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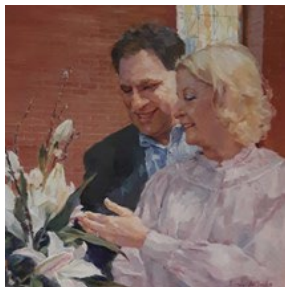
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Linda Kollacks

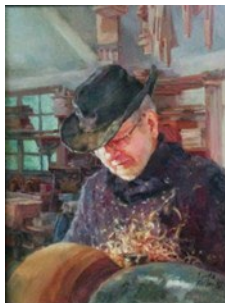
I am excited about being accepted into two national shows.

- Ais (American Impressionist Society) is celebrating its 25th anniversary in Rockport, Massachusetts. I was accepted into this show...181 artists selected out of 1600 submissions.
- I was also accepted into NOAPS "Best of America" exhibition in Birmingham, AL, again very competitive.

This is exciting for me as I thought my life was pretty much over since my husband's passing 9 months ago. Had little to no interest in doing anything in the arts for a long time.



"After Church"
for AIS



"Artisan at the Lathe"
for NOAPS

Questions: Contact Linda at

Clarese Ornstein

I will be taking a watercolor class in the Poconos area Sept. 22-27 while staying at the Shawnee Inn on the Delaware, built in 1911.

Elizabeth Hulswit-Green, retired art teacher and resident of the Poconos area, will be instructing the watercolor class.



Photo of Shawnee Inn

Questions: Contact Clarese at socoro@comcast.net

Phil Schorn

I participated in the Port Clinton Art Festival, Highland Park, Aug. 24 and 25.

I have several shows filling every weekend in September.

- Sept. 1-2 Labor Day Weekend, Deerpath Art Fair On The Square, Lake Forest
- Sept. 7-8 Mundelein Art festival
- Sept. 14-15 Deer Park Art Show
- Sept. 21-22 Woodstock Art Fest
- Sept. 28-29 Art in the Barn, North Barrington

The shows have been very, very good so far even when the weather was hot.

Please check my [website](#) for images of my latest colored-pencil art, as well as upcoming shows, classes, videos, etc., and to sign up for my newsletters.

Questions? Contact Phil at 847-421-7925 or at his website.

Ernest Schweit

I wanted to do something special for LCAL's 90th anniversary show, which opens Sept. 6 at the Adler Arts Center in Libertyville. I also wanted something that would mirror Lake County.

The image had to reflect the beauty of our pristine lakes, golden prairies and sweeping skies.

I landed on "Autumn Glow," a fall portrait that captures two trees heavy with scarlet red leaves reflected in lake waters dotted by green Lilly pads; the scene is framed by golden foreground grasses and a soft blue sky, streaked with clouds, taken at Independence Grove in Libertyville.

I got a sneak peak of the show when I dropped off my work at Adler Tuesday, and I promise you will be impressed by the high quality of work art league members turned out for the event.

Please check out my [website](#) for images of my latest photography, and for links to my [blog](#), [Instagram](#), and [Facebook](#).

"Autumn Glow"
Photography
24x16 inches printed on metal



Questions? Contact Ernest at 847-609-8070 or ernestjschweit@sbcglobal.net

Juried Art Show at the Wright Gallery**Oct. 4-31, 2024**

This 44th annual juried competition includes all fine art media. Open to artists, ages 18 and over, who live or work in Lake, McHenry, or Cook Counties (IL).

Application and fees: due by midnight, Sunday, Sept. 15, 20.

Opening reception: Friday, Oct. 4, 5-7:30pm.

Cash awards will be given as determined by our juror.

Artists may submit up to 3 entries, created within the past two years.

The exhibition will be juried from the art images that you submit via email.

(LCAL members were emailed detailed information and an application form, on Aug. 21.)

Questions? Contact Deb at edmundsdl@gmail.com or by phone/text at 773-230-8068.

