May 7      | SOAA Monthly Meeting – 7:00 p.m.<br>Mike Byrne – Make your own painted tiles                                                                                                                           |
| June 4     | SOAA Monthly Meeting – 6:00 p.m.<br>Ice Cream Social                                                                                                                                                   |

### AT OUR MEETINGS:

- Check out our Mini-Masters, great gifts for friends and family. This is last time available at meeting.
- Donate or buy any art books from the SOAA book sale table?
- Sign up to bring a snack for the group or just bring something.

## MEMBERSHIP

SOAA Membership Dues.

Individual - \$30.00

Family - \$35.00

See Pat Hughes at our next Meeting. Please make checks payable to SOAA.



## The SCOOP

Email our editor, Carol Card ([roac.carol@gmail.com](mailto:roac.carol@gmail.com)), with information about available classes, lectures and shows or other newsies. Include what, where, when and any cost involved.

### THIS MONTH:

#### ART CLASSES AT ALL LEVELS

**Articipate, Berkley** – [www.articipate.us](http://www.articipate.us) offering numerous classes and social events in multiple medium.

**Atelier Gallery, Royal Oak** –

[www.atelierart.studio](http://www.atelierart.studio) offers specialized classes and studio space

**Other** – Marshall Fredericks Gallery in Saginaw, Flint Institute of Arts, and Detroit Institute of Arts all offer hands on classes and educational lecture experiences.

#### SPEAK EASY

Our program person, Joan Pettigrew, is always open to new speaker suggestions. If you know a dynamic speaker, of interest to our membership, let her know. Talks on art techniques, how-to's, show entries, etc. are always fun. Contact Joan at [wilkjoni1@gmail.com](mailto:wilkjoni1@gmail.com)

#### NETWORKING OPPORTUNITY

Looking for a place to share ideas, promote your artwork to businesses, learn about show opportunities, etc.? Check out this website - [www.embracecreatives.com](http://www.embracecreatives.com). The site was developed to specifically unite creative professionals and help artists profit from their passion. Let us know if this works for you.

#### SOAA BOARD MINUTES

Any member or non-member, who would like to receive a copy or copies of the SOAA Board Meeting minutes, please contact Pat Hughes at [pathughes1047@gmail.com](mailto:pathughes1047@gmail.com)



Our December

Artist of the Month Winners Are.....

**PORTRAIT**



Katherine Bell – 1<sup>st</sup>  
"Puppy Love"



Therese Christman – 2<sup>nd</sup>  
"Tree Trimmers"

**ABSTRACT**



Terri Selik – 1<sup>st</sup>  
"Visions in Yellow"

**REPRESENTATIONAL**



Bonnie Haines – 1<sup>st</sup>  
"Wolverine Lake"



Kathy Pare – 2<sup>nd</sup>  
"Oranges"



Terri Selik – 2<sup>nd</sup>  
"Cher"

*No 3-D Art  
this month*